

**CHOOSE YOUR CATEGORY: Flash Fiction** (up to 500 words) or **General Fiction** (500-2000 words) or **Fan Fiction** (up to 2000 words)

## CHOOSE YOUR AGE CATEGORY:

Grades 7-9 or Grades 10-12

**CASH PRIZES:** First Place \$100, Second Place \$75, Third Place \$50 awarded in each age category, courtesy of the Friends of the Dayton Metro Library

**JUDGING:** Tell us an interesting, unique, scary, sad or funny story. Your story will be judged on creativity, plot and characters - but spelling, grammar and punctuation are important too!

## **CONTEST RULES:**

- One entry per person.
- Entries must be typed and fit within the word limit you select.
- Paper Entries: Drop off your story and completed entry form at any Dayton Metro Library location or mail to:

Steve Moser Dayton Metro Library Teen Services 120 S. Patterson Blvd., Dayton, OH 45402

 Email Entries: Attach as a Word document to an email and send to: smoser@DaytonMetroLibrary.org. Include your name, address, phone number, fiction category, age category and school in the body of the email.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2017.

**QUESTIONS?** Call the Dayton Metro Library at 937.463.BOOK or email smoser@DaytonMetroLibrary.org.

## ENTRY FORM

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Story Title	
Check One:	
Flash Fiction (up to 500 words)	
General Fiction (500-2000 words)	
Fan Fiction (up to 2000 words)	
Age Category:	
Grades 7-9 Grades 10-12	
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Your Name	
Phone No.	
Address	
City Zip	
Email Address	
Your School	
By entering this contest, I authorize the Dayton Metro Library	
to publish my work online and/or in print. I certify that this is	
my own original work.	
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(Signature and Date)	





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