



REHOBOTH BEACH
FILM SOCIETY



Call for Submissions

MORRIS AND ROSLYN FIERBERG STUDENT FILM AWARD Program

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Entries due no later than June 16, 2017.

★ **FIRST PRIZE** ★

\$1,000

**HONORABLE
MENTION**

\$250



**APPLICATION
FORMS are
available online**

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, 2016 and June 1, 2017.
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 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 by June 16, 2017.**
10. The winner and the honorable mention will be notified on or about August 18, 2017.
11. Entries must be on Blu-ray and labeled with name, address, phone number and film title (submit 3 copies).
12. Please provide Vimeo and/or YouTube link to film.



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Deliver or mail completed and signed Entry Form and 3 copies of Blu-ray 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:

- 1 Fierberg family member or representative of the Fierberg family
- 1 RBFS Education Outreach Coordinator
- 1 teacher or professional in the arts
- 1 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

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302-645-9095

www.rehobothfilm.com

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2017 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

Home Telephone

School Name

School Address

FILM INFORMATION Please Print Clearly

Production Title

Completion Date of Film

Running Time:

Genre (check one)

- Narrative
 Documentary
 Experimental

Have all music rights been obtained?

- Yes
 No

Submitted Format (check one)

- DVD Blu-ray
(please submit 3 copies)

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

