

Inverawe Native Gardens

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INVERAWE NATURE POETRY COMPETITION 2009 STUDENT WINNERS

Judge: Liz Winfield

Congratulations to the following poets! The organisers would like to thank everyone who participated in the competition. We would like to thank their teachers, too, for making it all possible. A total of 294 poems were entered in the student competition.

Kindergarten to Year Three

First Prize (\$50) – *The Gum Tree* Zack Brewer, Trevallyn Primary

Encouragement Awards (\$25)

Glassy Waters Molly Maidment, Woodbridge School
Nature Sarah Williams, Channel Christian School

Years Four to Six

First Prize (\$50) – *The Forest* Ayla King, Margate Primary

Encouragement Awards (\$25)

A Storm Damien Messmer, Tarremah Steiner School
The Rainforest Krishna Komzak, Tarremah Steiner School

Commended (\$10)

A Day at the Beach Victoria Legg, Calvin Primary School
Snow Ben King, Snug Primary School
Leaves Denbeigh Bogert, Snug Primary School
Hail Maisie Blake-Waller, Snug Primary School
The Tree Connor Greatbatch, Calvin Primary School
Dusk Elsa Tatton, Tarremah Steiner School
Water Cycle Beny Wade, Tarroona Primary School

Years Seven to Nine

First Prize (\$50) – *Dark* Khalilah Hamid, Kingston High School

Encouragement Awards (\$25)

The Storm Maddie Spencer, Kingston High School

Wave Riders Tim Belstead, Kingston High School

Commended (\$10)

Power of Nature Aleisha Andresen-Tuivasa, Kingston High School

Night Time Beatrice Harrison-Day, Tarremah Steiner School

Years Ten to Twelve

First Prize (\$50) – *Evening Reflections* Hayley Friedman, Hobart College

Encouragement Awards (\$25)

Chops Alexandra Gordon, St Michael's Collegiate

Major Mitchell's Cockatoo Tess Pohlner, St Michael's Collegiate

Commended (\$10)

Sacrifice Evelyn McCormack, St Michael's Collegiate