

# Creative Writing Competition 2018

## ENTRY FORM

All sections of the form must be read, completed and returned



### Personal Details

First name: \_\_\_\_\_ Family name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_

Mobile Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about this competition? \_\_\_\_\_

Where is your local library? \_\_\_\_\_

Age Group (please tick ):  12-16 years  17-25 years

I would like to be added to the **SMRC Youth Programs mailing list** using the above email address

I would like to be added to the **City of Greater Dandenong Libraries mailing list** using the above email address

I would like to be added to the **Casey Cardinia Libraries mailing list** using the above email address



### Declaration

- I declare that this entry titled \_\_\_\_\_ is my original work which I created
- I have not copied all or part of it from another writer
- I have not taken someone else's work and put it in my own words
- I have read the conditions of entry

 Signed by entrant/writer: \_\_\_\_\_

**If under 18 years of age**, I, the parent/guardian of the entrant named on this form confirm that this is his/her own work.

Name of parent/guardian (if under 18): \_\_\_\_\_ Signed by parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

- By entering the competition, I give permission for the Southern Migrant and Refugee Centre (SMRC) to disclose my name to the media if I receive an award as a result of this competition.
- By entering the competition, I also agree for my work to be displayed at the awards ceremony and to be displayed at venues and events organised by SMRC, City of Greater Dandenong Libraries and Casey Cardinia Libraries.
- I also agree for my work to be displayed on the social media pages of SMRC, City of Greater Dandenong Libraries and Casey Cardinia Libraries
- I will be consulted if my works are desired to be used for any other purpose and I have the option to agree or disagree as to how it will be used.

 Signed by entrant/writer: \_\_\_\_\_

**If under 18 years of age**, Name of parent/guardian (if under 18): \_\_\_\_\_

Signed by parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number of parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_



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## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

### Entries:

- An entry form must be completed and submitted with your entry
- The theme of the creative writing piece is **culture, community and journeys**. Your entry should be a story about culture, community and journeys.
- Entries must be between 50 and 1500 words
- Entries can be from any young person (12 to 25 years) living in the City of Greater Dandenong, City of Casey or Cardinia Shire

### Age groups:

- There will be two age categories:
  - 12-16 years
  - 17-25 years

### How to submit your entry:

- Email your entry to [courtneyd@smrc.org.au](mailto:courtneyd@smrc.org.au) along with an entry form which can be downloaded from the SMRC website [www.smrc.org.au](http://www.smrc.org.au)
- Dropped off at the Southern Migrant and Refugee Centre – 39 Clow St Dandenong (next to Dandenong Market)
- Dropped off at any Casey Cardinia Library Branch – Bunjil Place (Narre Warren), Cranbourne, Doveton, Emerald, Endeavour Hills, Hampton Park and Pakenham
- Dropped off at any City of Greater Dandenong Library Branch – Dandenong (225 Lonsdale St Dandenong) and Springvale (411 Springvale Rd Springvale)
- Mailed to the Southern Migrant and Refugee Centre – 39 Clow St Dandenong 3175
- If you have issues with the above delivery methods, please contact Courtney at SMRC on 0448 896 328

### Additional Details:

- **Entry is free and there are great prizes to be won!**
- The judge's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into
- Entries close 21<sup>st</sup> May 2018. No entries will be accepted after that date.
- Entries will be displayed at SMRC's Refugee Week Visual Arts and Literacy Exhibition from 18th to 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018
- Winners and notable entries will be announced at the ONE WORLD FESTIVAL celebrating sport and culture on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2018. The One World Festival will be held at Springers Leisure Centre, Keysborough.
- **For more information, contact Courtney from the Southern Migrant and Refugee Centre on 0448 896 328 or email [courtneyd@smrc.org.au](mailto:courtneyd@smrc.org.au)**

*Thank you for entering!*

*May you enjoy the experience of entering this competition and continue to develop your skills and explore your creativity!*

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