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Community invited to 2022 BCPS Film Expo

Free, in-person event to be held on Tuesday, May 17, at 7 p.m. at The Senator Theatre

What: The 2022 BCPS Film Expo will showcase the work of student finalists and announce winners at a free public event. This year's film expo, the sixth annual Baltimore County Public Schools student film competition, attracted 158 film, GIF, and poster entries from six middle schools and 16 high schools.

When: Tuesday, May 17, 2022, from 7 – 9 p.m. (Doors open at 6 p.m.)

Where: The Senator Theatre
5904 York Rd., Towson 21212

Background: The Film Expo was launched in 2016 when a group of motivated teachers across content areas joined forces with The Education Foundation of BCPS, Inc., the Office of Visual Arts, and Office of Career and Technical Education.

The 2022 Film Expo categories are:

Middle School

Animated GIF (under 30 seconds)
Live Action (45 seconds to 10 minutes)
Animation (up to 10 minutes)

High School

Animated GIF (under 30 seconds)
Short-form Video (under 45 seconds)
Live Action Narrative (up to 10 minutes)
Experimental (up to 10 minutes)
Documentary (up to 10 minutes)

Animation (up to 10 minutes)
Promotional Videos (up to 10 minutes)

The Film Expo offers a separate poster contest. The winner this year is Mika Thiessen, a Towson High student.

(Editor's note: An image of the winning poster by Mika Thiessen of Towson High accompanies this release.)

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