Edinburgh Museums & Galleries and Red Kite Animation present

HIDDEN STORIES' ANIMATION COMPETITION

Hidden Red Kite Animation and Edinburgh Museums & Galleries 'Hidden Stories' Animation Competition, 2013 -2014

Competition Entry Rules

- 1. The entry form must be completed in full and a separate entry form submitted for each film.
- 2. Filmmakers should be of an appropriate age for each category Primary School age 5-13 years; Secondary School age 12-18 years; and Youth 18-24 years or Current Students of any age.
- 3. The film must be between 1 minute and 3 minutes in length (including titles and credits).
- 4. The object from any of Edinburgh Museums and Galleries venues or Museums store that inspired the film must be clearly identified (participating venues are listed at the end of this document).
- 5. The film can be based on a real or imagined backstory based on the object.
- 6. The object that inspired a story does not have to be on current display, so long as it can be clearly identified.
- 7. The films must be led by the young people, as appropriate, in each category
- 8. The film must be predominantly animation, whether 2D or 3D.
- 9. Schools and groups can enter a maximum of two films and 18-24/current students can enter one film each
- 10. Entry is free of charge, but we must have access to the original film for any winning entries, to ensure we have the highest quality for the screening. If there are any problems with this, we reserve the right to withdraw the film from the award screening.
- 11. Entries must be made by uploading the film to <u>www.wetransfer.com</u> and sending the link to email <u>fiona@redkite-animation.com</u> with the title, group name and your own email. Remember to send the completed entry form as well.
- 12. Deadline is 5pm on Friday 28th March 2014. Entries delivered after this time, or with incomplete application forms, may be disqualified.
- 13. The film is the property of the filmmaker; the organisers reserve the right to make and retain a copy of the work submitted for screening, publicity and archive purposes
- 14. Sound and visual material that belongs to someone else must be cleared for copyright before the film is submitted. For advice on copyright, contact the Institute of Amateur Cinematographers (www.thelac.org.uk) on 01372 824 350 or email info@thelac.org.uk.

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- 15. Entries submitted online will be acknowledged by an automated email and we cannot enter into correspondence.
- 16. Schools and school aged groups throughout Scotland are invited to submit, as well as young individuals between 18-24 years and current full-time students of any age from across Scotland.
- 17. To apply as a student, the entrant must be in full-time education during the competition period (November 2013 to June 2014) or the entry will be disqualified.
- 18. Professional animators, artists or illustrators are not permitted to enter defined as someone who makes their living from earnings provided by animation, illustration or painting whether computer based or by hand.
- 19. Only the winning films will be screened in mid-June for an invited audience at the award ceremony; the organisers will attempt to arrange a screening of other entries later in the year, so please keep checking the website for information.
- 20. The selected object must be located in one of the Edinburgh Museums & Galleries venues or the Museums Store. For further information about venues, or a tour of the venue contact: Margaret Findlay, Public Programmes Manager on 0131 529 3963 or email

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City Art Centre: 2 Market Street, Edinburgh EH1 1DE

Museum of Childhood: 42 High Street, Edinburgh EH1 1TG

Museum of Edinburgh: 142 Canongate, Royal Mile, Edinburgh EH8 8DD

The People's Story Museum: 163 Canongate Tolbooth, Royal Mile, Edinburgh EH8 8BN

The Writers' Museum: Lady Stairs House, Lady Stairs Close, Lawnmarket, Edinburgh EH1 2PA

Lauriston Castle: 2a Cramond Road South, Davidson's Mains, Edinburgh EH4 5QD

Queensferry Museum: 53 High Street, South Queensferry EH30 9HP

Museum Collections Centre: 10 Broughton Market, Edinburgh EH3 6NU (By appointment only tel.: 0131 557 4165)

Travelling Gallery: Check the website or email for information (Contact the curator on: 0131 529 3682)

Scott Monument: East Princes Street Gardens, Edinburgh EH2 2EJ

Nelson Monument: 32 Calton Hill, Edinburgh EH7 5AA

The Old City (Playfair) Observatory: 38 Calton Hill, Edinburgh EH7 5AA

Old Observatory House: 40 Calton HIII, Edinburgh EH7 5AA

The City Dome: 36 Calton Hill, Edinburgh EH7 5AA

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