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Showcase Title

Rod Serling Video Festival

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Showcase/Innovative Practice Description

The Rod Serling Video Festival, a K-12 student video festival open to all students, started in 1995 to promote the creative use of video technology. Included in this presentation will be a screening of award winning student videos, a discussion on the creative process, and festival information. Educators will learn how to team with the Rod Serling Video Festival to initiate a video program or complement existing video production/media arts classes already in progress. Whether it is a comedy, drama, or animated work, you will be inspired and amazed at the quality of work being performed by these young people.





THE ROD SERLING

VIDEO FESTIVAL

Sponsored by Binghamton City School District

BEST IN SHOW PRIZES:

DIGITAL VIDEO RECORDER
courtesy Rod Serling Video Festival

\$100 Gift Certificate
courtesy Unicorn Electronics

Certificates will be awarded
in a number of other categories.

All Finalists receive...

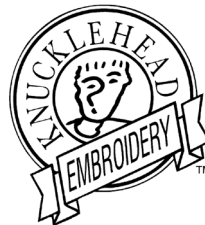
One Rod Serling Video Festival T-Shirt
courtesy Knucklehead Embroidery

Here's your chance to write, direct, and/or star in your own video! All students from kindergartners through seniors in high school are eligible for The Rod Serling Video Festival competition. All you need is access to a camcorder and a desire to holler those magic words:
Lights! Camera! ACTION!

Honors will be given to various categories including: Best of Show, Best Directing, Best Use of Comedy, Best Use of Computer Animation, Best Editing, Best Special Effects and Best K-6 entry!

Entering is easy! Just create your video, fill out the entry form and mail it along with your \$5 entry fee.
Then join us for the Grand Finale!

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(made possible by the Rod Serling School at Binghamton City School District)

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 2012

HELEN FOLEY THEATRE
at Binghamton High School

8:00 pm: WSKG Television Broadcast
featuring Winning Videos
Watch with us as it airs, on "The Big Screen"

9:00 pm: Awards Ceremony

Reception Immediately following

Video Entry Deadline:
May 1, 2012

Questions about competition rules or policies may be directed to
Lawrence Kassan, Festival Director, (607) 762-8202.

Visit Us at our Website:

www.RodSerlingVideoFest.com

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VIDEO FESTIVAL ENTRY FORM

RULES

- Entries must be on high quality DVD (**CD-ROM Discs will not be accepted**) and must be made by students currently attending kindergarten through grade 12. Parents and teachers may assist, but professionally produced videos will not be accepted.
- Videos may be of any length up to a maximum of 5 minutes (*not including title or credits*).
- The title of your video, your name, grade, school, home address and phone number must be clearly marked on the disc. Separate entries are allowed, but must be submitted on separate discs with separate entry forms. A \$5 entry fee (*check or money order ONLY*), payable to the Rod Serling Video Festival must be included with your entry. All entries must be postmarked by May 1, 2012.
- Your video will be returned if you supply a completely addressed and postage-paid disc mailer with your entry.
- Not all entries received will be shown at the Festival. The Festival reserves the right to show those videos it chooses and to reject any and all submissions, which, in their opinion, are vulgar, obscene, or pornographic.
- All entries submitted shall become the property of the Binghamton City School District and, in addition to the Festival, may be shown by the District at various events including Binghamton Summer Film, WSKG Public Television and educational conferences.
- By signing the entry form attached hereto, the student hereby represents that the video submitted is his/her original work and is not otherwise owned, created by, copyrighted, or trademarked by another individual or entity. The student also represents that if any music is used in the video, they have received the requisite permission to use the music. In the event the student violates either of the above rules, the student and parent agree to indemnify the Festival and the Binghamton City School District, its employees, volunteers and agents, and to hold them harmless for any loss suffered thereby.
- By signing the entry form attached hereto, the student agrees and understands that they will be receiving no monetary compensation for their video and/or performance therein.
- Notification of winning entries will be posted on the festival website on or before May 11, 2012.

All possible care will be taken in handling entries. However, the Rod Serling Video Festival and the Binghamton City School District cannot accept responsibility for any loss or damage to videos. We encourage you to make a copy of your video before submitting it.

Entrants agree to allow the Rod Serling Video Festival and the Binghamton City School District to duplicate their video(s), in whole or in part, for use in Rod Serling Video Festival/Binghamton City School District publicity, showing at special events, etc. Credit will be provided for each filmmaker where possible. Questions about competition rules or policies may be directed to Lawrence Kassan, Director at (607) 762-8202 or email: Director@RodSerlingVideoFest.com

Name(s): _____
(Please Print)

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: () _____

Email: _____

Age: _____ Grade: _____ Shirt Size: _____

Is this a School Project? Yes No

If School Project, indicate Teacher's Name: _____

School Name: _____

School Address: _____

Teacher's Telephone: () _____

Teacher's Email: _____

TITLE OF VIDEO: _____

Length (5 minutes or Less): _____

Brief Biographical sketch of entrant (for possible use in program): _____

Any special information you would like to include (where you got your idea, how any effects were achieved, special or places seen in your video)

(Attach a second sheet, if necessary. This form may be reproduced for multiple entries.)

I have read the entry rules of The Rod Serling Video Festival, and I agree to be bound by them. My non-refundable \$5 entry fee is enclosed.

Signed: _____ Date _____

If under 18 years of age, please have your parent/guardian complete the following: I, the undersigned parent/guardian of the student named above, do hereby certify that I have read and understand the foregoing rules regarding the Rod Serling Video Festival, have viewed the video submitted herewith, and certify that it does not violate any of the Festival's rules.

Signed: _____ Date _____

Submit this form, \$5.00 Entry Fee & Your Video to:

Rod Serling Video Festival • Rod Serling School of The Arts
Binghamton High School • 31 Main Street, Binghamton, NY 13905

WWW.RODSERLINGVIDEOFEST.COM

Call Lawrence Kassan, Festival Director for more info (607) 762-8202
Please make checks payable to Rod Serling Video Festival.

All entries must be postmarked by May 1, 2012.

Hope to see you at the Premiere!

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