

CSUF CREATIVE WRITING CLUB PRESENTS

The First Annual

[DASH-OFF]

A Flash Fiction and Poetry Contest

Guidelines

- Submit your email and \$10 entrance fee to the English Dept (UH 323) c/o The Creative Writing Club by March 9th
- At 12:01 am on Saturday, March 10th, the email will be sent out including the *secret ingredients* that all participants must include in their stories
- Submit your flash fiction or poetry before 11:59 pm Sunday, March 11th.
- Submissions will be blinded (no names) and judged.
- Winners will be announced in the following weeks.
- All entrants will receive feedback as well!

This contest emphasizes quick-thinking (and writing!) to make us laugh, cry, or, you know, feel *something*. Participants will be given a 48 hour window in which to compose a story of no more than 250 words or a poem consisting of no more than 12 lines. Participants will all be required to include the *secret ingredients* that will be noted in the email marking the beginning of the contest window.

IT'S LIKE *IRON CHEF* WITH WORDS.

Participants will have a chance not only to win a cash prize of \$100, but also to see their work published in the *Dash Literary Journal*!

What are you waiting for? Drop off \$10 in an envelope with your name and email written on it to UH 323 so we can include you in our email list of participants (an email prior to the contest will be sent out to ensure you receive the contest guidelines promptly). All participants will receive feedback on their work.



Why dost thou not send questions to dashoffcontest@gmail.com !!?