



Announcement of Literary Competition

“A fable for Fabullo”

1st Edition

The website www.fabullo.it in collaboration with the *Orio Canavese Municipal Library* and the *“Il Farfalibro” Cultural Centre*, announces the first Literary Competition entitled *“A fable for Fabullo”*. The aim of this competition is to use the funds collected from the adhesions, after the deduction of expenses sustained for the oxygen therapy and physiotherapy that Fabio needs in Florida.

Regulations:

1. The competition *“A fable for Fabullo”* is open to all Italian and foreign citizens.
2. The competition is set out in the following sections:
 - Adult section:**
 - a) A free themed fable for children.
 - b) A poem or nursery rhyme for children.
 - Infant and Primary school section:**
 - a) A themed drawing: *“A travelling companion for Fabullo”*.
 - c) A free themed fable for children.
 - d) A poem or nursery rhyme for children.
 - Secondary and High school section:**
 - e) A free themed fable for children.
 - f) A poem or nursery rhyme for children.
3. The fable must not be longer than 5 (five) pages (each page of 30 lines and each line of 70 characters including spaces). The poems and nursery rhymes must not be longer than 50 lines.

4. Works written in a foreign language will be accepted on condition that they are accompanied by a translation in Italian. The version in Italian will be evaluated for the competition.
5. The participation implies the payment of a minimum fee of 20,00 (twenty) euros for each section to be deposited by bank transfer into one of the following accounts:
 - Banca Sella Caluso branch IBAN: IT24T03268 30210053191139670
 - Banco Posta IBAN: IT19Z0760101000000088385455

For the scholastic section one payment can be made for each class.

As object of payment please indicate: *Participation fee for "A fable for Fabullo" – along with the name of the author, the class and the school.*
Copy of the fee must be included with the work.

6. Only unpublished works will be accepted and prize winning works will be accepted on condition that they are unpublished.
7. Only works belonging to the author will be accepted.
8. The works must be submitted by and not later than **10 June 2008** for the Scholastic sections, by and not later than **20 June 2008** for the adult section. The date on the post office stamp will be valid. Two or three copies of the work must be submitted, but only one of these should be complete with the personal details of the author (name, surname, address, telephone number, date of birth, E-mail address). A digital copy (Microsoft word or compatible form) on a CD or floppy disk must also be submitted. For the scholastic section the name and surname of one parent must be indicated. In the case of class participation the name of the teacher, the name of the school, the title of the class and a telephone contact number must be given.
9. A signed declaration must be enclosed with the work, (signed by a parent if the author is underage), stating:
 - to have read all the regulations of the competition "*A fable for Fabullo*" and to accept them and abide by them;
 - to be the author of the work;
 - that the work is unpublished;
 - to authorize publication of the work without pretending copyright royalties.
 - to authorize handing of personal details, according to DL. 196/03.
The data of the author will be used only for the ends of the competition and will not be divulged to third parties.
 - The Orio Canavese Municipal Library is responsible for handling all data.
10. The works will not be returned.
11. The jury will examine all works in anonymity. The decision of the jury is final and inappellabile.
12. The jury will choose the works they consider best and these will be published in a printed collection. The proceeds for the sale of the book, will be totally devolved to the

project www.fabullo.it. (It is possible to reserve a copy as from now , at the Orio C.se Municipal Library or clicking on concorso@fabullo.it).

13. Only first prizes will be awarded in each section. The jury reserves right to institute special prizes and to make recommendations.
14. The date and the location of the prizegiving ceremony (presumably in the month of September) will be published on the website www.fabullo.it and all participants will be informed exclusively by E-mail and website. All participants are herewith invited to assist at the prizegiving.
15. Participation in the competition implies the unconditioned acceptance of the aforementioned regulations.

Please send all works to:

Concorso “A fable for Fabullo”
Biblioteca civica Orio C.se
Piazza Tapparo, 1
10010 Orio C.se (TO)
Italia

For further information inherent to the competition:

concorso@fabullo.it

338-4274477 Monday and Wednesday from 12.00 to 14.00 p.m.
(replies will not be given to text messages).