

ART REACH

— *of Mid Michigan*

Creative Writing Award Guidelines

Art Reach of Mid Michigan is currently accepting submissions for the annual creative writing award. This award was established in memory of Jo Stephenson, a professional journalist employed with Central Michigan University until her death in 1991.

This \$300 cash award may be used in any way the recipient feels will be most beneficial in helping to develop his/her writing.

To qualify, each student must:

1. Reside in Isabella or Gratiot County
2. Be a graduating high school senior
3. Submit a short letter of application relating the student's interest in creative writing, future goals upon graduation and other information deemed to be of interest to the review committee. Also included must be the student's full name, address, phone number and name of high school currently attending.
4. Submit one sample of original prose or poetry, not to exceed 250 words, that is typewritten, ready for publication, and signed by a high school counselor or teacher acknowledging the work as original.

Material that has not been previously published and that has been published in some form will be considered equally. Judges decision will be based on originality and creativity, with strong consideration placed on correctness of form.

Send or deliver entries by 5 p.m. on March 30, 2012 to:

Creative Writing Award
Art Reach of Mid Michigan
111 E. Broadway St.
P.O. Box 166
Mt. Pleasant MI 48804-0166

Applicant understands Art Reach of Mid Michigan may use all of the entries received for publication. For additional information on this and other programs, contact the Art Reach Center at 989.773.3689 or visit the web site at www.artreachcenter.org.

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