

19th Annual Cowboy Festival Youth Poetry Roundup

The City of Santa Clarita encourages all buckaroos and buckarettes to enter an original poem in the **2012 Youth Poetry Roundup Contest!** Winners will recite their poetry at **Chick-fil-A Cowboy Family Night** and at the **Santa Clarita Cowboy Festival!**

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The Writing

Students are encouraged to write about the life of the cowboy and cowgirl, the settlement of the West, life on the open range, or cowgirls and cowboys of the future.

- Poetry should rhyme or be in rhymed couplets.
- Poetry should tell a story in the historic oral narrative tradition.

The Rules

- One poem per student submitted with accompanying entry form.
- Poems must be one page **only**, legibly printed or typed, and double-spaced.
- Categories for City of Santa Clarita student submissions are:

Grades 1 - 3 Grades 4 - 6 Grades 7 - 9 Grades 10 - 12

- Postmark deadline in April 4, 2012.
- All 1st through 3rd place winners will be invited to recite their poetry at the Chick-fil-A Cowboy Family Night, and onstage at the Santa Clarita Cowboy Festival on Sunday, April 29, 2012.
- Entries become property of the City of Santa Clarita.

The Winners' Loot

All trophies will be awarded for each of the four categories at the 18th Annual Santa Clarita Cowboy Festival.

1st Prize
10 general admission tickets
1st Place Trophy

2nd Prize
8 general admission tickets
2nd Place Trophy

3rd Prize
6 general admission tickets
3rd Place Trophy



Please attach this form to your entry.
Contest deadline is in April 4, 2012.

For more information, please call
(661) 250-3785.

Send your entry and this form to:
Youth Poetry Roundup
c/o Santa Clarita Cowboy Festival
20880 Centre Pointe Parkway
Santa Clarita, CA 91350
Attn: Donnamae Avila

19th Annual Cowboy Festival Youth Poetry Roundup Entry Form

Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

School: _____ Grade Level: _____ Age: _____

Teacher's Name: _____

Parent or Teacher's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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