



Regulations and Submissions Guidelines
2008 Iowa Independent Film Festival
Iowa Independent Film Festival

Second Annual, April 25, 26, 27 2008

Deadlines/Entry Fees/Notification

- | | | |
|---|--------------------|------|
| • Early entry postmark | October 31, 2007 | \$30 |
| • Regular entry postmark | December, 15, 2007 | \$40 |
| • Email Notification of official selections | February 15, 2008 | |

Entry Fee Specifics

- Iowa and student filmmakers receive a \$10 discount.
- No other discounts will be granted.

Other Details You Need to Know

- Completion Date: all submissions must have been completed after 1/1/05.
- Preview Format: DVD(NTSC Region 1-videoformat for playing on set-top players) only.
- Please label DVD and box with title.
- Loss and Damage: while every precaution will be taken to safeguard all materials submitted, we cannot accept or assume responsibility in the event of loss or damage en route or otherwise.
- All submitted materials become the property of the IIFF and won't be returned without a SASE.
- Information on arrival of entries to the IIFF office should be monitored through the shipping company used.

If Your Film Is Selected

- Filmmakers will be invited to Mason City (in sunny Northern Iowa) with complimentary VIP pass and ground transportation to/from the airport.
- Films will be placed in competitive and non-competitive categories at the sole discretion of the IIFF.
- Submitted materials may be copied and utilized for the purpose of promoting your film.
- Exhibition Formats: 35mm or DVD (NTSC Region 1) only. Other formats will be considered based on the availability of equipment.
- You are expected to provide the IIFF with the format indicated on the entry form.
- You are responsible for shipping the exhibition copy of your film to the festival.
- **The IIFF will return or forward exhibition copies with ground shipping only. All non-ground shipping requests must be paid by the filmmaker.**

Preview Screener Shipping Information

- Each submission needs its own entry form and payment.
- Enclose a SASE if you want your film returned if it is not selected (optional).
- Please don't send films in fiber-filled envelopes; they damage your film and our equipment.
- Ship your preview screener, entry form and other materials to:

Iowa Independent Film Festival
308 S. Pennsylvania
Mason City, IA 50401