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Black Bear Film Festival Poster Contest Rules & Submission Form

About The Black Bear Film Festival

Each October for over 2 decades, Black Bear Film Festival attracts thousands of film lovers, filmmakers, and outdoor enthusiasts to our beautiful Delaware River communities in the PA/NY/NJ tri-state area. Our mission is to entertain, educate, inspire and celebrate our community with great film events and support for the arts. We welcome visual artists to participate in the festival with our yearly poster contest. Here are a few past designs.













Eligibility



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The contest is open to everyone. All entries should be submitted on an individual basis. No shared work is allowed.

Entry Limit

One poster entry per person.

Entry Deadline

Entries must be submitted by April 14, 2025

Objective

Design a poster that celebrates the annual Black Bear Film Festival that reflects the art of filmmaking, the black bear and the significance/beauty of.Milford/Pike County. The final poster will be used as the Festival's Main Poster

Poster designs should contain:

Black Bear Film Festival Oct 17 - 19, 2025 BlackBearFilm.com By [insert your name]



Black Bear Film Festival Logo

Poster Specs

Main Size Vertical, measuring **30" x 40"**

Resolutions

Vector or Raster Files Accepted

Minimum DPI for Scan or Raster images: 300 dpi at actual size

Poster Usage

Please consider that your poster will need to be reformatted to these various dimensions when creating the graphics or choosing a typeface. Specs for these will be provided to you at a later date.

- 1. Marquee at The Milford Theater.
- 2. Program Booklet, as small as 5½× 8½-in.
- 3. Various sizes for additional items
 - a. Website
 - b. social media (Facebook, Instagram)
 - c. billboard
 - d. Ads
 - e. T-shirts
 - f. Mugs

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Media

Any mixed media suitable for reproduction as a poster is allowed, including computer-generated graphics. Posters must be two-dimensional. All posters must be original art. No trademarked or copyrighted images or phrases should be used, with the exception of the Black Bear Film Festival logo.

Entry Submission Format

To Entry attach 300 dpi JPG to this document on Page 5.

Once a winner is chosen, they will be contacted to deliver high resolution files for printing and use.

Winner

One winner will be chosen by the Black Bear Festival Board Of Directors and announced by **May 15**, **2025**. The winner will be recognized on Opening Night, Friday, October 17, 2025 and receive 2 tickets to the event for themselves and a guest.

Questions

Please email, blackbearff@gmail.com with any questions: Subject - Poster Competition

Rules

Black Bear Film Festival will assume full ownership of the content, including any profits if the poster is ever associated with a sale. No vulgarity, profanity or inappropriate themes or references shall appear as part of the design, as will be determined by BBFF. Final Poster must be executed to look exactly as proposed in sketch unless a change in design has been approved by BBFF.

All winning entries become the property of the Black Bear Film Festival.

Except as used by the Black Bear Film Festival, all artists, including the winner, will retain the rights to their work. Entry in the contest constitutes full permission to publish names and photos of winners without further compensation. The determination of eligibility of entries and any interpretation of these rules is at the sole discretion of the Black Bear Film Festival, and shall be final and binding upon all entrants.

By participating, the entrant agrees to abide by and be bound by these rules.

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Submission Information

Name:		
Phone:		
Address:		
City		
Are You A Student? Yes		
School Name		
Concept/Theme Proposed		
Is there a story behind your design?		
Poster Title		
□ I have read and agree to the conditions set here within by BBFF.		
Artist name (print)		
Artist signature		
Artist signature		

Social Media Tags:



April 30, 2025 Poster Deadline Submission May 7, 2025: Judging

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Artist Bio:

Poster Submission - Email to blackbearff@gmail.com

Insert here - 300dpi JPG Of Poster