

Congratulations to the 2017 Short on Words Winners!

Adult Author Competition

1st Prize

Things We Leave Behind by M. D. Taverner (of Novi)

2nd Prize

The Runway by Joan Runkel (of Webberville)

3rd Prize

Not Even A Bridge by Karolynn Pargo (of Dearborn Heights)

Judge's Choice

Pop's Bridge by Fred Karr
(of Brighton)

A Mountain Of Truth by Karen Hamp
(of Whitmore Lake)

Honorable Mentions

The Bridge Waiting by Diana Radomski
(of Novi)

The Gilded Daughter by Terri A. Schleuder
(of Novi)

Between The Crests by Jeremy Schultz
(of Westland)

Young Adult Author Competition 1st Prize

Unwavering Reminder by Maggie Kuban (of Northville)

2nd Prize

How The Rain Falls by Caleb Holm (of Rochester Hills)

3rd Prize

Wanderlust by Laine Johnson (of Milford)

Judge's Choice

The Beckoning by Robert Crawford

(from Farmington Hills)

Both Sides Now by Katie Howard

(of Plymouth)

She, The Flag by Sophia Miller

(of Davisburg)

Freedom Rings by Alex Wagner

(of Livonia)

Honorable Mentions

1997 by Kate Dewan
(of South Lyon)

Time To Tell by Jessica Jasinski
(of Highland)

Side Effects by Abby Rutila
(of White Lake)

We wish to recognize all contributing authors:

Deborah Anderson, Brigid Barron, Courtney Cassidy, Lauren Corriveau, Robert Crawford, Anne Dark, Lucas De Almeida,
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The judges agreed - it was a tough competition. To all, they simply say: "Write on!"

All 2017 Short on Words entries are available for reading at Northville's Art House and at Preservation Dental. Information regarding the 2018 Short on Words Competition will be available online at preservationdental.com in February, 2018.

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