

DV Youth Media Contest 2019 Rules

Who Can Enter

1. The Domestic Violence Youth Media Contest 2019 is open to only to residents of Manitoba and must be under the age of 25 as of January 1, 2019 to enter.
2. Members of the judging panel and their immediate family are not eligible to enter. Immediate family means, but is not limited to: mother, father, sister, son, daughter and spouse/partner.
3. In order to be declared a winner and receive a prize, the selected entrant or entrants must:
 - a. Be residing in Manitoba
 - b. Provide a signed release form if entrants are under the age of 18
 - c. The Contest will have the sole and exclusive property of the winner's media for one year after winners are announce

How to Enter

1. Fill out an entry form online at <https://willowplaceshelter.ca>.
2. Submit release forms for entrants under the age of 18. This includes anyone's voice or image in the media.
3. Video submissions may be submitted to <https://willowplaceshelter.ca>:
 - a. Length of video is up to 5 minutes maximum
 - b. Video's shall be uploaded to Youtube
 - c. Winner's may be requested to provide written copy of the script
4. Story Telling submissions may be emailed to dvyouthmediacontest@gmail.com
5. Visual Art submissions can be dropped off at Art Space 100 Arthur Street, attention Amanda by 5:00 pm CT., October 4th, 2019.

Prizes

1. There will be a prize for each category: Video Submission, Story Telling Submission, Visual Art Submission.
2. Each prize has the value of \$1000.00.
3. Prizes must be accepted as awarded and cannot be transferred.

Contest Rules

1. Submissions must be original creations. It may not infringe upon any intellectual property or any other third-party rights. Please obtain and contain permission from all parties involved (actors and other contributors) in the creation.
2. Submissions will be showcased publically; therefore, submissions must not contain hate speech.
3. All media will be previewed for offensive content and will not be posted and will be deemed not eligible.
4. Contest closes Friday, October 4, 2019 at 10:00 pm CT. To be considered for entry all media and corresponding releases must be received by the closing time.
5. No purchase, expenditure or investment is necessary to enter the contest.
6. Entries must comply with all contest rules and regulations. Failure to do so will result in the entry being disqualified.

Judging

1. Media will be judged on creativity, message, effectiveness, knowledge on the subject, and compliance to the Contest Rules and Regulations.
2. A judging committee will pre-screen each entry and will create a shortlist on the basis of the judging criteria.
3. The judging panel will review the shortlisted media and determine the winners.
4. All decisions made by the judging panel with respect to eligibility are final.

Selected Entrant Notification

1. Finalists will be contacted by the information provided on the entry form on November 1, 2019.
2. If the panel is unable to contact the finalist, 5 attempts will be made until November 6, 2019 by 4:00 pm CT., and if unable to do so, the entrant may be disqualified and a new entrant may be selected.
3. The panel may choose not to enter into communication with entrants other than those selected.

Disclaimer

1. The contest is subject to all applicable federal, provincial and municipal laws.
2. By entering the contest, entrants consent to the collection, use and disclosure of their names for the purposes of administering the contest and to the publication of the names and images or prize winners in association with advertising and promotions of the contest.
3. By entering the contest, entrants agree to abide by these rules which are subject to change without notice to entrants individually. By entering the contest each entrant releases Willow Place, contest sponsors, advertising or promotional agencies, and their parents, subsidiaries, directors officers, employees, agents, successors and assigns from any liability for damage or loss suffered as a result of or arising from the entrants participate in the contest or the use of any prize.
4. The contest disclaims any liability for lost, misdirected, incomplete, illegible, corrupted or delayed entries, or for any computer software, hardware, one-line telephone or technical malfunctions that may affect transmission of entries or for congestion on the internet.