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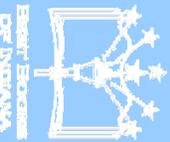


2010 Best Books of Indiana
Call for Entries

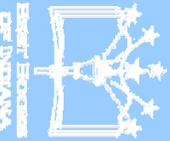
Best Books of Indiana Contest

Entry Form & Guidelines

2010



Best Books of Indiana Contest



for books published January 1, 2009—December 31, 2009

ELIGIBILITY

- Any individual, organization, or publisher may enter in any appropriate category.
- Books considered for this award must have an Indiana theme, or the author must live or have lived in Indiana.
- Books must have an ISBN and have been originally published between January 1 and December 31, 2009.

JUDGING

A panel of three judges in each category will consider all entries and will grant awards at their discretion. Entries are judged on the quality of writing, with organization and interpretation also considered.

DEADLINES

- Entries must be postmarked or delivered in person by **Wednesday, March 31, 2010**.
- Finalists will be notified on or after June 30, 2010.
- Winners will be announced at an awards ceremony in August 2010.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- No entry fee is required.
- Entrants are responsible for all shipping costs - materials sent C.O.D. will be refused.
- The judges have the right to change the category of an entry.

2010 ENTRY FORM

One completed entry form must be provided to the Indiana Center for the Book for each title entered. Each entry form must be accompanied by six (6) non-returnable copies of the book. Photocopies of this form are acceptable. For questions or comments, please e-mail agriffis@library.IN.gov or call (317) 650-6158.

Please send entry forms and books to: **Indiana Center for the Book, 140 North Senate Avenue, Indianapolis, IN 46204**

Category (circle only one of the five categories):

Fiction * Nonfiction—Historical/Biographical * Nonfiction—Creative/Instructional * Poetry * Children/Young Adult

Title of Entry: _____

This entry is eligible for consideration because of the following connection to Indiana:

Date of Publication: _____ **Number of Pages:** _____

Author's Contact Info:

Publisher's Contact Info:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Fax: _____

Email: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

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By entering this competition, we give the Indiana Center for the Book permission to use the book cover, excerpts from the text, and publicity notices for the entered book in any promotion of the Best Books of Indiana Contest.

Author's Signature: _____ **Date:** ____/____/____

Publisher's Signature: _____ **Date:** ____/____/____

Only one signature (author or publisher) is required.