

HAIKU FEST AWARDS 2007

Welcome: Regina Harris Baiocchi, Founder: Haiku Festival
Opening Song: "God is Mighty," *Kidstuff* CD, **Harris Singers**

1st Prize *Raymond Patterson Award* (\$100):

Fraser Brown, age 14, grade 8, University of Chicago
Laboratory School: "Telephone tightropes..."

2nd Prize *Knitwerks Award* (\$50):

Riley Lyvers, age 9, grade 4, High Point School,
Orland Park, IL: *My Weekend of Joy*

3rd Prize *Erica Ping Award* (\$25):

Jazmin Castillo, age 12, grade 7, Rufino Tamayo,
Chicago: *Parents!*

3rd Prize *Big Brothers & Big Sisters of Chicago Award* (\$25):

Thomas Gariti, age 14, grade 8, UCLS, *Migration*

Adele Legere Founder's Award (\$20):

Stephanie Munoz, age 12, grade 7, Richard Henry
Lee School, Chicago: "You haunt all my thoughts..."

Honorable Mention Awards:

Kevin Camacho, age 12, grade 7, Lee School, *Snakes*
Luis Colindres, age 12, grade 7, St. Benedict, *A Man at War*
Jack Burns, age 14, grade 8, UCLS, *A Rude Awakening*
Mallory Gonzales, age 10, grade 5, St. Benedict, *Milk*
Megan Nash, age 12, grade 7, UC Lab, "Melting sensation..."
Sydney Torres, age 10, grade 5, St. Benedict, *Sunset*

On Second Thought Commendations:

Aaron, Diamond, age 12, grade 6, CICS Basil, *Double Dutch*
Cabrera, Melanie, age 11, grade 5, Coonley, *Precious Earth*
Cano, Angelica, grade 8, CICS Belden, *Abuse*
Diaz, Omar, grade 8, CICS Belden, *Armageddon*
Brienne Ellis, "Dante's inferno..." UC Lab, grade 8

On 2nd Thought Commendations (cont'd):

Ashley Escobedo, age 14, grade 8, James McPherson, *Soccer*
Erica Fletcher, age 11, DeWitt Clinton, "Sad spider so gentle..."
Alex Girav, age 11, grade 6, St. Benedict, *Tears and Sunshine*
Julian Greer, grade 2, Francis Xavier Warde, "On the city streets..."
Benjamin Junious, *Black*, McPherson, age 14, grade 8
Marissa Macias, age 10, grade 5, Coonley, *Soft Pain*
Crystal Maciel, grade 8, UC Lab, "Trembling in the cold..."
Liam Mieles, age 13, grade 8, UC Lab, "Fresh snow..."
Nicholas Msall, grade 8, UC Lab, "Blanks are missing space..."
Sam Neal, grade 8, University of Chicago Lab School, *Sunset*
Milton Ollie, age 9, grade 4, CICS Basil, *Liars*
Ahmed Syed, age 11, grade 5, Clinton, "The big lonesome tree..."
Joe Szczech, *People*, St. Benedict, age 13, grade 7

Closing Song: "The Rabbit Song," *Kidstuff* CD,

Harris Singers: **Camille Harris, Cara Harris, and Cecil Harris**

Closing Remarks, Acknowledgments: Regina Baiocchi

• Dessert Reception • Book Signing • *Kidstuff* CD Premiere •

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