

Notes on the Contributors

ROBERT L. BROWN is an MBA student at Ashland University who picks up most of his Institutional Requirements at OSUM. He loves to write short fiction and has a small collection of about twenty stories and poems. His favorite author is Edgar Allen Poe....NATHAN BURCH is an English major at OSUM and works at the local animal shelter. He likes to call himself a starving artist. On "Keep Driving" he writes, "This piece is about surviving the weight with the uncertainty of reflections."...CHRISTOPHER JOHN ELSASSER is a Political Science major attending college in his home town. Though published as a journalist and poet in high school, this is his first college writing effort. For their support of his writing, he thanks his colleagues on the Editorial Staff of Cornfield Review....FRANKLIN D. MILLER is an Art major attending OSUM. He loves to draw and is a fan of anything nostalgic....SARAH K. SCHULZE is an Environmental Science/Restoration Ecology major. Her goal is to help save endangered species from extinction....MARY BETH SMITH is a student at Marion Technical College who developed a love for poetry and began writing at a young age. She currently teaches dance classes and enjoys seeing Broadway plays and musicals....LAURA SMITH lives in Delaware, Ohio, and attends OSUM when her busy schedule as a wife, mother and registered nurse permits. This is her first publication. She would like to thank her family for their patience during her current obsession with poetry. And a special thanks to Dr. Stuart Lishan for all of the encouragement and assistance with getting the music right....MELISSA SNYDER is a Sophomore at OSUM majoring in Special Education. She writes to express her

convictions....KATHARINE ARMSTRONG STUDER lives in Bucyrus, Ohio. She attends OSU at Marion, where she is working on a Bachelor's Degree in Journalism with a minor in English. She would like to thank Stuart Lishan for his encouragement....Each of the poems provided by LAURA A. TAUSCH hold particular meaning that are very special to her. She finds herself writing about things that draw curiosity or suspense to the reader. Her artwork is simply poetry in something other than words, and through her sketches she has expressed personal poetry within each line....JENNIFER R. THOMPSON is a Sophomore at OSUM. She is interested in Music and Story Writing, but her main passion is the visual arts. She is majoring in Art Education and hopes to teach someday....VAUGHN WASHBURN is a Junior Art major. His work revolves around the idea that everything is relative....CAROLE ZIEGLER is a student at OSUM with interests in travel, gardening, the creative arts, interior design, and decorating. She is a member of MOFAS, a local art club.

Notes on the High School Poetry Contestants

CARMON FOWN is currently a Senior at Elgin High School....KATIE RODABAUGH is currently a Junior at Upper Sandusky High School....WENDY RAYMALE is currently a Senior at Upper Sandusky High School....COURTNEY SIMPSON is currently a Junior at Ridgemont High School....ELLIS SLONE is currently a Junior at North Union High School....KELLI STUCKEY is currently a Junior at Wynford High School.

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