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Sanlam Prize for Youth Literature 2017

1. The competition is presented in six categories: Afrikaans, English, Nguni languages, Sotho languages, Tshivenda and Xitsonga.
2. There are two prizes in each category:

Gold prize: R12 000

Silver prize: R 6 000

3. It should be suitable for young readers (between 12 and 18 years). Length: at least 25 000 words.
4. Tafelberg undertakes to publish the winning entries and reserves the first option to publish any of the other entries.
5. While under consideration entries may not be submitted for publication elsewhere until the publishers have confirmed in writing that the manuscript has been turned down for publication.
6. The judges reserve the right to withhold one or more of the prizes should the quality of the entries not be up to standard.
7. The competition is open only to citizens of South Africa, Namibia, Botswana, Lesotho and Swaziland.
8. Entries should be typed or printed out on A4 paper or submitted by email to the address under (15) below. In both cases, documents should be set up with

Rules:

broad margins and with pages clearly numbered. Do not bind. 9. As entries are judged anonymously, writers are requested to ensure that their names appear only on the title page of the entry and nowhere else.

10. Each entry must be accompanied by a signed entry form or a copy thereof.
11. Entries may not be submitted under a pseudonym. Writers may enter as co-authors.
12. Entrants are requested to keep copies of their entries. The organisers cannot accept final responsibility should an entry go astray, nor return printed manuscripts which have been turned down.
13. The judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
14. Closing date: 7 October 2016.

15. Enquiries: Earl Basson, PO Box 879, Cape Town 8000

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LANGUAGE OF ENTRY:

WORD COUNT (EXTENT) OF ENTRY:

WHERE DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS COMPETITION?

I hereby declare that I am a citizen of (encircle as applicable) South Africa / Namibia / Botswana / Lesotho / Swaziland and that my entry is my own, original work and has not been published before.

I agree to abide by the rules as set out above.

SIGNATURE:

Please submit with entry to: The Organiser, Sanlam Prize for Youth Literature 2017, PO Box 879, Cape Town 8000/Earl.Basson@nb.co.za