

1st Place – Just Flying By – Julianne Lee

Julianne is a Gr. 12 student from Huron Heights High School in Newmarket. She has entered writing contests in elementary school, but this is the first time entering the CFUW contest. She decided her coming-of-age story would be about a character whose life (after high school, much like herself, with a bright future ahead) was about to begin, but then something happens that changes the course of her life. An avid reader since childhood, Julianne is accomplished musician who plays five instruments: guitar, ukulele, violin, piano, and drums. She will attend Western University and study Arts/Humanities and English/Creative Writing with hopes of being an English professor as well as a published author.