

THE BETTY OLLE POETRY AWARD 2016 - RESULTS

1ST	Max Merckenschlager	Murray Bridge SA.
	"An Outback State of Mind"	
2ND	Shelley Hansen	Maryborough Qld.
	"Accordin' Ter Rose"	
Highly Commended	Brenda Joy	Charters Towers Qld.
	"Our River - Our Land"	
Highly Commended	David Campbell	Aireys Inlet Vic.
	"Shadows"	
Highly Commended	Tom McIlveen	Port Macquarie NSW.
	"Demons and Lambs"	
Highly Commended	Tom McIlveen	Port Macquarie NSW.
	"Bobby"	
Highly Commended	Catherine Lee	Mona Vale NSW.
	"Rainbow Stone"	
Highly Commended	Tony Hammill	Carindale Qld.
	"Walers"	

THE BETTY OLLE JUNIOR POETRY AWARD 2016 - RESULTS

1ST	Greta Sullivan	St. Augustines College Kyabram Vic.
	"The Men of Cooper Creek"	
2ND	Carmen Oxenford	Citipointe Christian College Carindale Qld.
	"Bushfire"	
Highly Commended	Justin Lu	Citipointe Christian College Carindale Qld.
	"Mining on the Goldfields"	

Awards will be presented at a Kyabram Bush Verse Group function on Thursday 13th October at the Kyabram Club. Prizes, trophies and certificates will be sent out after that date. Our group has been overwhelmed by the response from poets right around Australia and is looking forward to conducting this competition again next year.

Regards,

Mick Coventry, Kyabram Bush Verse Group