

Social Distancing Writing Contest

Rhonda Roberts is sponsoring a contest to get us inspired to do some writing. Open to any WCCW member, any genre, any subject, criteria is it must be something NEW, written between today and June 1, and it must be exactly 1873 words. Email entries to <u>Kimber.Vernon@gmail.com</u> and she will forward to judge anonymously.

Homework for April was to write an entry for one of the AWC contests listed, and bring it to the next meeting in proper format, ready to be judged. Members were encouraged to actually enter their piece in a contest, and hopefully write more and enter several contests. But if a member didn't want to pay the entry fee for the AWC contests, writing entries is excellent practice, and all were encouraged to do so. Please bring that homework assignment to the next meeting for a read around.

The Creative Writer

is a monthly newsletter for the White County Creative Writers of Searcy, Ark. If you have news stories or photos to share, send them to del.garrett.s0ke@gmail.com. Deadline for reader submission is seven days prior to each month's meeting. WCCW reserves the right to edit all submissions.

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Check out the WCCW website for a list of contests for our conference, September 5, 2020.

Member success: Since the last time we met, Donna Nelson won 3rd place and John McPherson took Honorable Mention in the March Poets Roundtable Monthly Contest. Several members have been writting short stories for AWC Contests.

> Next meeting: May 18, 2020, 6:30 pm Meeting will be held at Shelter Ins parking lot, 1901 W Beebe Capps Expressway. Bring lawn chairs and possibly bug spray. We will follow social distancing recommendations. In case of rain we will move inside.