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FILM CHALLENGE

Milly 48 Film Festival challenges filmmakers to create short films in 48 hours



The Milly 48 Film Festival, in partnership with Georgia College & State University's School of Continuing and Professional Studies, challenges teams to write, shoot and edit an original short film in 48 hours, from Friday, Nov. 20, to Sunday, Nov. 22.

The kickoff, the awards and film screening will take place at The Depot in Milledgeville.

The event is open to all ages and experience levels.

Team registration closes Monday, Nov. 16.

At the kickoff on Friday at 6 p.m. at The Depot, each team will receive a genre and three surprise elements: a character, a line of dialogue and a prop that must appear in the film. Submissions will be reviewed by a panel of judges and select films will be presented at the Sunday awards ceremony, held at the same venue. The screening is free and open to the public.

Attendees must reserve seats in advance as space is limited. Winning teams will receive prizes donated by sponsoring businesses.

Kickoff: Friday, Nov. 20, 6 p.m. (The Depot), 610 W. Greene St., Milledgeville
Awards and film screening: Sunday, Nov. 22, doors open @ 5:30 p.m.; starts at 6 p.m. (free and open to the public; space is limited).
Team Registration: $25 per team. Closes Monday, Nov. 16. Register teams at https://cpe.gcsu.edu/gcsu/course/course.aspx?C=2196&pc=7&mc=0&sc=0

"This experience is meant to bring families, friends, and businesses together to form teams and tell stories," said Angela Criscoe, executive director of the School of Continuing & Professional Studies. "I have made films and I have taught others how to make films. Now, I'm looking forward to the community sharing in the fun of filmmaking and storytelling."

"I'm excited to see our community gather, create, and celebrate stories from Milledgeville, by Milledgeville," said Josh Jones, event director.