



# THE JOHN MARSDEN PRIZE

FOR YOUNG AUSTRALIAN WRITERS

**SUBMISSION GUIDELINES: Please read carefully**

1. Only one entry may be submitted per writer, per category. Each entry must have its own form.
2. Entries of over 3,000 words are ineligible.
3. All entries must be neatly typed or printed, double-spaced, one side per page.
4. Please **do not include your name** anywhere on your submission; it should appear only on this form
5. Please do not staple or bind your submission.
6. Entries must be posted; emailed submissions will not be accepted.
7. All entries must be received by 5pm Friday 20<sup>th</sup> August 2010; late entries will not be accepted.
8. The judge's decision is final; no correspondence will be entered into.
9. All submissions must include this completed application form – ONE FORM PER ENTRY. Entries without a submission form will not be processed.
10. Entries must not have been previously published.

## ENTRY FORM 18-24s

First place winners of both the Poetry and the Short Story Prize (under 18) receive \$500 each. The first place winner of the Short Story prize (18 – 24) wins \$3,000 and the first place winner of the poetry prize (18 – 24) wins \$1500. First place winners are also published in the December issue of *Voiceworks* while second and third place winners, as well as those with honourable mentions, are published on the Express Media website.

The title of my entry is:

\_\_\_\_\_

Tick the category you're entering – one tick only – **one form per submission**

Short story OR First chapter of a novel	<input type="checkbox"/>
Poetry	<input type="checkbox"/>
Word count: (limit 3000 words)	<input type="text"/>

Where did you hear about the John Marsden Prize?  
*Please specify the publication or internet site*

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I declare that the work I am entering into consideration for the John Marsden Prize is my own original, unpublished work, and I agree to abide by the rules of the competition, and the decision of the judges and Mr John Marsden. I also give permission for my entry to be considered to be published in *Voiceworks* magazine

Signed\_ \_\_\_\_\_

### ENTRANT DETAILS

Name\_ \_\_\_\_\_ date of birth\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Address\_ street\_ \_\_\_\_\_

suburb\_ \_\_\_\_\_ state\_ \_\_\_\_\_ postcode\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Email\_ \_\_\_\_\_ (important! Your monthly member news will be sent by email)

Phone (please circle one) home / work / mobile \_\_\_\_\_

### TAX INVOICE – All rego and membership rates include GST

I am aged 18-24. \$10 entry fee (with free membership included)

For an additional \$20, I would like to subscribe to *Voiceworks*

Paying by\_  Cheque / Money Order to EXPRESS MEDIA  Credit card **TOTAL \$**

Name on card\_  Visa  MasterCard  Bankcard

Card no\_             expiry\_   /

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OR for payments by direct deposit:  
BSB\_ 633-000  
ACCT NO\_ 1254 06405  
ACCT NAME\_ Express Media Inc  
\* print out the receipt and send it with this form

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SEND THIS FORM WITH YOUR PAYMENT TO:

John Marsden 2010 Prize\_Express Media\_176 Little Lonsdale Street\_Melbourne VIC 3000\_ph: 03 9094 7890

