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More than 200 entries have been submitted to the 1973 Carol and Herbert Fuller Poetry Award contest, sponsored by the two Olympia attorneys and The Evergreen State College as part of the Governor's Festival of the Arts.

Thirty-six poets submitted 173 poems in the senior division (for persons 18 years or older) and 26 poets submitted 53 poems in the junior division. All of the poets are residents of Thurston, Mason or Lewis counties.

Three recognized poets from the Pacific Northwest --- Dale Nelson of Olympia and Margaret Hodge and Kenneth Osborn, both of Seattle --- are judging the entries. Awards will be made on Writers' Day, May 6, beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the Evergreen Library. Bluegrass and folk music will highlight the evening's presentations.

Those poems which the judges feel merit publication may be printed by the college. In addition, Evergreen's campus radio station, KAOS, has set aside air time for reading of the award-winning entries following the May 6 public presentation.

Further details concerning the Fuller Poetry Awards may be obtained from James Holly, Evergreen Library, or Ms. Suzanna Senn, Route 11, Olympia.

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