

JUNIOR POETRY INTERPRETATION BALLOT

Judge Name: _____ Judge: Please do not discuss this ballot with anyone.

Title(s) & Author(s) of Selection(s): _____ **Time:** _____

Let this young competitor know what he or she did well by checking the appropriate boxes. If the competitor needs improvement in that area, consider leaving a comment encouraging him or her to work on it. Please keep in mind that most Juniors cannot read cursive handwriting.

Things you did well:

- You had your introduction memorized.
- I heard you clearly say the name of your poem and the author.
- You seemed to know your poem very well.
- You spoke loudly enough for me to hear you.
- You did not speak too fast or too slowly.
- If your poem(s) had characters, you used different voices for each one.
- You stood up straight and did not move around too much.
- You did a good job looking up at the audience.
- You held your book still when you were not using it.

Comments or Encouragements: