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**Celluloid Bainbridge Film Festival:
Now accepting local and regional entries for Fall 2017 event**

BAINBRIDGE ISLAND – Submissions are now being accepted for the 19th annual Celluloid Bainbridge Film Festival. The festival, presented by Arts & Humanities Bainbridge, welcomes submissions from both island and regional filmmakers.

Celluloid Bainbridge, to be held Nov. 4-5 at the Historic Lynwood Theatre on Bainbridge Island, will showcase a broad mix of selections from Bainbridge and around the Pacific Northwest. Films will be selected through juried review by local film professionals and enthusiasts, with submissions accepted online at filmfreeway.com/festival/Celluloid.

For seventeen years, Celluloid showed only films made on Bainbridge Island or by island filmmakers. In 2016, the festival expanded its reach to the rest of the Pacific Northwest, welcoming submissions from all of Washington State, Oregon, Idaho, Alaska, and British Columbia. This year's festival will once again be open to submissions from across our incredible region in hopes of finding the very best of what our unique corner of the world has to offer.

Film categories include Narrative, Documentary, Web Series, Student Film, and Music Video. Each category will receive a "Best of" award as well as other juried honors. For information and complete submission guidelines on the Celluloid Bainbridge Film Festival, visit celluloidbainbridge.com.

An early-bird period with discounted submission fees runs July 1-30, with final submission deadline Sept. 30.

A complete festival schedule, including opening night gala events, will be announced this fall once selections are made and the film lineup finalized. Additional details and updates will be published throughout the submission period.

About Arts & Humanities Bainbridge: AHB is a self-sustaining non-profit organization serving artists, educators, and cultural organizations as the nexus of all things artistic on Bainbridge Island, connecting young people to 21st century ways of learning through powerful arts education, and shining a bright light on creative individuals through public events, awards and promotion. To learn more visit ahbainbridge.org, email us at admin@ahbainbridge.org, or call us at 206.842.7901.

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