

IRON Press

Guidelines for submitting poems for Trees Anthology

This is not a competition - there are no fees and no prizes. Selected poems (approx. 50) will be published in an anthology and poets will receive complimentary copies of the book and be invited to read their poem/s at a launch event.

Poems: Poems may be submitted from any country but must be in English. No more than four poems per poet, each no longer than 40 lines, each must show title at the top and be identified at the foot with poet's name, email address (where possible) and a contact phone number.

Poems must be the original work of the poet (no translations). Poems may have been previously broadcast or published in print or online, including in a collection of the poet's own poetry, providing the broadcast or publication was in or after the year 2000.

In all cases, copyright of each poem published in this anthology remains with the author.

The collection is to be edited by Eileen Jones and Peter Mortimer.

For poems that have been previously published, please include details. Please don't include 'biog' or 'cv' details at this stage.

When submitting by Email (preferred method) either click on the link below or copy and paste the email address.
ironpress@xlnmail.com

No entry form required but be sure to include the following information in the email:

- Subject: **Trees anthology**
- Poet's name and address
- Phone number
- List of titles
- Number of poems (maximum 4)
- Ensure poet's name and email/phone number (both if possible) appear at the foot of each poem.

Please include poems as an attachment using one of the following document types: .doc, .docx, .pdf, .rtf

Submission by Post:

(Please Note: No Special Delivery, Recorded Delivery or Registered Post.)

Send to:
IRON Press Trees Anthology
5 Marden Terrace
Cullercoats
North Shields
NE30 4PD

Include the following details on a separate page:

- Poet's name and address
- Phone number
- List of titles
- Number of poems

Submit **two copies** of each poem on separate sheets ensuring poet's name and phone number appear at the foot of each poem.

Include a small stamped self-addressed envelope marked '**outcome**' so that we can let you know whether or not we wish to include your poem in the book. We are unable to return submissions.

Timeline

All submissions now to be received by the new deadline, **30th April 2019**

Acknowledgement:

Email submissions will be acknowledged within 14 days of receipt; postal submissions, if the poet wishes, can include a stamped, self-addressed postcard marked "**Trees Acknowledgement**" (separate from and in addition to the Outcome SAE) which we will post as soon as possible after receipt.

Decisions:

Decisions on the poems will be emailed and mailed during the summer, **2019**). A list of selected poems and their authors will be published on the IRON Press website shortly afterwards.

We regret no other correspondence can be entered into before the selection is finalised. Please check the IRON Press website (www.ironpress.co.uk) and Facebook page for further details and updates.

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