

# 2023 Entry Form

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Story Title:

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Word Count:

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Author's Name:

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Email:

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Address:

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Check One: ☐ City ☐ County  
☐ MD of Greenview

## Entry Category

### Check One

- ☐ Grades 1-3
- ☐ Grades 4-6
- ☐ Grades 7-9
- ☐ Grades 10-12
- ☐ Adult

## PRIZES

### Grades 1 - 3

First Prize	\$150.00
Second Prize	\$125.00
Third Prize	\$100.00

### Grades 4 - 6

First Prize	\$200.00
Second Prize	\$150.00
Third Prize	\$125.00

### Grades 7 - 9

First Prize	\$250.00
Second Prize	\$200.00
Third Prize	\$150.00

### Grades 10 - 12

First Prize	\$300.00
Second Prize	\$250.00
Third Prize	\$200.00

### Adult

First Prize	\$350.00
Second Prize	\$300.00
Third Prize	\$250.00



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Fear can be a funny thing.  
Terrors in the night make  
some of us hide under our  
covers, while others can't help  
but laugh.

For the 35th Annual Collins  
Writing Contest, we invite  
writers of all ages to explore  
the theme of

# Scared Silly

Will yours be a tale that's  
sadistically silly, or one that is  
fantastically fear-inducing?  
Readers beware...

All winners, including  
honourable mentions will  
receive a copy of the  
anthology of the winning  
stories.

## RULES SUMMARY

Authors are responsible for reading  
the full rules and FAQ available at  
[www.gppl.ca](http://www.gppl.ca) and at the Children's  
Information Desk.

1. Authors must live in the City of  
County of Grande Prairie, or the  
MD of Greenview.
2. Entries must be unpublished, 2000  
words or less, and be the work of a  
single author.
3. Entries must be typed and double  
spaced, with a minimum of 12-  
point font.
4. Entries must include a completed  
entry form, stapled to the front of  
the story.
5. The author's name must not  
appear anywhere on the story itself.
6. Entries must be submitted in print  
form - emailed entries will not be  
accepted.
7. Each author must save a copy of  
their story (as .doc, .docx) to submit  
if they are selected as a winner.

**GPPL staff members will notify  
winners by phone, starting Friday,  
April 7, 2023**

## ENTERING CONTEST

Please submit your entry to

Collins Writing Contest  
Grande Prairie Public Library  
101-9839 103 Avenue  
Grande Prairie, AB  
T8V 6M7

### Entry Deadline

Tuesday, February 28, 2023  
8:00 pm

Stories submitted after the  
deadline will not be accepted.

### Questions?

Check our website at  
[www.gppl.ca](http://www.gppl.ca) for full rules and  
FAQ

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