

Entries open 5pm 12 June 2021. Entries close 5pm 30 September 2021. Results announced mid November, 2021. All entries must be emailed to nethunderboltprize@gmail.com. **All entries must be received by 5pm AEST on the Thursday 30 September. No hardcopy submissions will be accepted.**

Name of Entrant: _____

Postal Address: _____

State: _____ Postcode: _____ Email: _____

Telephone (H): _____ (Mobile): _____

Resident of New England (to be eligible for \$250 NE Award) Yes No
 Unpublished writer *(to be eligible for \$250 Emerging Authors Award, see condition 3 below) Yes If No
 Youth (under 18) please state age here:

Title of Entry: _____

Fiction Non-Fiction Poetry

Length: _____

\$10 (adult) or \$5 (Youth) Entry fee submitted as:

Money Order Cheque (payable to New England Writers' Centre)

Trybooking (www.trybooking.com/BRZOU) Date of payment or receipt number:

Direct Deposit : Deposit directly into our account: New England Writers' Centre, BSB: 932000
 Account No: 618658. Please make sure you include your name and NET prize as reference when you make an online deposit.

Terms and conditions of entry:

1. Entry is open to all Australian residents.
2. All entries submitted must be unpublished commercially* whether in print or online, must not be on offer to any outlet or have won a prize or be currently entered in any other competition, and must be wholly the original work of the entrant. It is however permitted for work to have been published non-commercially on a blog or website.
3. A completed entry form and entry fee must be submitted with each entry.
4. As judging will be carried out anonymously, the author's name or other identifiers should not appear anywhere on the work itself. The title on the work must be identical to the title on the entry form.
5. Entries must be emailed and received by 5pm (AEST) on 30 September 2021.
6. No hard copy submissions will be accepted.
7. Receipt of entries will be acknowledged by email. This will serve as an official receipt of the entry fee. No other receipt will be issued. Entry fees are non-refundable.
8. Entry instructions including word and line limits and details of prizes form part of these terms and conditions.
9. Winning entries will also be published on the NEWC website. All copyright remains with authors.
10. Four judges will be appointed. The decisions of the judges will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.
11. Winners will be notified mid November, and results announced on the NEWC website at the end of November.

**An unpublished writer means not having had any of your work previously published in traditional form in a commercially produced book or anthology, or more than twice in commercial magazines, whether in print form or online. You may have had work self-published or in free online journals.*

I have read the terms and conditions of entry and agree to abide by them:

Entrant's Name: _____ Signature: _____

Date: _____

(If under 18, a parent or guardian or teacher should counter-sign)