



**The North Carolina Poetry Society** serves its membership by offering opportunities to study the craft of writing poetry; to participate in contests and competitions; and to enjoy a meaningful connection with poets throughout our state.

## MENTORSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS, COLLABORATIONS

- **Gilbert Chappell Distinguished Poet Series**, in which distinguished poets mentor selected student and adult poets
- **Susan Laughter Meyers Poetry Fellowship**, a one-week residency at Weymouth Center, with stipend, for a North or South Carolina poet
- **Collaborations** with many literary organizations, events, independent bookstores, and publishers across the state, including North Carolina Writers' Network, Poetry Out Loud, Winston-Salem Writers, Nazim Hikmet Poetry Festival

## VISIT

Visit [ncpoetrysociety.org](http://ncpoetrysociety.org) for more information and instructions on becoming a member.

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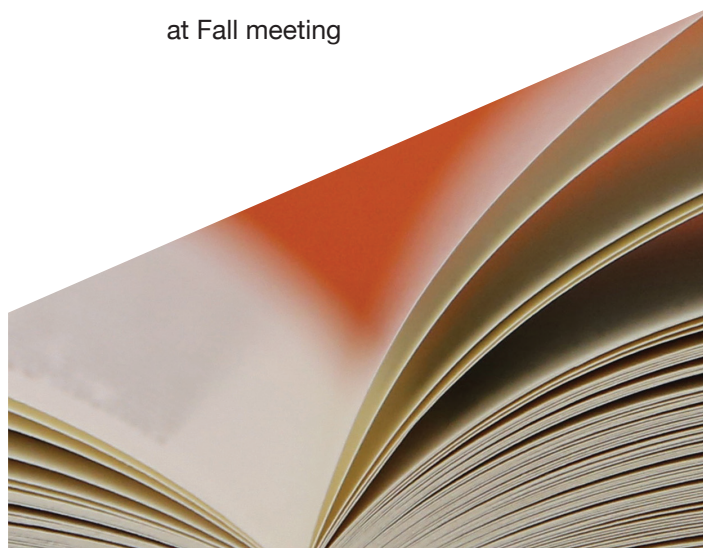


## PROGRAMS

- **Meetings** four times yearly at Weymouth Center for the Arts and Humanities in Southern Pines, North Carolina: readings, workshops, award presentations
- **Workshops** across the state offering poets instruction and camaraderie
- **Sponsorship** of readings, conferences, festivals, in collaboration with other organizations

## ANNUAL CONTESTS AND AWARDS

- **Adult and Student Contests;** presentation of awards and reading of winning poems at May meeting at Weymouth
- **Brockman-Campbell Book Award,** recognizing the best book published by a North Carolina poet
- **Lena M. Shull Book Award,** selecting for publication the best full-length unpublished poetry manuscript by a poet living in North Carolina
- **Randall Jarrell Poetry Contest,** sponsored by The North Carolina Writers' Network; reading by winners at Fall meeting



## PUBLICATIONS

- ***Pinesong***, annual anthology of the NCPS's contest winners
- ***eMuse***, monthly electronic newsletter with announcements and news of upcoming events
- ***Pine Whispers***, newsletter published three times yearly and mailed to members
- **[ncpoetrysociety.org](http://ncpoetrysociety.org)**, with ample information and links to contest and competition guidelines, programs, instructions on becoming a member and benefits of membership