


# MCNALLY ROBINSON BOOKSELLERS & PRAIRIE FIRE WRITING CONTESTS



## 2024 ANNUAL WRITING CONTESTS

# \$3,750

## IN CASH PRIZES!

1<sup>ST</sup> PRIZE \$1,250

2<sup>ND</sup> PRIZE \$1,250

3<sup>RD</sup> PRIZE \$1,250

### MRB POETRY CONTEST

(up to 3 poems per entry, max. 150 lines total)

**Judge: Bola Opaleke**

### MRB SHORT FICTION CONTEST

(one story per entry, max. 5,000 words)

**Judge: Lauren Carter**

### MRB CREATIVE NON-FICTION CONTEST

(one essay per entry, max. 5,000 words)

**Judge: Jenny Heijun Wills**

### DEADLINE:

**NOV. 30, 2024**

**FEE: \$34** per entry, which includes a one-year subscription to *Prairie Fire*

Winners may receive an invitation to THIN AIR, produced by the Winnipeg International Writers Festival, in-person or virtually (this invitation is dependant on funding).



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