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THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA 31792

# STUDENT FILM COMPETITION CALL FOR ENTRIES

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THOMASVILLE LANDMARKS



### YOU ARE THE FUTURE OF FILM

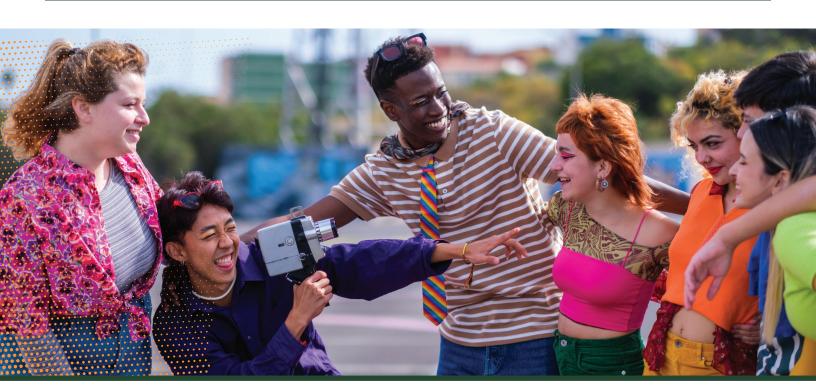
The Covey Film Festival is announcing its Student Film Competition for 2024, offering a unique opportunity to promote and to empower the future of film! We invite student filmmakers who are high school juniors or seniors, and attend schools located within Thomas County, to apply for this year's competition.

This year, Covey has selected Landmarks as a project partner. As Landmarks is dedicated to preserving Thomas County's historic architecture, landscapes, and history, this year's theme will focus on filming Thomas County's landmark buildings, landscapes, objects, and sites.

When you submit an entry to the Covey Film Festival, you have opportunity to become an Official Selection, meaning that your film could screen during the 2024 Covey Film Festival. Student filmmakers are welcome to submit as many films as they wish, in as many categories as they wish. Students may submit entries independently and may choose the category/genre which best fits their film. Entries will be accepted beginning September 15th, with the deadline for entry submittal scheduled to close on November 15th. We can't wait to see what you create!

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Award winners, one for those under 18 and one for young adults, will be awarded a festival prize and recognition of the Covey Film Festival website!





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Film submissions will be judged by professional film-makers. Award winners, one for those under 18 and one for young adults, will be awarded a festival prize and recognition on the Covey Film Festival website.

Title of Film:
Brief Description of theme or story-line:
Description of how your theme or story-line meets the festival's mission to educate, entertain, engage:

#### **DETAILS FOR SUBMISSION:**

- 1. ELIGIBILITY: FILM-MAKERS CURRENTLY IN THEIR JUNIOR OR SENIOR YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL IN THOMAS COUNTY. PLEASE INCLUDE A PHOTOCOPY OF YOUR STUDENT ID OR OTHER PROOF OF AGE AND SCHOOL WITH YOUR SUBMISSION.
- 2. YOUR FILM CAN BE MADE USING YOUR PHONE, OTHER VIDEO DEVICE AS WELL AS CAMERA.
- 3. THE FILM CANNOT BE LONGER THAN 3 MINUTES INCLUDING CREDITS AND TITLES.
- 4. YOUR SUBMISSION MUST BE POSTED ONTO THE COVEY FILM FESTIVAL YOUTUBE CHANNEL NO LATER THAN -NOVEMBER-15, 2023.

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- **DECEMBER**5. ENTRY FEE: NO ENTRY FEE
- 6. ALL FILMS SUBMITTED MUST HAVE THIS SUBMISSION FORM COMPLETED AND POSTED AT THE SAME TIME.
- 7. PLEASE SUBMIT THESE FORMS TO: INFO@COVEYFILMFESTIVAL.ORG
- 8. THE FILM SUBMITTED MUST BE YOUR OWN WORK AND YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR OBTAINING RELEASES FROM ANY ACTORS IN THE FILM.
- 9. NO PROFANITY, NUDITY, SEXUAL BEHAVIOR, OR ABUSIVE BEHAVIOR BASED UPON RACE, GENDER OR SEXUAL ORIENTATION.

#### **SUBMISSION DEADLINES:**

Submissions Open:
Submission Deadline:
Official Selections will be announced:
Event Dates:

September 15, 2023 November 15, 2023 January 15, 2024 To Be Determined





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#### **CERTIFICATE OF ENTRANT:**

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE THAT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, ALL OF THE STATEMENTS IN THIS DOCUMENT ARE TRUE; I AM DULY AUTHORIZED TO SUBMIT THIS FILM TO THE COVEY FILM FESTIVAL AND HOLD COVEY FILM FESTIVAL HARMLESS. THE FILM IS NOT SUBJECT TO NOR IS THREATENED BY AN LITIGATION. I ACCEPT ALL OF THE SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS STATED ON THE SUBMISSION FORM. I VERIFY THAT ALL CONTENT IN THIS SUBMISSION IS ORIGINAL WORK. I HAVE SIGNED RELEASES FROM ALL PARTICIPANTS. I AM NOT A PROFESSIONAL FILM-MAKER AND I AM UNDER THE AGE OF 21. I HAVE NOT SUBMITTED THIS FILM TO OTHER FILM FESTIVALS. IT IS ORIGINAL WORK.

SIGNED (ENTRANT)
PRINTED NAME
EMAIL ADDRESS
PARENT'S SIGNATURE IF UNDER 18
HOME ADDRESS
PHONE NUMBER
PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:
1. DID YOU HAVE ANY HELP FROM SOMEONE ELSE? YES NO
IF YES, DESCRIBE THE HELP?
2. FILM TITLE RUNNING TIME (IN MINUTES & SECONDS)
3. DIRECTOR'S NAME
4. BIRTHDATE
5. SCREENWRITER'S NAME & AGE
6. CAMERA PERSON(S) NAME & AGE
7. EDITOR'S NAME & AGE
8. OTHER CREW NAMES & AGES
9. PRINCIPAL CAST
I VERIFY THE ABOVE ANSWERS AS BEING TRUE (SIGNATURE & DATE)

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