

2008 DFWshortfest

Entry Checklist

1. Make sure you have read the rules and fully understand the scope of the competition. Rules are available on the website.
2. The filmmaker will need to review and complete the Title Clearance Form for each title he/she is submitting. Each title must be clear before DFWindie can exhibit it at the DFWshortfest.
3. Please review the process for mailing your short film and payment to us.
4. Make sure there are no identifying logos, names, trademarks, etc., on your film before you send it to us. You only need a title and the film itself.

Submission Requirements

1. Data DVD or MiniDV tape. Your film will be added to a master playlist, unaltered. For a Data DVD, your film can be encoded in any of the following formats: AVI, MOV, or MPEG. **Please do not send us an encoded DVD or DVD VOB files.** The MiniDV tape will be captured, unaltered, to the master playlist timeline.
2. Please write the title of your film on your DVD or MiniDV tape.
3. You can submit you film in HD or HDV.

Title Clearance Form

(Please print, cut, and send with submission.)

Please check each. **TITLE:** _____

- 1.** All music has been cleared for use within this short film.
- 2.** All actor agreements and releases have been signed and can be produced by the filmmaker if such a request becomes necessary.
- 3.** No identifying names, logos, or trademarks are contained in this film which could either benefit or hinder this title in the competition.
- 4.** I, the filmmaker and rights holder of this title, understand that DFWindie.com, Anthony Akiniz, Christopher Compton, and any of their representatives bear no liability to this title or it's contents. Should such an event present itself, I understand that I am fully liable and responsible for this title, not the exhibitors.
- 5.** Because this competition is anonymous, by completing this Title Clearance Form and sending it with my short film submission, I, the filmmaker, understand that it is the equivalent to signing my signature on this document.

Mailing Procedure

Please send your short film, including a check or money order in the amount of \$20.00 (for up to 3 short films) to:

**DFWindie
PO BOX 542872
Grand Prairie, TX 75054**

Please make checks and money orders payable to DFWindie.

PLEASE NOTE: Neither, Anthony or Chris will open the submission envelopes/packages. A representative will remove the check/money order and place it in a separate envelope. All submission payments will be deposited at one time after the submission deadline of Friday, March 28, 2008. Also, as a reminder, DFWindie and the DFWshortfest are non-profit.