

**POETRY SUBMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS**

- Deadline for submissions is **March 16, 2018**
- Limit two (2) poem entries per individual
- **Poems must be typed in Microsoft Word and emailed as an attachment to:**

**nbpoetry@gmail.com**

- Maximum length for each poem is 1 page, using Times New Roman font, size 12, single spaced. Poems that are too long or use more than 80 characters per line (including spaces) may not be included if they cannot fit
- One poem per page with the poem's title at the top of the page and the author's name at the bottom of the page
- Selected poems will be published in the 20th Annual National Poetry Month Celebration Anthology
- All poems remain the property of the author
- Poets do **NOT** need to be residents of a participating library to enter
- One free copy of the anthology will be given to participating poets

Please tear off and complete the attached forms (Poetry Submission Sheet and Poet's Short Biography) and **scan them or return them to a participating library.**

Bernards Township Library  
New Brunswick Free Public Library  
Raritan Public Library

**APRIL 2018  
NATIONAL POETRY MONTH CELEBRATION**

**POETRY SUBMISSION SHEET**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

AGE (if under 18) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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PHONE NUMBER: (        ) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE RECEIVED (FOR STAFF USE):  
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**Poet's Brief Biography:  
To be published in the Anthology**

Please PRINT OR TYPE in under 50 words:  
A brief statement about yourself, including  
how you became interested in writing poetry.

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I, (full name) \_\_\_\_\_,  
give my permission to the Raritan Valley  
Federation of Libraries to publish my poem and  
brief biography in the 20th Annual National  
Poetry Month Celebration Anthology. I also give  
permission for photographs of me created in  
conjunction with it to be posted on the library  
websites or used for library promotions. I release  
the RVF, New Brunswick Public Library and the  
City of New Brunswick from any responsibility for  
loss, damage, or destruction to copies of my  
poems while at the library.

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SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE



Poetry Anthology  
Submission Form

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