

2023 CALL FOR NEW WORKS SUBMISSIONS

Named for Educator, Actress & Encourager, CLARICE GREENBERG, the annual GREENBERG PLAYWRIGHT COMPETITION (GPC) is sponsored and hosted by THE ALLEY THEATRE COMPANY of INDIANA.

SUMMARY: GPC is soliciting one-act plays, suitable for simple, black box, in-the-round, performances by THE ALLEY THEATRE, in the JAKE HOOVER STUDIO THEATRE. Winning plays will be announced **April 6**, **2024**, work-shopped and rehearsed during the summer/fall/winter of 2024/2025, and performed in **APRIL 2025**.

AGE-GROUP CATEGORIES: A winner will be chosen from each category:

1) Middle School/6th - 8th Grade, 2) High School/9th-12th Grade,
3) College Age/18-26 years, 4) Post-College Age Adult 27 +

AWARDS & PERFORMANCES: Each of the 4 winners will receive a cash prize of \$500. THE ALLEY THEATRE will cast the shows, work-shop and rehearse them and present each play on a single performance night.

SUBMISSIONS: Playwrights must reside in the state of Indiana.

Submitted plays, in all categories, must be no more than 15-minutes in length, contain no more than 7 characters, appropriate for audiences of all ages, and perform-able without the need for anything more than simple furniture and set appropriate for in-the-round performances.

Playwrights may submit more than one play.

Playwrights may submit scripts which have also been submitted to other contests. Playwrights who have won a GREENBERG AWARD before are welcome to submit again, any year.

A 3-person jury panel of theatre professionals will peruse all scripts, which will be numbered and anonymous, and choose 1 winner in each of the 4 age groups.

Scripts must be submitted by MARCH 15, 2024 - DIGITAL FILES ONLY, PLEASE

(WORD or PDF attachments, please) - a SEPARATE digital cover sheet must accompany "blind" scripts (with Name, Address, Email Address, Phone Number, Age, Grade in School if Applicable),

PLEASE remove all identification from the script itself - submitted to:

thealleytheatremail@gmail.com

Rights to the plays are retained by the playwrights.

INQUIRIES: Any questions about this competition may be answered by inquiring at the above-mentioned email address OR by leaving a message at THE ALLEY THEATRE MESSAGE phone number: 765-643-0701. All calls regarding the competition will be returned if a name and phone number are left on the message.



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