

Writing Contest

For AVTA Members and
anyone who lives and/or rides
in East Amwell.

The Amwell Valley Trail Association
announces it is accepting submissions
for the 2009 Charles Foster Weeden III
writing contest.



Charles and Mary Weeden were founding member's of the Amwell Valley Trail Association and continued to be active members for many years until Charles Weeden's untimely death. Charles Weeden was a gifted writer and educator at Lawrenceville School. The contest seeks to celebrate the career and life of this founding member of Amwell Valley Trail Association and his connection to the Amwell Valley.

The contest is open to all members of the Amwell Valley Trail Association and anyone who lives and / or rides in East Amwell.

There are three categories and three age groups.

The age groups are 6 to 10, 11 to 18 and 18+.

The categories are poetry, short stories (original fiction), and personal essays (works designed to inform or entertain the reader, express an opinion, or relate an important experience or event that served to change the author).

Work should have a connection to Amwell Valley.

Contestants may submit only one work in any category, but may submit works in more than one category. Submissions should have a separate title page that includes the name and category of the work and should be free from errors in grammar and punctuation.

Submissions will be accepted until May 1st, 2009.

Winners will be announced on the web site and will receive a savings bond.

Please address any questions to Mr. Stephen Buxton stephen@amwellvalleytrail.org or any board member of the Amwell Valley Trail Association.

All contributions shall become the property of AVTA.