



REHOBOTH BEACH FILM SOCIETY



2021 ANNUAL MORRIS AND ROSLYN FIERBERG STUDENT FILM AWARD PROGRAM

The Annual Morris and Roslyn Fierberg Student Film Award Program was established in memory of two longtime members 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 first prize of \$1,000 in cash and an honorable mention award of a \$250 gift card.

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 college 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 period of September 1, 2020 and the submission due date of June 17, 2021.
6. Narrative, documentary 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 screenwriter are not eligible.
8. Entries should be no more than 30 minutes in length. Longer films may be submitted, but only the first 30 minutes will be viewed by the judging panel.
9. **Entry deadline: All submissions must be received at the RBFS office no later than 5 p.m. on June 15, 2021.**
10. The winner and the honorable mention will be notified on or about August 20, 2021.
11. Films may be submitted electronically or in DVD format in the following formats:
 - Blu-ray
 - mp4
 - ProRes

If you are submitting in DVD format, please provide three copies and enclose them with your entry form. If you are submitting electronically, please use the following email address: shord.programmer@gmail.com. If your film submission is available on YouTube or Vimeo, please provide the appropriate share link.

Entries must be received no later than 5 p.m. on June 15, 2021.
Deliver or mail completed, signed entry form and 3 copies of your DVD to:
Rehoboth Beach Film Society
Attn: Morris and Roslyn Fierberg Student Film Award
107 Truitt Ave., Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971

AWARD INFORMATION

JUDGES

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

- One Fierberg family member or representative of the Fierberg family
- One RBFS Cinema Art Theater Manager
- One teacher or professional in the arts
- One student from local high school or college

CRITERIA FOR JUDGING (POINT SYSTEM)

For Narrative films

16 points: Execution

- Script 1 to 4 pts.
- Editing 1 to 4 pts.
- Camera Work 1 to 4 pts.
- *Design/visual style 1 to 4 pts.

For Documentary or Experimental Films

16 points: Execution

- Coherence of Topic/Theme 1 to 4 pts.
- Editing 1 to 4 pts.
- Camera Work 1 to 4 pts.
- *Design/visual style 1 to 4 pts.

**May include sets, costumes, makeup, location or other elements as applicable to the genre.*

For all films

4 points: Audience Response 1 to 4 pts.
(Panel of Judges)

4 points: Originality 1 to 4 pts.

RATING POINT SYSTEM:

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

Summation of Award Values

WINNER Cash \$1,000
HONORABLE MENTION Gift card \$250

Rehoboth Beach Film Society
107 Truitt Ave.
Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971
302-645-9095
rehobothfilm.com

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2021 Entry Form (page 1 of 2)

STUDENT FILMMAKER INFORMATION Please Print Clearly

Student Applicant Filmmaker Name

Home Address

City/State/Zip Code

E-Mail Address (Accessible even when school is not in session)

Home Telephone

School Name

School Address

FILM INFORMATION Please Print Clearly

Production Title

Completion Date of Film

Running Time:

Genre (check one)

Have all music rights been obtained?

Submitted Format (check one)

Narrative

Yes

DVD*

Blu-ray

mp4

Blu-ray

Documentary

No

*(please submit 3 copies)

Experimental

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.

<i>Crew Position</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>School Affiliation</i>
Director		
Screenwriter		
Producer		
Cinematographer		
Editor		

I have read and understand all of the application rules:

Student Applicant Filmmaker's Signature

Date

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

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

Print Supervising Faculty Member's Name

Telephone Number

Supervising Faculty Member's Signature

Date

E-Mail Address

