The Cultural Center of Cape Cod
10th Annual National & Regional Poetry Competition

A National Prize of $1000 will be awarded for a single, unpublished poem that has not won 1st prize in any national competition. Open to all U.S. residents 18 years & older. A Regional Prize of $250 will be awarded for a single, unpublished poem (that has not won 1st prize in any national competition) by an adult resident of Cape Cod, Nantucket, or Martha’s Vineyard. All Cape and Islands poets are also eligible for the National Award. A committee will judge.

General Guidelines

- Submit up to three poems of any style or subject totaling no more than five pages with an entry fee of $15 by June 20, 2016 (postmark).

- All entries should be typewritten on plain, white paper. The poet’s name should not appear on any page except the cover page, which should include name, address, phone number, and email address, the titles of the poems submitted, and a brief bio.

- Simultaneous submissions are permitted, but please notify immediately if submissions are accepted for publication elsewhere.

- Manuscripts will not be returned.

- Winners will be notified and their names posted on the Cultural Center’s web site by September 2016. No other notification will be made.

- Make checks payable to Cultural Center of Cape Cod. Mail submissions to Poetry Competition, Cultural Center of Cape Cod, 307 Old Main St., South Yarmouth, MA 02664

- For more information, contact Associate Director Lauren Wolk at lwolk@cultural-center.org