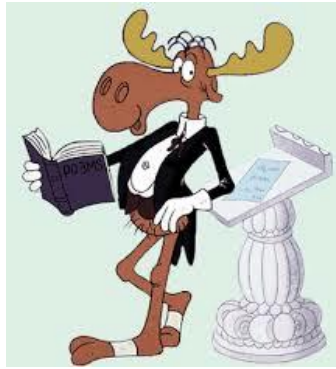


Share your summer on the river!
2023 Haiku & Picture Contest
“Our Local Rivers”



Capture a Haiku moment or an image of a river or tributary in our watershed, share/capture what it means to you, how it looks to you, why you enjoy it, or how it makes you marvel at the world around us.

Rules:

- **Haiku Poems (relating to nature)**
- **3 poem limit per entry, prefer original work, unpublished**
- **Photos, 5x7 copies or jpeg**
- **Poems/pictures need to capture a sense of the local rivers/watershed**
- **A river or tributary in the 4Rivers watershed should be the focus**
- **Paper submissions, send 2 copies: 1 with/1 without name**
- **Electronic copies as a Word doc**

Categories:

- **Youth*: under 18**
 - **Adult***
- (*note your age on submission)**

Contest opens June 1, 2023

Deadline: September 18, 2023

a haiku is

... a brief poem ... (3 lines, 12-15 syllables, a breath long)
... which records an experience ...
... of a moment of revelation ...
... into the nature of the world ...
... in an effort to share it with others ...

(Kacian: How2Haiku)

Winners to be announced in time for our annual summit in early November.

***Submissions may be used by C4RWC on its web site or in a mini book.**

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