

ANNUAL MORRIS AND ROSLYN FIERBERG STUDENT FILM AWARD PROGRAM

The Annual Morris and Roslyn Fierberg Student Film Award Program was established in 2004 in memory of Morris Fierberg, a long time member and volunteer of the Rehoboth Beach Film Society. The purpose of this award program is to encourage student film production by acknowledging the outstanding work of a student film director. The award carries a winning prize of \$1,000 in cash.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. The applicant must be the director of the film.
2. The applicant must be a registered, full-time high school or undergraduate student at the time of the film's production.
3. The applicant must maintain full-time residence in the United States.
4. A supervising faculty member must endorse applicant's entry form.
5. The competing film(s) must have been made during the preceding period of September 1 and June 1.
6. Dramas, comedies, documentaries and experimental films are all eligible. However, purely animated films are not. Judges reserve the right to decide on a film's eligibility based on these guidelines.
7. Eligible films are those in which every major crew position was held by a student. Productions in which a non-student, professional, or a faculty member served as a cinematographer, camera operator, sound recordist, editor, lighting director or screen writer are not eligible.
8. **Entries should be no longer than 30 minutes in length.** Longer films must be cued to an appropriate starting place because only 30 minutes of each submission will be viewed.
9. Entry deadline: All submissions must be received at the RBFS office by June 15, 2012
10. The winner and the honorable mention will be notified by July 5, 2012
11. Entries must be on DVD, VHS or ¾" videotape and labeled with name, address, phone number and film title.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND ALL OF THE APPLICATION RULES:

Print applicant filmmaker's name

Date

Applicant filmmaker's signature

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AWARD INFORMATION

JUDGES:

The panel for judging shall be a distinguished group consisting of:

- 1 Fierberg family Members or representatives of the Fierberg family,
- 1 RBFS Education/Outreach Coordinator
- 1 Teacher or Professional in the Film production area or Professional in the Art field
- 1 Student from local high school

Criteria for Judging (point system):

- 4 points: **Originality**

- 16 points: **Execution (technical proficiency)**
 - Script (1 to 4 points)
 - Acting (1 to 4 points)
 - Camera Work (1 to 4 points)
 - Set Design (1 to 4 points)

- 4 points: **Audience Response** (Panel of Judges)

RATING POINT SYSTEM:

- 1 = Poor
- 2 = Good
- 3 = Very Good
- 4 = Outstanding

Summation of Award Values:

Winner

Cash \$1,000

Honorable Mention

Product or service \$250

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CREW SHEET

ELIGIBLE STUDENT FILMS ARE THOSE IN WHICH EVERY MAJOR CREW POSITION WAS HELD BY A STUDENT. APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE ALL CATEGORIES LISTED BELOW.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY:

CREW POSITION	NAME	SCHOOL AFFILIATION
DIRECTOR		
SCREEN WRITER		
PRODUCER		
CINEMATOGRAPHER		
EDITOR		
LIGHTING DESIGNER		

SUPERVISING FACULTY

A supervising faculty member must endorse the applicant's entry form.

I have reviewed the APPLICATION and the above CREW SHEET. To the best of my knowledge the information is accurate:

Supervising Faculty Member's Name: (Please Print) _____

Date: _____

Supervising Faculty Member's Signature: _____

Telephone Number: _____

GENERAL INFORMATION

Entries must be received at the RBFS office no later than 5:00 p.m. on June 15, 2012. Deliver or mail completed Entry Form and DVD or videotape (3/4" or 1/2" VHS) to:

Rehoboth Beach Film Society
Attn: Morris Fierberg Student Film Award
107 Truitt Ave.
Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971

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FILM INFORMATION

Please Print Clearly:

Production Title: _____

Genre: (circle one) Drama Documentary Experimental

Completion Date of Film: _____

Running Time: _____

Submitted Format: (circle one) 3/4" Videotape VHS DVD

Original Format: (circle one) 35MM 16MM 3/4" Videotape VHS HI-8 BETA
DVD Other _____

Have all music rights been obtained: _____

STUDENT FILMMAKER INFORMATION

Please Print Clearly:

Student Filmmaker Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Home Telephone: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

School Name: _____

School Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

School Telephone: _____

