

**Alabama Filmmakers Co-op  
Movie Makers: A Filmmaking Workshop for Kids  
Summer 2008 Session**

**Application and Registration Form**

The 2008 Summer Filmmaking Workshop will be held on three consecutive Saturdays beginning July 12, 2008 (July 12, 19, 26) from 9am to 3pm. The objective of the workshop is to create short films (<5 minutes) that illustrate many of the techniques and procedures used to make movies. Our goal is that each and every workshop participant will have an opportunity to appear in our short movies and to work as a member of the crew in multiple technical and support positions. Each participant in the workshop will receive a copy of the completed movies on DVD after the completion of the film.

**The Movie(s):** We will form up to two production crews of up to 8 kids each. Each crew will be assigned a script with individual scenes that present different challenges to film makers. Each crew will have adult supervision (“executive producer”) and an older teen crew leader (“line producer”). All three Saturdays of the workshop will be focused on education and shooting a short movie, once the movie is edited and ready to distribute we will host a “World Premiere” and cast party (at a later date). All participants will receive a copy of the final short movie on DVD.

**Location:** The principal site for the workshop is the Flying Monkey Arts Center located in the Historic Lowe Mill at 2211 Seminole Drive, Huntsville, Alabama. Depending on the requirements of the final script(s), additional locations may be added, but all participants will arrive at and be picked up from the Lowe Mill address. (If an alternate location is required, participants will be notified in advance).

**COST: \$100 per applicant.** This will cover the cost of all materials and expenses associated with the workshop, including providing snacks and drinks (bottled water will be available at all times) for the four days. At the conclusion of the workshop, each participant will have developed a notebook of educational materials and the script and a certificate of completion. The DVD of the final movie(s) will be sent to each participant after the end of the workshop to allow time for final preparation and duplication.

**Deadline for Entry: Saturday, June 28, 2008.** After this date, the fee is nonrefundable. The Alabama Filmmakers Co-op reserves the right to cancel the workshop at anytime if, in the sole estimation of the organizers, the workshop cannot be completed according to their expectations. Should this occur, the full cost of the workshop will be refunded. The minimum number of workshop participants required is 8 and the maximum number is 16.

**Where to Submit:** Send this form, completed and signed by parent or guardian (Please be sure to sign both the Parental Consent and Medical Release forms), including a check in the amount of \$100.00 made payable to the Alabama Filmmakers Co-op. to the address below:

Alabama Filmmakers Co-op  
Attn: 2008 Summer Filmmaking Workshop  
PO Box 18272  
Huntsville, AL 35804

# Student Information

Name (print) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone No.: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ You must be at least 12 years old  
School attended Spring 2008: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

As a participant in the Summer Filmmaking Workshop, you are expected to read and comply with the following rules:

- 1) Be present during the hours from 9 am to 3 pm on all three days of the workshop
- 2) Behave at all times in a manner consistent with participating in a team activity
- 3) Treat all fellow workshop participants, sponsors, instructors and volunteers with respect at all times
- 4) Accept all assignments to work as a member of the team, including all crew duties and responsibilities.
- 5) Notify the instructors of anything which violates these principals
- 6) Keep parents or guardians informed of all activities and commitments during the workshop
- 7) Stay with assigned group. Under no circumstances will you leave the premises or move out of the direct supervision of instructors and volunteers.

## Parent or Guardian Information

The Movie Makers: Fimmaking Workshop for Kids will use the Flying Monkey Arts Center located at the historic Lowe Mill for our meeting place and place of principal photography (in the event that an alternate location becomes necessary, you will be notified as early as possible). We request that all participants arrive at this location by no later than 9 am and pickthem up at 3pm on each day of the workshop. Depending on the needs of the final script, we may choose other locations to shoot selected scenes of the movie. We will arrange transporation to and from those locations by our volunteers.

This workshop is being provided as a community service by the Alabama Filmmakers Co-op, a non-profit community organization that has supported our community for 31 years. We rely on volunteers and donations for all of our activities.

Please be aware that the historic Lowe Mill is an old factory building with an industrial interior and exterior. While this facility serves host for many functions from movie screenings to concerts to art exhibits, we urge all participants to exercise caution to avoid injury and to wear clothing appropriate for the setting. The facility is not airconditioned. Children should wear shoes at all times. We foresee that some of the scenes will be shot outdoors so please be sure your child has protective clothing and wears sunscreen.

Snacks provided during the workshop will be simple, fruit and/or vegetables, nuts, chips or cookies, bottled water, gatorade, softdrinks or juice. If your child has special dietary needs, please arrange to send those items each day. Please do not bring any child who is running a fever or is known to be ill on the day of the workshop. If a child must be absent due to illness or other reason, please call workshop director Don Tingle at 837-4359 and leave a message.

## Volunteers

Parents and guardians, you or other adult members of your family or friends may volunteer to help create a great experience for your child and other kids participating in this Filmmaking Workshop. Older, mature teens may also volunteer. You can help in a number of ways, please check those areas where you feel most comfortable.

I can help on the following days of the workshop:

July 12     July 19     July 26     All Days

I can't commit to specific days now, but I'd like to sign up later.

## Parental Consent Form (Required):

I hereby agree to the participation of my child \_\_\_\_\_ in the Movie Makers: Filmmaking Workshop for Kids Summer 2008 Session.

I agree that participation in this activity is voluntary and stipulate that my child is healthy enough for this activity and capable of complying with the rules established for participation. I understand the nature and extent of the physical activities and associated risks of participation in this workshop and I agree to accept any and all risks and accept full and sole responsibility for my child's participation herein. I agree to provide any and all necessary or relevant medical and emergency contact information should my child be injured or become ill during the workshop and agree to take full responsibility for any medical care or treatment required. (medical care release form attached).

I further understand that I share with my child the responsibility for transportation to and from the designated site and at the times designated for the workshop. I further agree that the full terms of this agreement apply for any additional locations where select portions of the workshop may be conducted.

Video Production Talent Release: For value received and without further considerations, I, as the parent or legal guardian, hereby consent to the use of all photographs, videotapes or film, and/or audio recordings, and/or written extractions, in whole or in part, of such recordings or performances taken of my child, named above, a minor under the laws of the state of Alabama, at the Flying Monkey Arts Center and other locations during the "Movie Makers: Filmmaking Workshop for Kids" during July 2008, by instructors or the Alabama Filmmakers Co-op and/or others with its consent, for the purposes of illustration, advertising, or publication in any manner.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_, State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## ***Emergency Medical Care Release***

I, the undersigned parent or guardian, give my permission for Mr. Donald J. Tingle or designated workshop leaders to approve emergency medical care recommended by a medical doctor or hospital for my child, \_\_\_\_\_, only in the event that my spouse or I, or other emergency contact listed below, cannot be contacted in a timely manner. This document will be effective for July 12, 2008 thru July 26, 2008.

Please list any allergies or significant medical conditions:

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### **Parent or Guardian Emergency Contact Information:**

(Please Print and Provide All Applicable Phone Numbers)

**Primary Parent** (for Emergency Contact)

**Spouse**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home: \_\_\_\_\_

Home: \_\_\_\_\_

Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Doctor: \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Insurance Carrier:** \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Number or Identifier: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Alternative Emergency Contact:**

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent or Guardian)