

The Betty Drevniok Award Results 2006

The results of the Betty Drevniok Award 2006 were announced at the Haiku Canada Weekend Conference in Ottawa in May, 2007.

Judge: Angela Leuck

Contest coordinator, broadsheet: Ann Goldring

Sumi-e paintings: Cassandra Wyszowski

First Prize

*a whitetail flickers
into birch...
what time I have left*
Scott Mason
Chappaqua, New York

Second Prize

*valentine's day
the twinging
of angina*
John Ower
Midland, Texas

Third Prize

*solstice
minnows darting above
their darker selves*
Timothy Russell
Toronto, Ohio

Honourable Mention

*silhouette
the moon outlines
her single breast*
Grant Savage
Ottawa, Ontario

*Wild geese in flight
suddenly the sky
so wide*
Helen Baker
Vancouver, British Columbia

*summer afternoon
settling into its shadow
the old labrador*
André SurrIDGE
Hamilton, New Zealand

*On the old wall
pictures of the past
the plaster falling.*
Frances Mary Bishop
Alexandria, Ontario

*his sister's funeral
trimming his hair
before he goes*
Patricia M. Benedict
Calgary, Alberta

*call of a loon
cove light and shadow
ripple in*
Scott Mason
Chappaqua, New York

*keeping them for a day
the broken pieces
of the heirloom bowl*
Michael Dylan Welch
Sammamish, Washington

*Easter Sunday
neighbours on their knees
weeding*
Ernest J. Berry
Picton, New Zealand