

## CORTO & FIENO – Rural Film Festival 15<sup>th</sup>,16<sup>th</sup>,17<sup>th</sup> September 2017, 8th Edition Ameno, Omegna, Miasino, Lake Orta – Italy SHORT FILMS COMPETITION "FRUTTETO"

Corto & Fieno – Rural Film Festival underlines the importance of cinematic representations of rural life in contemporary cinema. The 8th edition of the Festival intends to go on working on these subjects through films dealing with the relationship between man and land. The idea is to draw attention to rural culture, both in Italy and in other parts of the world. "Frutteto" (Orchard) is the short films contest through which the Festival aims to give space to film projects with a focus on the rural world.

- 1- The competition is open to everyone.
- 2- The Festival registration is free. All postal fees are at the participants' charge.
- 3- The subject of the film must follow the general theme of the Festival regarding the life and work of the land, the relationship between nature and man from a rural point of view. All genres welcome.
- 4- The Festival will be held in Ameno, Omegna and Miasino, Lake Orta (Italy), on 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> September 2017, according to a schedule that will be announced a few weeks before the start of the event.
- 5- All submitted works must be a maximum length of 30 minutes. Videos both edited and unedited will be accepted, provided that they were completed after 1st January 2015.
- 6- All selected videos will be shown during the Festival's days in the section "Frutteto". The Festival will get in touch with all directors and authors. If possible, the directors will be invited to the official screening of their work during Corto e Fieno.
- 7- The jury will be composed of personalities from the cinema and cultural world. At the end of the Festival, the winner will be announced. The opinion of the jury cannot be contested.
- 8- The received copies of the short films will become part of the Festival's archive and will not be returned.
- 9- There will be a prize for the winner. The amount will be announced in due time on the website www.cortoefieno.it (Edition 2017 > Jury and prizes).
- 10- The films must be received by 5th June 2017.
- 11- All screeners <u>must</u> be accompanied by the entry form completed in its entirety (the entry form is attached to this announcement).
- 12- The works can be submitted in three different ways:
  - a) Videos in autorun DVD format (<u>in duplicate</u>) to be sent to: Corto e Fieno – Rural Film Festival Associazione Culturale ASILO BIANCO Via Zanoni 17, 28010 Ameno (NO) ITALY
  - b) On-line screening link to be sent to the Festival's e-mail address: info@cortoefieno.it
  - c) High resolution file on a DVD or USB stick to be sent by mail to the Festival.
- \*\*\* All the directors of the selected works will be contacted by the Festival and requested to send a link to download the high quality file of the movie for the official screening.

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## REGISTRATION FORM FOR SHORT FILMS "FRUTTETO"

Movie title	
Director	
Year of production	
Country of production	
Running time (maximum length of 30 minutes)	
Name and surname of the person responsible	
Address (street, city, country)	
Phone number	
E-mail	
Synopsis (about 5 rows)	
Short biography of the film director	
Statement of the film director on the film	
Participation in other Festivals // Awards	

I have carefully read, understood and accepted the rules and conditions of Corto e Fieno.

Date Signature