

AWMA WRITING COMPETITION



Entry Form Entries close 31st of May, 2025

NAME:	
TITLE OF ENTRY:	
ADDRESS:	
EMAIL:	
PHONE NUMBER:	
Optional: DOJO AND RANK/BELT	
CATEGORY: Tick appropriate	 OPEN – 16 YEARS AND OLDER (Entry fee = \$10) 10 TO 15 YEARS OLD (Entry fee = \$5) 9 YEARS OLD AND UNDER (Entry Fee = \$5)
	 LOCAL (you, or someone you elect, are able to attend classes with AWMA in either Wodonga or Beechworth)
DECLARATION	I have read the terms and conditions and declare that my submission is my original work.
	Date:/

Submit to: awmacompetition@gmail.com

Payment details: Justin Colbert BSB 083543 Bank Ac 701102771

Include the first four letters of your surname + four letters of your story's title (For example, your surname is Smith and your story is called "Legend of my Dojo" = SMITLEGE)



Harvey Norman









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Terms and Conditions

- 1. Open to all writers.
- 2. Emailed entries only.
- 3. It must be the original work of the entrant. No Al!
- 4. The entry must be unpublished. If it has been published elsewhere (in print or online), or won in another competition, then it is not eligible
- 5. We reserve the right to publish entries.
- 6. Winning entrants may be asked to provide a photo for publication. (This is not compulsory but will be appreciated!)
- 7. Open for entries from February 1st, 2025. The closing date is 12pm, May 31st, 2025 (AEST).
- 8. Write either fiction or non-fiction with a martial arts theme. It could be a story featuring martial arts or you could write an essay about an aspect of training. Or a piece about what martial arts means to you. Whatever you like, as long as martial arts are a central part and you treat it with respect.
- 9. Categories:

A. Open: Aged 16 and Above

Entry Fee: \$10

Maximum words: 1,000

First: \$200 & 2-year digital subscription to Martial Arts Magazine Australia (value \$98) Second: \$100 & 2-year digital subscription to Martial Arts Magazine Australia (value \$98) Third: \$50 & 2-year digital subscription to Martial Arts Magazine Australia (value \$98)

B. 10 to 15 years old

Entry Fee: \$5

Maximum words: 750

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(value \$98)

Second: \$50 & 2-year digital subscription to Martial Arts Magazine Australia (value \$98) Third: \$25 & 2-year digital subscription to Martial Arts Magazine Australia (value \$98)

C. 9 years and under

Entry Fee: \$5

Maximum words: 750

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LOCAL AWARD

One prize across all entrants: 6 x weeks free classes with Albury Wodonga Martial Arts
The winner of this award, or a person that the winner elects, must be able to attend classes in either Wodonga or Beechworth. The same person must attend all classes.



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- 10. Entry fees and prize values are in AUD.
- 11. Proceeds after entry fees and expenses will be donated to Yes Unlimited. Initially, 50% of entry fees will be donated until prizes and expenses are met. Once these costs are covered then 100% of the balance will be donated.
- 12. Payment must be confirmed before the entry is accepted.
- 13. Age is based on your age at date competition closes.
- 14. Entries must be principally written in English (other languages are acceptable when referring to specific techniques etc).
- 15. Entries are to be typed in clear font and double spaced. 11 or 12pt is preferred.
- 16. Ensure the name of your submission and word count are at the top of the document.
- 17. Do NOT include your own name or any other identification details on the submission itself. This is so the entries may be judged anonymously.
- 18. Send your entries as a Microsoft Word document (.doc or docx).
- 19. The judges' decisions are final and no correspondence will be entered into.