

Suikerzoet Filmfestival Schiedam (the Netherlands)

The Sugarly Sweet Film Festival is a theme festival, at which viewers can watch melodrama and feel-good movies.

19, 20, 21 and 22th of Novembre 2020.

It will take place in the centre of the small city Schiedam (next to Rotterdam)

Approx. 90 long movies will be shown on 15 historical locations in Schiedam.

The festival can be visited for free. www.suikerzoetfilmfestival.nl (website in Dutch) or

<https://www.filmdesforets.eu/en/suikerzoet-voorfilmfestival>

In the last years much work has been done to promote short films too.

Since 2014 a short film competition will be added to the festival.

The challenge lies in showing a short film before a long movie starts.

It's a unique way of letting people become more familiar with short films.

This short film should last no longer than 4 minutes.

A film jury will be assembled and the winning film will be rewarded with a sum of money. I'm looking for short films which fit in the sugary sweet-theme.

After choosing the film I need a film-file MP4 and a video still.

I would prefer it if the choosen film can also be shown as a 'DCP file'. If there is no DCP file, I can make it by my self.

There will be a jury of the field and the winner gets the "Silver Tear" and also €500,-

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There will be only one price to be given. It will be giffen at the opening of the festival. So the winner will be in secret informed two weeks befor the opening.

We try to arrange that the winner will be at the opening and at the festival.

The winning price will be transfert by internet banking, this is inclusive the transfer costs.

If you want to attend the festival when your film is selected, we provide a free sleeping place in Schiedam. We don't pay the travelling costs. There will be an exeption but that's depending on the sponsoring of the this years festival.

Head of the short film programm, Jan Bekkering