Entry Form for Orange Performance Bush Poetry Competition

Entrants Name:				
Postal	l Address:			
Phone	Number: Email Address:			
1. Nominated Class: (Poets can only entre one class)				
	1. Open Adult Bush Poet			
	2. Novice (Adult) Bush Poet			
	3. Junior Bush Poet (16 years and under)			
	Poems (One poem for class 1, 2 and 3). Poems can be read or recited, although recited poem are favoured in the adult section. Title of Poem			
	Entry Fee			
Junior entry is Free .				
	\$10 Novice \$15 Adult (\$10 if an ABPA Member)			
Pay by direct deposit or bank transfer to: David Stanley (Site Orange Bush Poetry Competition)				
				Newcastle Permanent
	BSB: 650000			
	AC: 520747204 Paid (tick box)			
	Once payment is complete, please email dstanle5@outlook.com to confirm payment.			

4. Conditions of entry

Confirmation of entry fee is to accompany this form and returned to the organiser (David Stanley) for competitors to be eligible.

Entry fee \$15 for adults (discount to \$10 if an ABPA member) \$10 Novices and free for juniors.

Pay by direct deposit or by cash if negotiated with the organiser on the day of competition.

Email or post your entry form to David Stanley at dstanle5@outlook.com or to:

David Stanley at 8 Poate St., Windradyne / Bathurst NSW 2795.

No refunds if disqualified or no show.

The ABPA performance scoring rubric will be used in the competition.

Competitors have an 8-minute time allocation to introduce their poem (preamble) and perform the poem. Points will be deducted for going over time.

Performances is judged on: Preamble / Physical presence / Dramatic appropriateness / memorisation / The poem and its interpretation / Voice and articulation and Entertainment value. Poems should also have an Australian theme or focus.

Entrants declare that they are the sole author of their poem.

Adult entrants are required to perform one poem they have written themselves.

Poems that have won 1st, 2nd or 3rd place in any previous competitions should not be repeated by the same poet in this competition.

Poems can be read in any class, but marks will be deducted in the adult class for poems not memorised (as noted on the score / rubric sheet).

Entry into the Novice class is open to anyone who has <u>not</u> won a previous 1st 2nd or 3rd place in any competition within the past two years.

Content or themes that may be considered offensive, racist or sexist are strongly discouraged. If a poet is unsure about their theme or content they should discuss their concerns with the organiser prior to the competition.

The judge's decisions are final, and discussions will not be entered into. It is anticipated that there will be three judges.

5. Declaration:

0.	I declare that I have read the conditions of entry and agree to abide by them, and can confirm that I meet the specifications relating to my nominated class of entry.		
	Signature of Entrant	Date	
6.	Publicity conditions: hereby give my permission / do not give my permission (cross out one) to the organisers to bublish photographs of me and or poems written by me (cross out either if necessary) for bublication or promotion in publications related to this event, including some forms of social nedia and print media (This is not a condition of entry).		
	Signature of Entrant	// Date	

Phone or email David Stanley if you have any questions about this application or the competition on: 0428894571 or email at dstanle5@outlook.com