

# 2008 Literary Contest

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The Association of Research on Mothering is pleased to announce the results of the 2008 literary contest on the theme of Mothers and Daughters. All judging was blind; identification of authors was not disclosed to judges:

## Creative Non-Fiction

*Judge: Rachel Rose*

- 1st Prize – “Knee Deep in the Mother of God,” by Rebecca Goodrich
- 2nd Prize – “Stories in the Wind,” by Beverley Brenna
- 3rd Prize – “A Letter to My Daughter (To Be Sent in the Future),”  
by Yelizaveta P. Renfro

## Poetry

*Judges: Fiona Tinwei-Lam and Rishma Dunlop*

- 1st Prize – “Piannismo,” by K.V Skene
- 2nd Prize – “Blade,” by Leslie Vryenhoek
- 3rd Prize – “Just Beyond Call if You Need Me,” by Leslie Vryenhoek

## Honorable Mentions

- “First Birds,” by Laurie Kruk
- “Learning the Words,” by Lorri Neilsen Glenn
- “Sangan River Meditations,” by Susan Musgrave

*Congratulations to all contest winners and honourable mentions.*

Thank you to all who participated in the contest.

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