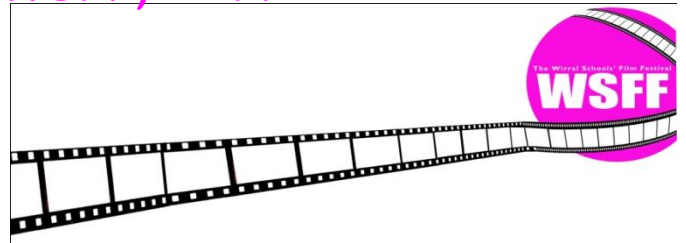


Wirral Schools' Film Festival (WSFF) 2011



The Wirral Schools' Film Festival 2011 takes place on Thursday 30th June at Weatherhead School, celebrating young people's film making with a 'walkabout' event screening all films and an awards ceremony. We are delighted to confirm that the Festival will again be a 'red carpet' event allowing students to dress smartly if they wish.

The ethos of the Festival is that schools enter films that they believe to be exciting, unusual, innovative, or simply the result of hard work.

Your students may already be working on projects that could be entered, or may take this as an opportunity to start a new project.

How Can You Enter?

There are two ways to enter a film:

- 1. Main Strand** - open to all films, themes and styles of film making. We recommend that entries be no longer than ten minutes.
- 2. Competitive Strand** with the theme = 'The Box' (this may include a box as a prop). Entries must be no longer than 5 minutes and will be viewed and judged via an online voting system and a judging panel.

What You Need to Do Next

- advertise the Festival to students using the enclosed posters
- encourage your students to enter a film
- complete and fax back your registration form ASAP
- decide whether your film is to be entered for the competition.
- get filming!

The deadline for entries at the Learning Lighthouse is **Friday 20th May 2011** so there is plenty of time to inspire students and ensure your school takes part!

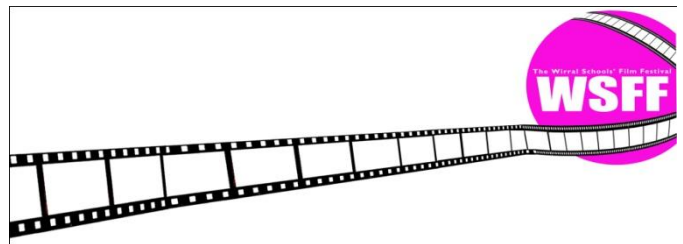
Need Help?

* If you need help getting started, access to equipment and facilities or training, the Learning Lighthouse will be happy to visit your school. Please contact April Jones or Patsi Baldock on 0151 678 2509 to discuss your requirements.

* If you require information about the event itself please contact Caroline Carney at Weatherhead High School on 0151 631 4400 ext. 274.

We look forward to working with you and receiving your entries,
The WSFF Team

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School Registration Form

It is essential that you register your intention to enter the film festival ASAP (even if you later decide to withdraw). The closing date for submission of all entries is Friday 20th May.

ALL films will be automatically entered into the film festival and screened at the event.

* Please complete the first box for the main festival and both boxes if you are entering the competition strand.

School: _____

Contact Name: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Approx Number of Films to be Entered: _____

Competition Strand (optional to enter) Theme - 'The Box'

Rules:

- ➔ content must show clear link with the competition theme 'The Box', this may include the use of a box as a prop
- ➔ films must be no longer than **5 minutes** (films longer than 5 minutes will not be accepted into the competition but will be shown in the film festival).

We wish to submit an entry into the competition strand and have read and understand the competition rules.

Signed:

* if you need to speak to someone about the festival please ring the Learning Lighthouse on 0151 678 2509 for clarification.

**please fax back to the Learning Lighthouse CLC
on 0151 677 1904 or scan & email to admin@tll.org.uk**

Wirral Schools' Film Festival 2011

Thursday 30th June



How Can You Enter?

There are two strands to enter films into:

1. Main Strand

Entries can include: non-fiction films, fiction films, music videos, any moving images or production

2. Competition Strand

Entries must be themed 'The Box'

* this can include using a box as a prop.

Prizes for the top 3 films

Deadline for entries: **Friday 20th May 2011**

Please see your teacher for further details

