

LONGWELL GREEN & KINGSWOOD PERFORMING ARTS FESTIVAL

SPEECH & DRAMA CLASSES

Monday 23rd October and Tuesday 24th October

Copies of poems may be obtained from the Secretary. Competitors need not obtain permission to perform Own Choice pieces, as both set and own choice selections are covered by an arrangement with the Authors' Licensing & Collection Society for which entry fees include the cost. This does not apply to Duologue or Group Presentation for which permission must be obtained. Please note that competitors who run over time may be penalized. All verse must be memorized unless otherwise stated. Own choice pieces must be age appropriate and without offensive language.

FEES:

11 Years and under	Solo £5.50	Duologue £7.00
12 Years – 18 years	Solo £6.00	Duologue £8.00
19 Years and over	Solo £6.50	Duologue £8.00
Groups £2.00 per person to a maximum of £16.00		

SET PIECE CLASSES

The SOURCES of the set poems are:

The Puffin Book of Modern Children's Verse	Puffin Books ISBN: 978-0-14-132188-2	Code A
The Works 7	Macmillan ISBN: 978-0-330-44424-8	Code B

SD1 6 Years and under

The Princess Priscilla – by E.V.Rieu {Code A}
or any poem about dragons

The **FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in Class **SD1**.

SD2 7 Years

Nine o'clock bell – by Eleanor Farjeon {Code B}
or any poem about School

The **NATHAN JONES MEMORIAL TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in Class **SD2**.

SD3 8 Years

Daddy Fell into the pond – by Alfred Noyes (Code B)
or any poem about Family

The **MRS ALISON CHIDZOY TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in class **SD3**.

SD4 9 Years

The Cats's Protection League – by Roger McGough (Code B)
or any poem about Pets

SD5 10 Years

Spells = by James Reeves (Code A)
or any poem about Witches or Wizards

The **Hilda Willis Trophy** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in Classes **SD4** and **SD5**.

SD6 11 & 12 years

Something Told the Wild Geese – by Rachel Field {Code A}
or any poem about birds

SD7 13 & 14 Years

The Lake Isle of Innisfree – by W.B. Yeats (Code B)
or any poem about Foreign Travel

The **KEMP BROS TROPHY FOR JUNIOR POETRY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in classes SD6 and SD7.

SD8 15 & 16 Years

Snow in the Suburbs – by Thomas Hardy (Code A)
or any poem about Weather

SD9 17 & 18 Years

The Alice Jean - by Robert Graves (Code A)
or any poem about Sea

The **MADAM WINIFRED LOVE TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in classes **SD8** and **SD9**.

OWN CHOICE POETRY

SD10 9 Years and under *Max. 1.5 mins*

SD11 10 & 11 Years *Max. 1.5 mins*

The **JEAN HOWELL TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in classes **SD10** and **SD11**.

SD12 12 - 15 Years *Max. 1.5 mins*

SD13 16 Years and over *Max. 2.0 mins*

A Trophy will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in classes **SD12** and **SD13**

OWN CHOICE SONNET

SD14 12 - 15 Years *Max. 2 mins*

SD15 16 – 18 Years *Max. 3 mins*

SD16 19 Years and over *Max. 3 mins*

The **MILLENNIUM POETRY CUP** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in classes **SD14- SD16**

OWN CHOICE HUMOROUS POEM

SD17 11 years and under *Max 2 mins*

SD18 12 – 15 years *Max 2 mins*

SD19 16 – 18 years *Max 3 mins*

SD20 19 years and over *Max 3 mins*

The **STONE TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in classes **SD17 – SD20**.

OWN CHOICE POETRY DUOLOGUE

SD21 Any age *Max 3 mins*

A Trophy will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in class **SD21**.

PREPARED PROSE READING

SD22 11 Years and under

Any passage from an own choice book. *Max. 3 mins*

SD23 12 - 14 Years

Any passage from an own choice book. *Max. 3 mins*

SD24 15 - 16 Years

Any passage from an own choice book *Max. 3 mins*

SD25 17 Years and over

Any passage from an own choice book *Max. 3 mins*

The **PAT ELLIS MEMORAIL TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in classes **SD22 – SD25**.

PROSE FROM MEMORY

SD26 12 Years and under

Own Choice *Max. 3 mins*

SD27 13 - 18 years

Own Choice *Max. 3 mins*

SD28 19 years and over

Own Choice *Max. 3 mins*

The **FOSTER CUP** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in classes **SD26 - SD28**.

SOLO ACTING

Title of scene to be submitted with entry. Small hand props may be used. No costume is allowed but appropriate practice clothing is permitted (i.e: long skirts; leotards; tights)

SD31 10 years and under Scene by one person EXCLUDING Shakespeare *Max. 4 mins*

The **SANDRA MCDOWELL TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in Class **SD31**.

SD32 11 - 13 years Scene by one person EXCLUDING Shakespeare *Max. 4 mins*

THE RHIAN VAUGHAN TROPHY will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in class **SD32**.

SD33 14 - 15 years

Scene by one person EXCLUDING Shakespeare *Max. 4 mins*

SD34 16 Years and over

Scene by one person EXCLUDING Shakespeare *Max. 5 mins*

The **STELLA WILSON TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in Classes **SD33** and **SD34**.

SD35 12 years and under

Shakespeare scene by one person *Max. 5 mins*

SD36 13 – 15 years

Shakespeare scene by one person *Max. 5 mins*

SD37 16 – 18 years

Shakespeare scene by one person *Max. 5 mins*

SD38 19 years and over

Shakespeare scene by one person *Max. 5 mins*

The **SHAKESPEARE TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in Classes **SD35 - SD38**.

DUOLOGUE

Title of scene to be submitted with entry. Small hand props may be used. No costume may be worn but appropriate practice clothing is permitted (ie: long skirts, leotards, tights)

SD39 11 Years and under

Own Choice *Max. 5 mins*

The **COLLEGIATE TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitors gaining the highest mark in Class **SD39**.

SD40 12 - 14 Years

Own Choice *Max. 5 mins*

The **JACQUELINE CHIDZOY TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitors gaining the highest mark in Class **SD40**.

SD41 15 - 18 years

Own Choice

Max. 5 mins

The **CAPALDI-MUNKTON TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitors gaining the highest mark in Class **SD41**.

SOLO MIME

No costume or hand props. Table and chair set allowed.

SD42 13 years and under

Own Choice

Max. 3 mins

SD43 14 - 18 years

Own Choice

Max. 3 mins

A **TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in Classes **SD42** and **SD43**

SIGHT READING.

The same passage will be read by each competitor.

Sight Reading Competitors will be given two minutes to prepare a passage chosen by the adjudicator.

SD44 12 years and under**SD45 13 - 15 years****SD46 16 - 18 years**

A **TROPHY** will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in Classes **SD44 – SD46**

GROUP CLASSES

on stage – dimensions 4.3 m long x 2.4 m wide

SD47 Group Drama – Any Age

Minimum 3 performers. Not to exceed 15 minutes. Any scene from any play (including Shakespeare). Fees are per person to a maximum of £16.00.

SD48 Group Speaking – Any Age

Minimum 6 performers. Prose and or Verse. Own choice programme. Not to exceed 10 minutes. Fees are per person to a maximum of £16.00.

SD49 Group Mime – Any Age

Minimum 3 performers. Any style accepted. Not to exceed 7 mins. Fees are per person to a maximum of £16.00.

SD50 Group Theme – Any Age

Minimum 6 performers. Not to exceed 20 minutes. The group will develop a theme using a combination of at least 3 elements of the following: - Verse speaking – Group Speaking – Prose – Drama – Mime – Music. Fees are per person to a maximum of £16.00.

The **ASDA TROPHY** will be awarded to the group gaining the highest mark in Classes **SD47 - SD50**

PROJECT SPEAKING.

Competitors will be required to speak on a subject of their own choice. Visual aids may be used.

SD51 14 years and under

Max. 4 min

SD52 15 - 18 years

Max. 5 mins

A Trophy will be awarded to the Competitor gaining the highest mark in Classes **SD51** and **SD52**.

All Trophies are to be held for one year and returned to Speech and Drama Secretary by 1 October 2024 unless otherwise arranged. Please ensure trophies are clean and in good condition.

Lanyards for medals will be available for purchase at the ticket desk for £1 each.

Members of winning groups may purchase additional medals for £2 each.

These will be available at the ticket desk.