



North Sydney Council and the Stanton Library announce:



# The 19th annual Bill Coppel Young Writer's Award

We invite young people, aged between 11 and 18 years, to submit either one poem or one short story, not exceeding 750 words in length.

The competition is judged in five age categories. Entries will be displayed at Stanton Library and some winning entries will be published in the local press and on the North Sydney Council website. The presentation night is on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2008.

**Entries must be received by 5pm on Friday the 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2008,**

**Email entries to:** [kidzone@northsydney.nsw.gov.au](mailto:kidzone@northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

**Or post to:**

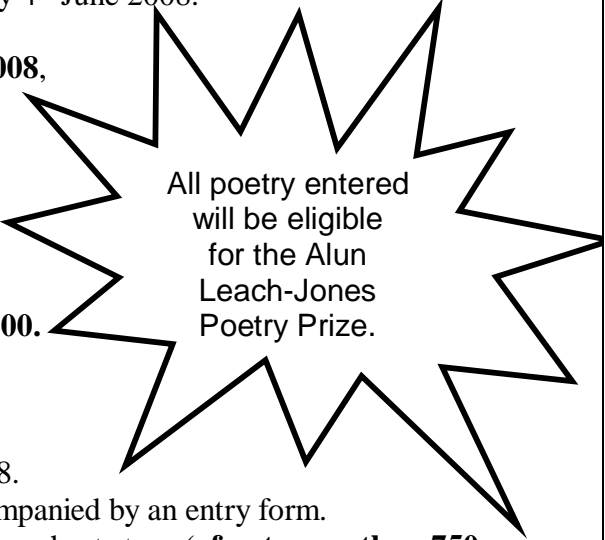
Children's & Youth Librarians

Stanton Library

Locked Bag 916

North Sydney 2059

**For all enquiries please phone Stanton Library on 9936 8400.**



All poetry entered  
will be eligible  
for the Alun  
Leach-Jones  
Poetry Prize.

## CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- ❖ Entrants must be aged 11-18 inclusive on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2008.
- ❖ Each entry must be an original work and must be accompanied by an entry form.
- ❖ There is a limit of one entry per person. Either a poem or short story (**of not more than 750 words**) may be submitted.
- ❖ If posting: Each entry must be typed or in neat legible black handwriting on A4 paper and 2 copies of each entry are to be sent with your name and age on all pages.
- ❖ Stanton Library is authorized to display any entries and to publish all or part of an entry.
- ❖ Stanton Library must receive each entry no later than 5pm on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2008.
- ❖ The judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

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NSW Writer's Centre

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Alun Leach-Jones

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Abbey's Bookshop

North Sydney Leagues Club

North Sydney Council

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## BILL COPPELL YOUNG WRITER'S AWARD OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Please print clearly and attach to entry.

Name.....

Age..... Date of birth..... Word length.....

Address.....Postcode.....

Phone number..... Email.....

School.....

**I accept all conditions of entry**

Signature..... Date.....