## **Bass Coast Shorts 2025 Award Winners**

## Bass Coast Shorts 2025 Sue Blainey Award for Best Female Storyteller January Jones Get Home Safe

# Bass Coast Shorts 2025 Best Film (Open)

Sarah Hegge-Taylor *Small* 

# Bass Coast Shorts 2025 Best Film (Local)

Steve Dunn *Vanishing Seaweeds* 

## Bass Coast Shorts 2025 Best Film (Schools, Under/18)

Jessica McGuirk Steel Reborn

#### **Best Animation**

Sem Assink *Hoeba* 

### **Best Coastal Life Film**

Brad Coetzee Beehives and Bottom Turns

### **Best Documentary**

Ada Tuna The Gap

#### **Best Environment Film**

Michael Portway, Timothy Brown *The Endless Tide* 

### **Best First Nations Story**

Inuk Jørgensen *Entropy* 

### **Best Inclusivity Film**

James Freemantle *Lemon* 

#### **Best Music Video**

Nicky De Gruchy, Peter Michael Baird *River* 

## **Best People and Place Film**

Damian McLindon
The Ranch Motel

### **Best Screenplay**

Colleen McGuinness *Loser* 

#### **Best Actor**

Travis Jeffery *Dusty* 

## **Emerging Talent Award**

Oscar Rosauer *Martyr* 

# **Highly Commended Certificates**

Michael Woods Returning Our Ancestors

Ceridwen Dovey, Rowena Potts *Memorabilia* 

Eleanor Evans & Giovanni Aguilar *Broken Homes* 

Marc Antony Chavez, Octavio Aceves Coutiño *Haagua*