

**57th
Annual**

Dyer-Ives Poetry Competition

FREE TO ENTER

Open to residents and students attending classes in Kent County, MI, including Grand Valley State University. One poem per person will be accepted. The poem must be original and unpublished.

AWARDS

Cash prizes

Publication in *Voices*, a poetry journal

Public reading of the winning poems during the Grand Rapids Festival of the Arts

Winners will be selected by the Grand Rapids Poet Laureate, Christine Stephens-Krieger

OPEN TO ALL AGES

K – 2nd Grade
3rd – 4th Grade
5th – 6th Grade
7th – 8th Grade
9th – 10th Grade
11th – 12th Grade
Undergraduate
Adult

SUBMISSIONS ACCEPTED

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