# 2020 - 2021 Ice Lolly Review Campaign Contest

After reading and rereading the wonderful submissions to the magazine's contest. Overall we received submissions in the three digits from 12 different countries and 16 different states and the winners chose to donate \$150 to Doctors Without Borders, The Red Cross Foundation, and The Bail Project. Thank you for participating! It was truly an honor to read each and every piece. We were thoroughly impressed at the amount of quality work and the passion and voice of the youth. We hope that you continue to write and put your work out there. - Jessica Wang (eic of Ice Lolly Review)

**Poetry Winner** - "how to take a perfect selfie: a tutorial" by Sal Kang **Fiction Winner** - "Triumph to Last" by Trini Feng **Nonfiction Winner** - "It's All About Eyes" by S. McKiernan

# **Poetry Finalists**

"American Reflex" by Gabriella McField

"dinner" by Jasmine Kapadia

"Allah Cries With Mama" by Ashwatha Suresh

"Flowers in her Lungs" by Kirtan Savith Kumar

#### **Fiction Finalists**

"Pluto's Toes, 'A Kinder Sea', and Constantinople" by Zoha Arif

"Sweet Treats" by Gabrielle Bachemin

"Ehyehasher Ehyehasher" by Ashwatha Suresh

"Triumph to Last" by Trini Feng

### **Nonfiction Finalists**

"It's okay to not be okay" by Ulyana Rozumna

"Dire Consequences" by Alec Wachsman

### **Commended Writers**

"Shadow of a Father" by Bianca Jortner

"Train of Fools" by Sonia Mehta

"july" by Madison Jordan

"mother // mother" by KatieAnn Nguyen

"Turning Screams Into Whispers" by Jasmine Herri

"Transgressions, for My Own Sake" by Isabelle Rutherford

"Hymn of the Sinner" by Jenna Chadwick

"history" by Sophie Chiang

"Too Fast" by Victoria Spencer