



Michael Morpurgo Storywriting Competition

Can you write the snappiest short story ever?

We can't wait to welcome master story-teller, Sir Michael Morpurgo to our Literary Corner at Goodwoof on Saturday 17 May 2025 when he'll be reading extracts from his page-turningly exciting new book, 'Cobweb'. Even more excitingly, Sir Michael Morpurgo wants to hear your own dog-themed stories, and will present the winner with 50 of his books, plus 50 books to the winner's school, in person, at Goodwoof.

Sounds interesting – what do I need to do?

You may have heard of a shaggy dog story? Can you write the opposite kind which is all contained within the tiniest space possible? We love all dogs at Goodwoof, but this year we're specially celebrating the small but mighty dachshund. Richmond the dachshund is about to go on an adventure – what happens to him is entirely up to you...Unleash your imagination.
Good luck!

How to enter

**Story submissions will be open from Friday 28 February to Friday 28 March 2025.
Final entries will be judged by Sir Michael Morpurgo and a winner will be announced
by Monday 15 April 2025.**

The winner will receive 50 Michael Morpurgo books plus the same amount for their school plus a family ticket to Goodwoof for Saturday 17 May. Four runners up will receive family tickets to Goodwoof.

For more information on the event go to goodwood.com/goodwoof

Please use the story template overleaf, then enter either by:

- Handing in your entry to your teacher, if you have received this template from your school.
- Posting your entry directly to: Goodwoof Story Competition, Marketing & PR Team, Tony Gaze Building, Goodwood Motor Circuit, Goodwood, West Sussex, PO18 0PH.
- Scanning and emailing your entry form to GoodwoofStoryComp@goodwood.com

