Writing contest is planned

Registration for the inaugural Inked Writing Competition ends April 19. The event will be from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. May 11 at Hathaway Brown School, 19600 N. Park Blvd., Shaker Heights. The program is open to all Northeast Ohio ninth- through 12th-graders.

Designed by Hathaway Brown sophomores Bridget Babcox and Brady Furlich, students can compete in one of three writing categories: creative stories, poetry or persuasive essays. Participants also may choose to do a round of each category.

Inked has three 30-minute rounds of writing. Students’ work will be evaluated by a talented pool of Northeast Ohio writers. The top five students in each category will receive awards.

The $15 entry fee includes a T-shirt, a day of writing, feedback, a pizza lunch, doughnuts and chances for prizes. To register and for more information, visit www hb edu inked.