

SPEECH & DRAMA

Adjudicator: Cally Foster
Venue: Park Community School, Middle Park Way,
 Havant, PO9 4BU.
Dates: 2nd - 4th February 2018

Closing date for entries: 3rd November 2017
Please send entries/titles to: Pat Bamborough
 23 Lovage Road, Whiteley, Fareham, PO15 7NE.

Since her first festival appearance in a festival at the age of five, **Cally Foster** has been committed to the festival movement & has pursued a career as a speech & drama specialist. She was the principle of her Buckinghamshire based drama studio for more than 20 years, combining that role with travelling extensively in the UK, Europe & internationally as an examiner for LAMDA & as an adjudicator. Cally also delivers workshops on all aspects of communication & performance. She is an adjudicator member of the British & International Federation of Festivals & current Chairman of the Society of Teachers of Speech & Drama.

Cally believes that performing in festivals not only encourages an appreciation of the arts but also develops the communication & presentation skills so important in today's world. It should be a positive as well as an enjoyable experience.

PLEASE NOTE:

In addition to the main Rules & Regulations, the following rules now apply to the Speech & Drama section.

1. All music is to be on **audio CD only** & this CD should be made available to the sound engineer upon registration for testing. iPods, MP3 players & cassette tapes are not permitted.
2. If you require a piano etc. this **MUST** be specified on the entry form so that adequate arrangements can be made to provide such. Requests made on the day may be declined.
3. All music will be played via the house PA from the rear of the auditorium/control box to enable better balancing of the sound. The use of "ghetto blasters" at the side of the stage, or anywhere in front of the audience, is permitted but you are strongly advised to use the house PA. The Festival will not take responsibility for poor sound production if you choose to use your own equipment in this way. You may operate the PA yourself if you wish.
4. Costume is not permitted. Costume suggestion in Acting classes is permitted where necessary.
5. Performers above Year 13 are regarded as adults.

All Festivals within the British Federation which have a Speech & Drama section have been requested by the Federation to inform you that if your entry in this section contains any blasphemous words, swearing or obscene language, this must be stated on your entry form, in order to assist with the timetabling of the programme.

Bad language causes distress & embarrassment to many people, so you are asked to choose your entry material with this in mind. In this Festival, entries that include bad language will automatically disqualify themselves from any final concert as this is intended to be family entertainment.

The John Davidson Challenge Trophy will be awarded to the entrant from the Junior Section with the highest aggregate mark from any four solo classes.

The Whymark Trophy will be awarded to the entrant from the Junior Section who, in the opinion of the adjudicator, has achieved a consistently good standard & shows promise, but has not been awarded a first place in a solo class.

The Tenth Anniversary Cup will be awarded to the most outstanding solo performance in the Junior Section (regardless of mark) in the opinion of the adjudicator.

The Clarke-Jervoise Shield will be awarded to the entrant from the Adult Section with the highest aggregate mark from Prose Reading, Sight Reading & Religious Reading.

The Julia Cup will be awarded to the most outstanding performer, in the opinion of the adjudicator, in Class SD G12.

There will be an opportunity for competitors in classes SD123 - SD134 to participate in a Musical Theatre workshop sponsored by Aled Price Productions and led by an industry professional.

NURSERY RHYME

Entrants are to recite from memory one Nursery Rhyme of their own choice.

A copy of the Nursery Rhyme is to be given to the adjudicator's steward.

SD1	Year R	Time limit 2 mins	SD2	Year 1	Time limit 2 mins
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VERSE SPEAKING

Entrants are to recite from memory one poem of their own choice.

A copy of the poem is to be given to the adjudicator's steward.

SD3	Year 2	Time Limit 2 mins	SD10	Year 9	Time Limit 2½ mins
SD4	Year 3	Time Limit 2 mins	SD11	Year 10	Time Limit 3 mins
SD5	Year 4	Time Limit 2 mins	SD12	Year 11	Time Limit 3 mins
SD6	Year 5	Time Limit 2 mins	SD13	Year 12	Time Limit 3 mins
SD7	Year 6	Time Limit 2 mins	SD14	Year 13	Time Limit 3 mins
SD8	Year 7	Time Limit 2½ mins	AD1	Adult	Time Limit 4 mins
SD9	Year 8	Time Limit 2½ mins			

VERSE READING

Entrants are to read one poem of their own choice. A copy of the poem is to be given to the adjudicator's steward.

SD15 Year 2	Time Limit 2 mins	SD22 Year 9	Time Limit 2½ mins
SD16 Year 3	Time Limit 2 mins	SD23 Year 10	Time Limit 3 mins
SD17 Year 4	Time Limit 2 mins	SD24 Year 11	Time Limit 3 mins
SD18 Year 5	Time Limit 2 mins	SD25 Year 12	Time Limit 3 mins
SD19 Year 6	Time Limit 2 mins	SD26 Year 13	Time Limit 3 mins
SD20 Year 7	Time Limit 2½ mins	AD2 Adult	Time Limit 4 mins
SD21 Year 8	Time Limit 2½ mins		

ANY POEM BY THE POET LAUREATE, Carol Ann Duffy

Entrants are to read one poem of their own choice written by the Poet Laureate.

A copy of the poem is to be given to the adjudicator's steward.

SD27 Year 2	Time Limit 2 mins	SD34 Year 9	Time Limit 2½ mins
SD28 Year 3	Time Limit 2 mins	SD35 Year 10	Time Limit 3 mins
SD29 Year 4	Time Limit 2 mins	SD36 Year 11	Time Limit 3 mins
SD30 Year 5	Time Limit 2 mins	SD37 Year 12	Time Limit 3 mins
SD31 Year 6	Time Limit 2 mins	SD38 Year 13	Time Limit 3 mins
SD32 Year 7	Time Limit 2½ mins	AD3 Adult	Time Limit 4 mins
SD33 Year 8	Time Limit 2½ mins		

PREPARED PROSE READING

Entrants are to read an extract of their own choice. A copy of the extract is to be given to the adjudicator's steward.

SD39 Year 2	Time Limit 2 mins	SD46 Year 9	Time Limit 2½ mins
SD40 Year 3	Time Limit 2 mins	SD47 Year 10	Time Limit 3 mins
SD41 Year 4	Time Limit 2 mins	SD48 Year 11	Time Limit 3 mins
SD42 Year 5	Time Limit 2 mins	SD49 Year 12	Time Limit 3 mins
SD43 Year 6	Time Limit 2 mins	SD50 Year 13	Time Limit 3 mins
SD44 Year 7	Time Limit 2½ mins	AD4 Adult	Time Limit 4 mins
SD45 Year 8	Time Limit 2½ mins		

LEARNT PROSE

Entrants are to speak from memory an extract of their own choice.

A copy of the extract is to be given to the adjudicator's steward.

SD51 Year 2	Time Limit 2 mins	SD58 Year 9	Time Limit 2½ mins
SD52 Year 3	Time Limit 2 mins	SD59 Year 10	Time Limit 3 mins
SD53 Year 4	Time Limit 2 mins	SD60 Year 11	Time Limit 3 mins
SD54 Year 5	Time Limit 2 mins	SD61 Year 12	Time Limit 3 mins
SD55 Year 6	Time Limit 2 mins	SD62 Year 13	Time Limit 3 mins
SD56 Year 7	Time Limit 2½ mins	AD5 Adult	Time Limit 4 mins
SD57 Year 8	Time Limit 2½ mins		

RELIGIOUS READING

Entrants are to read an extract from any version of any religious text of their own choice.

A copy of the extract is to be given to the adjudicator's steward.

SD63 Year 2	Time Limit 2 mins	SD70 Year 9	Time Limit 2½ mins
SD64 Year 3	Time Limit 2 mins	SD71 Year 10	Time Limit 3 mins
SD65 Year 4	Time Limit 2 mins	SD72 Year 11	Time Limit 3 mins
SD66 Year 5	Time Limit 2 mins	SD73 Year 12	Time Limit 3 mins
SD67 Year 6	Time Limit 2 mins	SD74 Year 13	Time Limit 3 mins
SD68 Year 7	Time Limit 2½ mins	AD6 Adult	Time Limit 4 mins
SD69 Year 8	Time Limit 2½ mins		

PROSE SIGHT READING

N.B. There is no charge for entering the Sight Reading classes. Adjudicator's choice.

SD75 Year 2	SD79 Year 6	SD83 Year 10	AD7 Adult
SD76 Year 3	SD80 Year 7	SD84 Year 11	
SD77 Year 4	SD81 Year 8	SD85 Year 12	
SD78 Year 5	SD82 Year 9	SD86 Year 13	

CHARACTER STUDY

Own choice portraying one character from any book or play excluding Shakespeare. Spoken from memory. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD87 Year 2	Time Limit 3 mins	SD94 Year 9	Time Limit 4 mins
SD88 Year 3	Time Limit 3 mins	SD95 Year 10	Time Limit 5 mins
SD89 Year 4	Time Limit 3 mins	SD96 Year 11	Time Limit 5 mins
SD90 Year 5	Time Limit 3 mins	SD97 Year 12	Time Limit 5 mins
SD91 Year 6	Time Limit 3 mins	SD98 Year 13	Time Limit 5 mins
SD92 Year 7	Time Limit 4 mins	AD8 Adult	Time Limit 6 mins
SD93 Year 8	Time Limit 4 mins		

SHAKESPEARE CHARACTER STUDY

Own choice portraying one character from any of Shakespeare's plays. Spoken from memory. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD99 Year 2	Time Limit 3 mins	SD106 Year 9	Time Limit 4 mins
SD100 Year 3	Time Limit 3 mins	SD107 Year 10	Time Limit 5 mins
SD101 Year 4	Time Limit 3 mins	SD108 Year 11	Time Limit 5 mins
SD102 Year 5	Time Limit 3 mins	SD109 Year 12	Time Limit 5 mins
SD103 Year 6	Time Limit 3 mins	SD110 Year 13	Time Limit 5 mins
SD104 Year 7	Time Limit 4 mins	AD9 Adult	Time Limit 6 mins
SD105 Year 8	Time Limit 4 mins		

DEvised SOLO

The piece should be transcribed & a copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Spoken from memory. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD111 Year 2	Time Limit 3 mins	SD118 Year 9	Time Limit 4 mins
SD112 Year 3	Time Limit 3 mins	SD119 Year 10	Time Limit 5 mins
SD113 Year 4	Time Limit 3 mins	SD120 Year 11	Time Limit 5 mins
SD114 Year 5	Time Limit 3 mins	SD121 Year 12	Time Limit 5 mins
SD115 Year 6	Time Limit 3 mins	SD122 Year 13	Time Limit 5 mins
SD116 Year 7	Time Limit 4 mins	AD10 Adult	Time Limit 6 mins
SD117 Year 8	Time Limit 4 mins		

CHARACTER STUDY & SONG

Own choice portraying one character from any musical to include acting, singing & movement where appropriate. Performed from memory. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD123 Year 2	Time Limit 5 mins	SD130 Year 9	Time Limit 6 mins
SD124 Year 3	Time Limit 5 mins	SD131 Year 10	Time Limit 8 mins
SD125 Year 4	Time Limit 5 mins	SD132 Year 11	Time Limit 8 mins
SD126 Year 5	Time Limit 5 mins	SD133 Year 12	Time Limit 8 mins
SD127 Year 6	Time Limit 5 mins	SD134 Year 13	Time Limit 8 mins
SD128 Year 7	Time Limit 6 mins	AD11 Adult	Time Limit 8 mins
SD129 Year 8	Time Limit 6 mins		

STORY TELLING

Read or tell a story to a small group of young children or to the audience.

SD135 Year 2	Time Limit 3 mins	SD142 Year 9	Time Limit 4 mins
SD136 Year 3	Time Limit 3 mins	SD143 Year 10	Time Limit 5 mins
SD137 Year 4	Time Limit 3 mins	SD144 Year 11	Time Limit 5 mins
SD138 Year 5	Time Limit 3 mins	SD145 Year 12	Time Limit 5 mins
SD139 Year 6	Time Limit 3 mins	SD146 Year 13	Time Limit 5 mins
SD140 Year 7	Time Limit 4 mins	AD12 Adult	Time Limit 6 mins
SD141 Year 8	Time Limit 4 mins		

FIRST DRAMA FESTIVAL

Own choice of any poem, prose or character study. Poems and prose extracts may be read or recited from memory.

Character studies must be spoken from memory. Pieces presented in this class may not be presented by the same competitor in any other class.

A copy of the work to be performed is to be given to the adjudicator's steward.

SD147 Year R	Time Limit 3 mins	SD154 Year 7	Time Limit 4 mins
SD148 Year 1	Time Limit 3 mins	SD155 Year 8	Time Limit 4 mins
SD149 Year 2	Time Limit 3 mins	SD156 Year 9	Time Limit 4 mins
SD150 Year 3	Time Limit 3 mins	SD157 Year 10	Time Limit 5 mins
SD151 Year 4	Time Limit 3 mins	SD158 Year 11	Time Limit 5 mins
SD152 Year 5	Time Limit 3 mins	SD159 Year 12	Time Limit 5 mins
SD153 Year 6	Time Limit 3 mins	SD160 Year 13	Time Limit 5 mins

POETRY COMPOSITION

Original composition. To be submitted with entry. Writers of the winning entries will be given an opportunity to read their poems at the time of adjudication. (A representative may read the poem if the writer prefers.)

SD161 Year 2	SD165 Year 6	SD169 Year 10	AD13 Adult
SD162 Year 3	SD166 Year 7	SD170 Year 11	
SD163 Year 4	SD167 Year 8	SD171 Year 12	
SD164 Year 5	SD168 Year 9	SD172 Year 13	

DUOLOGUE

Own choice. Two actors portraying two characters from any book or play excluding Shakespeare. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD D1 Years 2 & Under	Time Limit 5 mins	SD D4 Years 7, 8 & 9	Time Limit 8 mins
SD D2 Years 3 & 4	Time Limit 5 mins	SD D5 Years 10 & 11	Time Limit 8 mins
SD D3 Years 5 & 6	Time Limit 5 mins	SD D6 Years 12 & 13	Time Limit 8 mins

SHAKESPEARE DUOLOGUE

Own choice. Two actors portraying two characters from any play by Shakespeare. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD D7 Years 2 & Under	Time Limit 5 mins	SD D10 Years 7, 8 & 9	Time Limit 8 mins
SD D8 Years 3 & 4	Time Limit 5 mins	SD D11 Years 10 & 11	Time Limit 8 mins
SD D9 Years 5 & 6	Time Limit 5 mins	SD D12 Years 12 & 13	Time Limit 8 mins

DEvised DUOLOGUE

Two actors portraying two characters. The piece should be transcribed & a copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD D13 Years 2 & Under	Time Limit 5 mins	SD D16 Years 7, 8 & 9	Time Limit 8 mins
SD D14 Years 3 & 4	Time Limit 5 mins	SD D17 Years 10 & 11	Time Limit 8 mins
SD D15 Years 5 & 6	Time Limit 5 mins	SD D18 Years 12 & 13	Time Limit 8 mins

DUOLOGUE & SONG

Own choice. Two actors portraying two characters from any musical to include acting, singing & movement where appropriate. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD D19 Years 2 & Under	Time Limit 6 mins	SD D22 Years 7, 8 & 9	Time Limit 10 mins
SD D20 Years 3 & 4	Time Limit 6 mins	SD D23 Years 10 & 11	Time Limit 10 mins
SD D21 Years 5 & 6	Time Limit 6 mins	SD D24 Years 12 & 13	Time Limit 10 mins

DUO POEM

Own choice. Spoken from memory by two competitors. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward.

SD D25 Years 2 & Under	Time Limit 3 mins	SD D28 Years 7, 8 & 9	Time Limit 3 mins
SD D26 Years 3 & 4	Time Limit 3 mins	SD D29 Years 10 & 11	Time Limit 4 mins
SD D27 Years 5 & 6	Time Limit 3 mins	SD D30 Years 12 & 13	Time Limit 4 mins

TRIO

Own choice. Three actors portraying three characters from any book or play, **excluding Shakespeare**. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD T1 Years 2 & Under	Time Limit 5 mins	SD T4 Years 7, 8 & 9	Time Limit 8 mins
SD T2 Years 3 & 4	Time Limit 5 mins	SD T5 Years 10 & 11	Time Limit 8 mins
SD T3 Years 5 & 6	Time Limit 5 mins	SD T6 Years 12 & 13	Time Limit 8 mins

SHAKESPEARE TRIO

Own choice. Three actors portraying three characters from any book or play, **excluding Shakespeare**. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD T7 Years 2 & Under	Time Limit 5 mins	SD T10 Years 7, 8 & 9	Time Limit 8 mins
SD T8 Years 3 & 4	Time Limit 5 mins	SD T11 Years 10 & 11	Time Limit 8 mins
SD T9 Years 5 & 6	Time Limit 5 mins	SD T12 Years 12 & 13	Time Limit 8 mins

DEvised TRIO

Three actors portraying three characters. The piece should be transcribed & a copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD T13 Years 2 & Under	Time Limit 5 mins	SD T16 Years 7, 8 & 9	Time Limit 8 mins
SD T14 Years 3 & 4	Time Limit 5 mins	SD T17 Years 10 & 11	Time Limit 8 mins
SD T15 Years 5 & 6	Time Limit 5 mins	SD T18 Years 12 & 13	Time Limit 8 mins

TRIO & SONG

Own choice. Three actors portraying three characters from any musical to include acting, singing & movement where appropriate. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD T19 Years 2 & Under	Time Limit 8 mins	SD T22 Years 7, 8 & 9	Time Limit 12 mins
SD T20 Years 3 & 4	Time Limit 8 mins	SD T23 Years 10 & 11	Time Limit 12 mins
SD T21 Years 5 & 6	Time Limit 8 mins	SD T24 Years 12 & 13	Time Limit 12 mins

ACTED SCENE

Acted Scene from any book or play. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD G1 Key Stage 1	Time Limit 10 mins	SD G3 Key Stages 3 & 4	Time Limit 15 mins
SD G2 Key Stage 2	Time Limit 10 mins	SD G4 Mixed Ages Year 13 & under	Time Limit 15 mins

DEvised SCENE

The piece should be transcribed & a copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD G5 Key Stage 1	Time Limit 10 mins	SD G7 Key Stages 3 & 4	Time Limit 15 mins
SD G6 Key Stage 2	Time Limit 10 mins	SD G8 Mixed Ages Year 13 & under	Time Limit 15 mins

ACTED SCENE & SONG

Acted Scene from any musical to include acting, singing & movement where appropriate. A copy of the script is to be given to the adjudicator's steward. Costume suggestion and essential props only.

SD G9 Key Stage 1	Time Limit 10 mins	SD G11 Key Stages 3 & 4	Time Limit 15 mins
SD G10 Key Stage 2	Time Limit 15 mins	SD G12 Mixed Ages Year 13 & under	Time Limit 20 mins



MGC Choir - *forthcoming concerts*

Autumn & Christmas

Sunday 8th October 2017
3.00 pm - Portsmouth Guildhall
Royal Marines Assn. Concert Band

Sunday 10th December 2017
3.00 pm - Portsmouth Guildhall
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