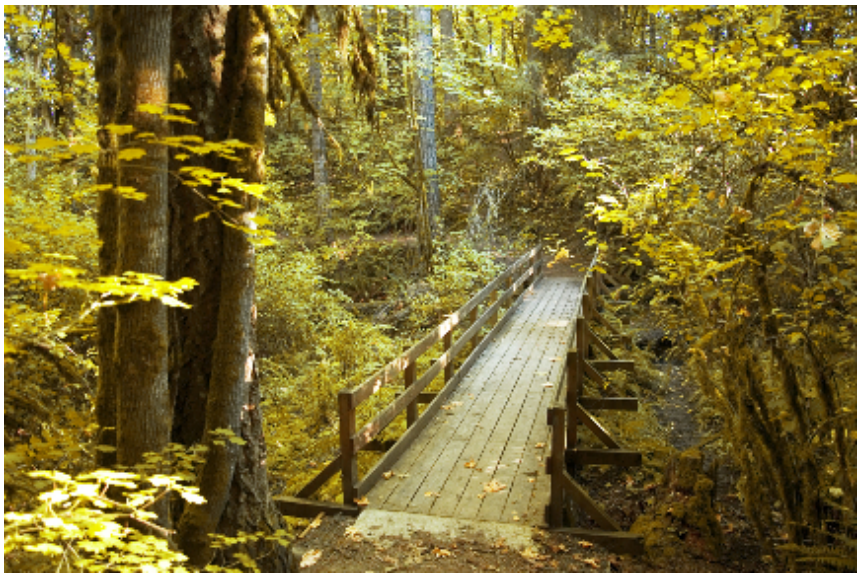

Forrest Trail @ Galen McBee Airport Park

2013 Children's Poetry Contest

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2013 Theme: Life in Oregon

Your poem could be about your favorite Oregon place, your favorite field trip, the best Oregon vacation ever or even your neighborhood!

Contest Divisions:

5 - 6 year olds
7 - 9 year olds
10 - 12 year olds

Prizes for Each Division:

First Place $20.00 Gift Certificate
Second Place $15.00 Gift Certificate
Third Place $10.00 Gift Certificate

Deadline for entries is 5 pm April 20, 2013.

2013 Children's Poetry Contest Rules:

1. Legibly write, print or type a poem on a 8.5 x 11 inch paper using the theme . Do not include pictures or illustrations.

2. All poems must be original works by the participant in either English or Spanish. Plagiarized works will be disqualified.
3. Put your name, address, phone number, school, grade, and teacher on the **back** of your paper.
4. Bring your poem to the McMinnville Public Library Children's Room no later than 5 pm April 20, 2013. Poems can also be emailed to pearsob@ci.mcminnville.or.us.
5. Poems will be judged by the members of the Friends of the McMinnville Public Library based on ideas, content, creativity and originality.
6. If there are no submissions in an age category, no prize will be awarded in that category.

Award Celebration -2:00 pm, Sunday, May 5, 2013 McMinnville Library Carnegie Room.
All contest participants, family and friends are invited to join in the celebration.

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For more information contact the McMinnville Public Library Children's Room, 503-435-5559 or Becky Pearson at becky.pearson@ci.mcminnville.or.us.

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