Gainesville Veterans for Peace invited all students, K-12, in Alachua County to submit one poem on the subject of peace. Out of hundreds of entries, winners are selected by a panel of graduate students from the English Department at the University of Florida. Winners are invited to read their poems aloud at the public reading on May 11 and are also published in the 2013 Peace Poetry book. Winners will receive a gift certificate to Book Gallery West in Gainesville.

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