CAYMAN NATIONAL CULTURAL FOUNDATION (CNCF)

NATIONAL PLAYWRITING COMPETITION

2022 THEME
In celebration of Queen Elizabeth II Platinum Jubilee, entries are being invited for plays written around the theme Majesty.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The Competition is open to all Caymanians and persons domiciled in the Cayman Islands (excluding Playwriting Workshop tutors, Playwriting Competition judges and staff of CNCF), and is divided into two sections:

Category 1
AGE 17 & UNDER Open to individual children attending schools, school groups, and others age seventeen and under. Anyone who has attained the age of eighteen, but is still attending school must enter in the adult category. Submissions may be made as:

a) Skits, which shall be 10 to 20 minutes in playing time.
   b) One-Act Plays, which shall be 30 to 45 minutes long.

Category 2
AGE 18 & OVER Open to those age eighteen and over, whether attending school or not. Plays submitted in this category may be either:

a) One-Act - 30 minutes to 1 hour in length
   b) Full Length - an hour and a half to two hours in playing time.

2. Entry to the competition is by completion of registration forms. Additional forms are available from CNCF (949-5477) or online at www.artscayman.org, and from schools.

3. Email completed registration forms to cncf@artscayman.org
Mail completed registration forms to:

2022 National Playwriting Competition
Cayman National Cultural Foundation
P.O. Box 30201
Grand Cayman KY1-1201

OR

Hand deliver completed registration forms to:

The CNCF Office
2nd Floor, Studio Theatre
17 Harquail Drive, Grand Cayman

4. The deadline for submission of play scripts to the competition is 28 April 2022.

5. CNCF reserves the right to reject a script that, in its sole discretion, is unsuitable for production by CNCF.

6. Scripts must be submitted typewritten (double spaced), clearly state the title and author(s) of the work, and be accompanied by a typed synopsis. A digital copy of the script must also be emailed to CNCF or submitted on a memory stick.

7. Submissions will not be returned. Do not submit sole copy of work.

8. All plays submitted must be the original work of the author(s) named.

9. A play that has been previously produced, or which was commissioned by the CNCF is ineligible for entry into the Competition.

10. The author(s) of the play(s) selected for production must be willing to do re-writes, based on suggestions from the director of the play and/or the dramaturge.

11. Winning entries remain the property of the playwright, however CNCF reserves production and publication rights for a period not exceeding five years commencing on the date of the announcement of the winner/s.

12. PRIZES:
ONE winning play from either category will be selected for production as a radio play to be broadcast on-air. In the event that CNCF concludes that the production of a radio play is not possible, a staged reading of the winning script will be presented by CNCF.

Trophies and certificates will be awarded in each category, along with the following cash prizes:

**AGE 17 AND UNDER**
- Best Skit $100
- Best One-Act $300

**AGE 18 AND OVER**
- 1st Prize One-Act $500
- 1st Prize Full Length $800

CNCF reserves the right not to award prizes if the submissions are adjudged to be below standard, or if there is only one entry in any category.
REGISTRATION FORM

COMPLETE THE INFORMATION BELOW AND RETURN, ALONG WITH YOUR ELIGIBLE ORIGINAL PLAYSCRIPT, TO CNCF BY THE 28 APRIL 2022 COMPETITION DEADLINE.

NAME___________________________________________________________
ADDRESS__________________________________ TEL: ______________________
NAME OF SCHOOL (if applicable)_______________________________________
AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY ________ DATE OF BIRTH:_______________________
NAME OF PLAY ______________________________________________________
CATEGORY____________________________________________________________

I, __________________________ __________________________________________(PRINT NAME) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of CNCF's 2022 National Playwriting Competition.

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SIGNATURE DATE

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SIGNATURE OF PARENT / GUARDIAN IF ENTRANT IS AGED 17 OR UNDER DATE