

Snow Poem Competition

“The more it snows (tiddley pom)”



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We're looking for two brand new poems on the theme of snow to feature in our Christmas pamphlet *Ten Poems about Snow*, edited by Carole Bromley. As well as publication, you'll win copies of the pamphlet and a cash prize.

Timeline

Submissions close midnight 3rd June 2019.

Poems

Your poem will ideally fit onto one page (37 lines) but should be no longer than 50 lines. It must be in English, new, unpublished, and not currently submitted elsewhere.

Entries

It's free to enter. Email your poem to snow@candlestickpress.co.uk as a Word document or PDF file with your poem's title and your own name as the file name. Please note: only one poem per entrant.

Prizes

Two winners will be selected for inclusion in our pamphlet. As well as publication, you will receive 20 copies of *Ten Poems about Snow* and a cash prize of £75.

Judges

Entries will be judged by Carole Bromley and the Candlestick Press editorial team (Di Slaney, Kathy Towers and Ella Spencer). No correspondence will be entered into and the judges' decision is final. The winners will be announced in July 2019 via social media.

About Carole Bromley

Carole is a poet and tutor. Her three full collections (*A Guided Tour of the Ice House*, *The Stonegate Devil* and *Blast Off!*) are published by Smith/Doorstop Books. She has won many prizes including the Bridport and her poems have been widely published in magazines such as *Poetry Review*, *Poetry News*, *The Rialto* and *Magma*. She says:

"I'll have an open mind about what type of poem I'm looking for. Remember, though, that your audience could be someone who reads a lot of poetry or someone who is new to it. Your poem can be on any aspect of snow anywhere in the world, urban or rural. Snowmen, snow angels, snowball fights, an exploration of how snow transforms the world... Oh yes, and it needs to be good!"

Good luck! We look forward to reading your entries.