



COURAGE



ODYSSEY HOUSE
VICTORIA

SHORT STORY COMPETITION: ENTRY FORM

PERSONAL DETAILS

Name: Phone number:
Address: Email address:
Postcode:

ENTRY DETAILS

1. Title of story: Word count:
2. Title of story: Word count:
3. Title of story: Word count:

DECLARATION

I declare the story/stories I have submitted are original and unpublished. I have not copied or plagiarised any part of my work from another author's work. I have read the terms and conditions of entry and accept that the decision of the judges is final.

Signed:

Date:

PAYMENT DETAILS

1 story- \$10

2 stories- \$20

3 stories- \$30

Cheque/Money order (in AUD) enclosed for:

OR, please debit my: Visa MasterCard

Card number: Expiry date /

Cardholder signature:

I would like to be added to Odyssey House Victoria's mailing list

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. All entries must be the original work of the author, previously unpublished in any online or printed publication and have not achieved a place in any other competition.
2. Entries that have been submitted to this competition previously should not be resubmitted.
3. All entries must be fiction, include a reference to alcohol and/or drugs and address the theme "Courage". This theme is open to interpretation. The author does not necessarily have to write about alcohol and/or other drugs.
4. Entry cost is \$10 per short story submission with a maximum of 3 entries per person.
5. Payment must accompany all entries and is non-refundable. Entries submitted without payment will not be accepted. If entering with a physical entry form, cheques or money orders can be made payable to Odyssey House Victoria. All cheques or money orders must be in Australian dollars.
6. The judge reserves the right to not award prize money if none of the entries fulfil all set criteria, and/or do not meet the quality sought by the judging panel.
7. The closing date for entries is Friday 3 November 2017. Winners will be contacted by Odyssey House Victoria and published on the Odyssey House website.
8. Prizes will be awarded for the top three stories. First place prize: \$1,000 plus 12 month membership to Writers Victoria. Second place prize: \$100. Third place prize: \$50.
9. The judges' decision is final. No correspondence will be entered into.
10. Winners ONLY will be notified during December 2017.
11. Copyright will remain with the author but Odyssey House Victoria reserves the right to publish the prize-winning and runner-up stories.

FORMATTING CONDITIONS

12. Maximum length for each entry is 1,500 words. The judges reserve the right to reject work exceeding the word length.
13. All entries must be typed using double spacing, 12 point Arial or Times New Roman font on white A4 paper. Please leave at least 3cm margins.
14. The story's name and page number must be included in the header or footer. Do not include the author's name anywhere on the story, except on the entry form.
15. (Submitting by post) All entries must be submitted in hard copy along with a completed entry form. Please submit 2 copies of your story.

PLEASE SEND YOUR COMPLETED ENTRY TO:

Odyssey House Victoria
660 Bridge Road
Richmond VIC 3121