2025 GSOC Poetry Webzine Guidelines

Poetry Submission Guidelines

- 1. All work must be original.
- 2. Only one entry per GSOC Girl Scout (Daisy through Ambassador level).
- 3. Entries must be submitted digitally by **Sunday, March 31, 2025 at 11:59pm** to be included in 2025 *GSOC Poetry Zine* using this *Poetry Submission Form*
- 4. Poetry submissions should be in alignment with the values of our <u>Girl Scout Promise & Law</u>. Poems dealing with references to drug use, obscenity, defamatory statements, violence or gang activity, satanic or cult themes, or other offensive or objectionable content will be not accepted.
- 5. Poems must be no larger than one 8½ X 11 page in length including illustration. See sample for ideas.
- 6. Girl Scouts may use any form of poetry, such as <u>Theme Poems</u>, <u>Acrostic Poems</u>, <u>Diamante Poems</u>, <u>Haiku</u>, or other <u>Poetry Types</u>.
- 7. Parent must provide permission for Girl Scout's submission to be published. Publication of Girl Scout's Artist Profile or photo is optional. Artist Profile includes Girl Scout's first name, level, # of years as a Girl Scout and Troop # or Juliette.

Resources

- ReadWriteThink.org
- National Poetry Month
- Helpful Tools: Theme Poems, Acrostic Poems, Diamante Poems, Haiku, other Poetry Types

Note: This is not a contest. There are no fees or judging. All submissions meeting the guidelines will be included in the digital webzine.

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