

FREEFALL  
A Literary Magazine  
Submission Guidelines – April 2007  
Manuscripts

First published in 1990 by the Alexandra Writers' Centre Society, FREEFALL magazine is interested in receiving submissions of creative writing and also welcomes illustrations, black and white artwork, and photographs. FREEFALL is published twice a year with submission deadlines of June 30 for October Issue and December 31 for April Issue (Contest issue).

**Prose:** Maximum length 3000 words Pays one copy of the magazine upon publication.

Fiction: short story & novel excerpts

Non-fiction: writing related or general audience topics

Creative Non-fiction

**Query First** for the following areas:

Literary Reviews

Author Interviews or Author Focus

Interviews: Should be with writers or those involved in some aspect of the business of writing or publishing.

**Poetry:** Submit 2-5 poems. Any style. Length of any individual poem should not exceed 6 pages in length. Pays one copy of the magazine upon publication.

**Format for written submissions:**

Before submitting, proof read your work to ensure standard Canadian spelling, grammar, punctuation and paragraphing expectations are met. Intentional variations must serve a specific purpose within the work. All work must be on white bond and typed. Do not use staples. Label each manuscript page with the page number, author's name and title of the submission. Double space prose and single or double space poetry. For interviews, single space the entry and double space between entries. Please do not fold manuscripts. Please send 2 copies of your manuscript.

Upon acceptance, changes from the original submission will not be accepted unless suggested by the editorial committee. If your work is selected, you will be asked to submit an electronic version of your work, email in MS Word or in plain text format.

A cover letter should include your name, address, telephone number, fax number, e-mail address and a biographical paragraph from which we may write author notes.

If you wish the return of your manuscript, include a self addressed stamped envelope (SASE) of the appropriate size. If work need not be returned enclose a regular sized SASE for an acceptance or rejection letter, or specify that you wish to be notified by email. Submissions, which are accepted, will not be returned. Expect your reply about 60 days after each deadline. Allow six (6) months for your magazine copy.

A suggestion: Editors read manuscripts in the month following deadlines, namely, July and January, therefore, you can minimize reply time by submitting nearer to the deadlines e.g. May and November.

**NB:** email submissions **are accepted** provided they are sent in the body of an email to: FreeFallmagazine@yahoo.ca

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