**RULES AND REGULATIONS**

**OF INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL**

**COR AD COR FILM FESTIVAL 2023**

**for youth aged 13-19**

I. General Rules

1. This Festival is organized by **Cardinal J.H. Newman COR AD COR Society**, Poznań, Poland.

2. The Festival’s objective is to promote and popularise young and amateur cinema and reward the best filmmakers.

3. **„Humor is too important to be taken lightly”** is the theme for this year’s Festival entrants’ films.

By entering this Festival the entrant will be deemed to have read and understood these

rules and instructions and to be bound by them.

II. Participation Conditions

1. This is an International Festival dedicated to all amateur filmmakers aged 13-19 on the closing date. No-one may enter more than once.

2.Entrants are obliged to fill out the application form and submit it along with the You Tube link to their film via e-mail to: filmfestival@coradcor.pl no later than 5th September 2023 (by midnight).

3. Film’s running time is limited upto 7 minutes (including both opening and final credits).

6. Submitted films may be of any genre and shot in any technique.

7. Films must be relevant to the topic: **„Humor is too important to be taken lightly”**

8. Submitting films is equivalent to the participant’s statement that he/she owns unrestricted personal and financial rights to the films and that he/she takes whole responsibility for breaking those rights.

9. The entrant agrees to show the submitted film to public and free of charge, within the Festival screenings and as Festival promotional material.

10. Every submitted film (with dialogues) must be subtitled in English or attached with a dialogue list.

III. Festival Jury and Prizes

1. The Organizer appoints a jury which, evaluating the submitted films will decide about qualifying the best ones for the Festival Gala screening. The jury’s decision will be emailed to all entrants by 7th September 2023. The final verdict will be announced on 9th September 2023- the final day of the Festival Gala.

2. The Festival Gala will be held on the premises of the Society: 27 Armii Poznań Street, Luboń.

3. The jury will consist of a professor of film studies and a film-director.

4. The jury’s verdict is final and not subject to changes.

5. The jury shall award three cash pizes for the best short films: 1st Prize 500PLN, 2nd Prize 350PLN, 3rd Prize 150PLN. Other prizes will be granted by the Organizer.

6. The Jury and the Organizer have the right to change the division of the prizes or not to give any.

7. Prizes should be collected personally during the Festival Gala. The author can delegate a person representing him/her. The Organizer will post prizes only to the foreign film winners.

8. The taxes and bank transfer cost will be deducted from the prizes.

9. Every point of disagreement will be resolved by the Organizer.

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