

Opportunity Knocks #37

The school year is winding down and that means, you've most likely accumulated a great many pieces that beg to see the light. Why not dig through your treasure, polish up what you find, and send it off into the void where they might be appreciated?

Go on. Opportunity's knocking.

Open Submissions

HOUND

Their Angle: more experimental, hybrid work; also looking for "cover art" and interviews with great writers or literary community organizers.

What They Publish: Poetry, fiction, nonfiction, and cross-genre

Link: www.houndlit.com

Blue Heron Review

Their Angle: Specializes in mystical and spiritual verse; poets who offer a positive message about living fully and engaging with the world through beauty

What They Publish: Poetry

Link: www.blueheronreview.com

Rhino Poetry Magazine

Their Angle: Value work that is well-crafted, reflects passion, originality, engagement with contemporary culture, and a love affair with language.

What They Publish: Poetry

Link: www.rhinopoetry.org

Monkey Star Press: Mom-lit Anthology

Their Angle: Seeking work for two anthologies; *My Mom Body: Reflections on body image and motherhood* as well as *Reflections on Raising a Child with Special Needs*.

What They Publish: Essay, creative nonfiction, flash memoir, poetry, lists, stories of 700-2000 words

Link: www.monkeystarpressbooks.com/call-for-submissions

Two Cities Review

Their Angle: High-quality work that bridges the gap between forms, genres, or realities

What They Publish: Fiction, creative nonfiction, poetry up to 3000 words

Link: www.twocitiesreview.com/submit

Contests

Anhinga Press Robert Dana Poetry Award

Their Angle: Seeking full-length manuscripts in poetry; 48-90 pages; \$28 fee

Prize: \$2000

Deadline: May 15, 2015

Link: www.anhingapress.org

2015 David Nathan Meyerson Prize for Fiction

Their Angle: Seek emerging writers who have not yet experienced publication of a book of fiction, either a novel or collection of stories.

Prize: \$1000 & publication in the *Southwest Review*

Deadline: May 1, 2015

Link: www.smu.edu/southwestreview

Slate Roof Press Third Annual Poetry Chapbook Contest

Their Angle: “We produce beautiful books with letterpress covers crafted by an award-winning printer. Send us 28 pages of your well-crafted, quality poetry.”

Prize: Winner becomes an active member of the press, with a 3-year work commitment including monthly meetings in Greenfield, MA, gaining valuable experience in many areas of publishing.

Deadline: May 15, 2015

Link: www.slateroofpress.com

The Personal Aftermath of War

Their Angle: “Seeking stories for an important anthology that will help us comprehend the powerful, often invisible events that shape the hours, days, nights, weeks, months, and years after coming home. Open to all affected by the Iraq and Afghanistan conflicts (veterans, families, children, friends).”

Prize: \$200 + Publication

Deadline: May 1, 2015

Link: www.hudsonwhitman.com

The Conium Review Innovative Short Fiction Contest

Their Angle: Seeking innovative short fiction.

Prize: \$500, publication in next print edition, five copies of the issue, and a copy of the judge’s latest book

Deadline: May 1, 2015

Link: www.coniumreview.com/contests/