

National Garden Club Poetry Contest 2022-2023 Theme:

Seeds, Trees and Bees... Oh My- Celebrating the Diversity of Nature

Calling all Youth in Kindergarten through 9th grade...

- ◇ Express and explore your creative thoughts through different types of poetry. And embrace your creativity through the art of writing.
- ◇ Be imaginative and join the winners to see your poetry in a printed booklet.

All Entries will be judged at the Regional Garden Club level

Dates for Submission:

Entries must be sent by **November 16th** to Susan Fife at 456 Bull Run Rd Wrightsville PA 17368

Guidelines:

- All entries must be typed and titled
- Include name, address, age, grade, and school of participant on the back of entry.
- All entries become the property of National Garden Clubs, Inc.
- Poems do not have to rhyme.
- Poems may be traditional verse, acrostics, blank verse, cinquains, diamond poems, limerick, or Haiku.
- The theme should not be used as the title to any poetry, but you can include the words **Seeds, Trees, Bees** or **Nature**.
When judging, the title is worth 10 points.
- The entry has to be typed in 10 pt. Font.
- Think about including the words **seeds, trees, bees, and nature** in your poem.

