



## Application – 2017 SIFF Films4Families Jury

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### What is a film jury?

At film festivals around the world, accomplished filmmakers and other film professionals are selected to watch a series of films and award one as the best film in the program. At SIFF 2017, seven youth will be selected to award the Youth Jury Award for Best Films4Families Feature.

### Jury Requirements and Benefits:

- The Films4Families Jury is reserved for students between the ages of 8-12. (Older students may apply for the FutureWave Jury)
- Free admission for juror and one parent/guardian to see all seven Films4Families features at SIFF 2017. Each film plays twice, and often three times, usually on Saturday and Sunday mornings around 11:00am. Screening dates and times are announced closer to the Festival. Please keep your schedule as clear as possible.
- Pizza party following the final Films4Families screening to deliberate the best film in the program and celebrate the Films4Families Jury.
- Members of the jury and a chaperone are invited to present the winner at the Golden Space Needle Awards Brunch scheduled for 9:00am on Sunday, June 11.
- Free yearlong SIFF FutureWave membership. 
  - Two vouchers to SIFF Cinema
  - Two vouchers to the Festival
  - One voucher for a SIFF 2017 Commemorative Catalog
  - Discounted tickets at SIFF Cinema and the Festival
  - Early bird discounts on Festival tickets and passes
  - Invitations to complimentary film preview screenings

### Applying:

Jury members will be expected to attend all seven feature films in the Films4Families program at SIFF 2017 and SIFF jury deliberations. Please double check your calendar that the Festival time period (May 18 – June 11) appears largely free, complete this application with parent signatures, and return by 5:00pm on Thursday, March 30. Applications received after this date will not be considered.

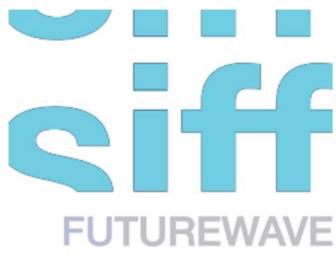
If there are any questions, please contact Dustin Kaspar: [dustin.kaspar@siff.net](mailto:dustin.kaspar@siff.net)

### Return applications to:

SIFF Film Center   
Attn: Films4Families Juror Application  
305 Harrison St.  
Seattle, WA 98109

PDF:  
[education@siff.net](mailto:education@siff.net)

Fax: 206.264.7919



## Applicant Information

Full Name:	
Date of Birth:	
School and grade:	
Email (if available):	
Parent/Guardian Name:	
Parent/Guardian Phone:	
Parent/Guardian Email:	
Street Address:	
City, State, Zip:	

## A. Short Answer

What are your five favorite films?

On a separate sheet or document, please list and explain your choices, at least a few sentences for each.

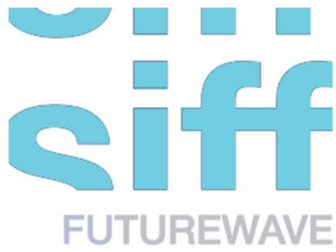
## B. Essay

Why should you be chosen for the 2017 SIFF Films4Families Jury?

On a separate sheet or document, please include at least one paragraph describing your interests in film and SIFF, and any details about your passion for film which you would care to share with the selection panel.

## C. Optional Material:

You may submit a short artistic supporting piece (i.e. painting, collage, video, paper) with your application. The work must be your own and originals cannot be returned.




**Emergency Information:**

Contact Name:	
Relation:	
Home Phone:	
Work Phone:	
Cell Phone:	
Notes:	

**Parent/Guardian Consent**

While the Films4Families jury is shown age appropriate films, SIFF inform parents that many movies are unrated by MPAA. Titles and descriptions will be shared when available and any reservations based on content of films may be discussed.

As parent/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, I am aware of their application for the 2017 SIFF Films4Families Jury and consent to their involvement, if selected.

Signature:	<p>[Acrobat Reader User: Click the <b>Sign</b> icon  in the toolbar and add your signature. Then save the document as a copy.]</p>
Date:	
Name:	