



**Submissions must be received  
by 5:00 PM on August 21, 2020.**

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Annual Writing Competition for Seniors  
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Annual Writing Competition for Seniors  
Tracy Callahan,  
Oshawa Senior Community Centres  
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Entries will be acknowledged upon receipt. If you do not receive a confirmation email, please follow up with the Oshawa Senior Community Centres.



**McLaughlin Branch**

65 Bagot St. L1H 1N2

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**Northview Branch**

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# Annual Writing Competition for Seniors



**Submit your stories  
June 1 to August 21**

**Winners announced  
at the Tell Tale Tea  
October 1, at 2 pm**

# Get inspired and share your creativity. . .

## General Guidelines

- We are inviting writers to submit a work of fiction or non-fiction that reflects or represents the theme, *Resilience*.
- Writers may enter one original piece not previously submitted or accepted elsewhere for publication.
- Participants 55+ who hold current membership at the Oshawa Public Libraries or the Oshawa Senior Community Centres are eligible to enter. Documentation of membership may be requested.
- Staff members of Oshawa Public Libraries or the Oshawa Senior Community Centres are not eligible to enter.
- Prizes will be awarded at the judges' discretion. The decision of the judges is final.
- Prizes will be awarded at the Tell Tale Tea on October 1, 2020. Location to be determined.
- Winners may be asked to provide an electronic copy of their submission.
- Winning submissions may be published.

## Checklist for Writers

- Entry is 1500 words or less and a word count is on my entry form.
- Entry is double-spaced and typed. (Hand-written entries will not be considered.)
- Pages are clipped together, not stapled.
- Pages are numbered and the title is on the top left corner of every page.
- A cover page with the title, my name, address, telephone number and e-mail address is included. I have not identified myself on any other pages.
- I understand that failure to follow the guidelines and provide complete, legible and accurate information on the entry form will disqualify my submission.

## Registration (please print)

Name:

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Address:

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Telephone Number:

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E-mail Address:

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Title:

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Word Count:

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I am a member of the:

- Oshawa Senior Community Centres  
 Oshawa Public Libraries

Membership #

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