

a poem and a pint

A Poem and A Pint Poetry Competition 2018

Closing date: 16 July 2018

We're delighted to announce the first
A Poem and A Pint Poetry Competition.

Please enter to support our programme, which brings fine poets to South Lakeland.



The competition will be judged by Clare Shaw, who has had two collections published by Bloodaxe, *Straight Ahead* (2006), shortlisted for the Glen Dimplex New Writers' Award for Poetry, and *Head On* (2012). Her third collection, *Frig*, is due from Bloodaxe in 2018.

Clare Shaw will award prizes at the A Poem and A Pint event on Saturday 29 September 2018, when winning and commended poems will be read out. Winners will be contacted by September 10.

PRIZES

First prize: £150

Second prize: £100

Third prize: £50

Young poet's prize (for poets aged 14-21): £25

In addition prize-winners will be offered a ten-minute reading at the September event.