

Results of THF Monthly Kukai — September 2025

theme: **pink**

First Prize

this wish of going light cherry blossom

— Nitu Yumnam (42 points - 7; 1; 1; 0; 0)

Second Prize (tie)

nursery rhyme

squeals of delight

from this little piggy

— Carol Reynolds (38 points - 3; 3; 2; 2; 1)

Second Prize (tie)

swimming upstream

a salmon shares the sunset

with the blushing sky

— Paul Callus (38 points - 4; 2; 2; 1; 2)

Honorable Mentions

cotton candy

childhood

on my hand

— Martina Matijević

bubblegum pink

steadying the bicycle

my father's hands

— Jenn Ryan-Jauregui

out of the blue

a pink finch

at the window

— Dorothy Mahoney

wishing on stars

she folds pink booties

Into a drawer

— Mary Beth Defer

cherry blossom rain . . .

the scent of her scarf

still on my hands

— Ivan Gaćina