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*Le Scat Noir* is a monthly journal published in PDF format. Taking its cue from the 19th century bohemian weekly *Le chat noir* in Paris, LSN features art, fiction, poetry, news and divertissements.

## Submissions

Occasionally issues are themed, so please check for updates on the “Submissions” page at our web site: [BlackScatBooks.net](http://BlackScatBooks.net).

Art and texts appropriate to the spirit of the journal should be e-mailed to [blackscatbooks@icloud.com](mailto:blackscatbooks@icloud.com). We do not accept previously published material nor simultaneous submissions. Our reporting time is two weeks or less.

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