

East Gippsland Art Gallery
presents (17th year)



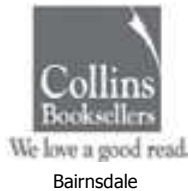
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The Hill of Content Bookshop
2010 Hal Porter
Short Story Competition



Submission Guidelines & Conditions of Entry

1. Australian story, written in must be original and not previously accepted for publication. Story is accepted or returned. Short-



writers are invited to enter a short story in any style for the **first prize of \$1000**. Manuscripts must be in English, and must not have been previously published, which includes websites. Any style of writing is acceptable. No entry form is necessary. Stories will not be listed. Writers will receive UQP publications.

2. Entries must be typed, double-spaced, and on one piece of paper only. They must not exceed 2,500 words and the story, not the author's name, is to appear on the first page to ensure anonymity, your name, address and contact details should be on another page, accompanying the entry. Entry is on the basis that the short story is your own original work.



side of A4 sized paper. Only the title of manuscript. In the title of the

3. The winner will receive



judges' decision will be final and no correspondence will be entered into. The judges are responsible to the **Gippsland Art Gallery**, the auspicing body. The winner and shortlisted writers will be notified. If you wish to receive notification of the winners, send a stamped, self-addressed envelope (SSAE) with your entry.

4. Each entry must be accompanied by a \$6 administration fee which will be used to pay for judging and assist with advertising and postage costs. Make cheques and money orders out to **East Gippsland Art Gallery**.

5. The judges reserve the right to should the quality of entries be not high enough.



right not to award the prize. Entries be deemed not high

6. The winning entry will be published on the East Gippsland Art Gallery website. **Entries postmarked on or prior to December 17, 2010 will be accepted.** Mail entries and entry fees to **Hal Porter Short Story Competition, East Gippsland Art Gallery, 2 Nicholson St, Bairnsdale, Victoria, 3875.**



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