

# SOUTHERN SHORTS AWARDS

## SUMMER 2017 FILM FESTIVAL & AWARDS PRESENTATION

**1:00 PM OCTOBER 14, 2017**

**THE AURORA CINEPLEX**

**ROSWELL, GA**





## 1:00 to 2:00 PM - Documentary



### “Getting it Right”

6:00

From Roadie to Restorer, Steve Benjamins focuses on bringing the art and beauty of pianos front and center.



### “The Parallel Game”

19:57

The early Civil Rights movement and major events impacting Black America woven through the eyes of Negro League Baseball players, writers, historians, artists and musicians.



### “Beneath the Crown”

22:21

In 1967, Sylvia Hitchcock was crowned the most beautiful woman in the world. As her sparkle fades away in a small Florida town, Sylvia's inner beauty lives on beneath the crown.

## 2:00 to 3:00 PM - Animation & Horror



### “Tanguito Argentino”

8:00

Two post lights dance under the moonlight on the streets of Buenos Aires where they bring to life the magic and passion of the Tango with Piazzolla’s “Fuga Y Misterio” . played by some interesting characters.



= Georgia Premiere



= U.S. Premiere



= World Premiere



2:00 to 3:00 PM - Animation & Horror



“The Beach Boy”

7:48

An animated short film about two star-crossed lovers from ancient Vietnam. Designed in a style inspired by Vietnamese brush painting and traditional art.



“The Fallen Swan”

3:00

Trapped at the bottom of a well, a baby swan cries for help until one night, light from above reveals the swan’s true potential.



“A Sweet Man”

13:25

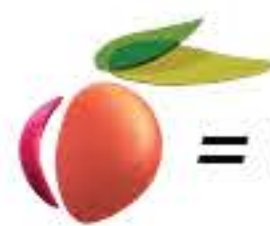
For the sorrowful Gustavo, it was an ordinary night: an uninspiring, silent night. But suddenly, fun knocked on this door... and it wouldn’t leave until it had run its course.



“I Baked Him a Cake”

28:44

Young Lenora wakes up excited to bake her father his favorite cake on his birthday. As she bakes, she notices strange behavior from Mother. Meanwhile, Dad isn't home yet and it's growing late...



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3:00 to 4:00 PM - Webisodes / Pilots



“God's 17”

10:00

God's 17 is a mockumentary about a modern-day cult, it satirizes politics, major religions, and activist groups.



“Gorchlach: The Legend of Cordelia”

21:27

The Gorchlach, an ancient artifact of Celtic origin, will lead the two protagonists into a journey that will take them to discover secrets that have been hidden for centuries and only considered as legends.



“64 Over 8”

25:00

An unconventional comedy about a group of extras navigating their way through the entertainment industry.

4:00 to 5:00 PM - Mystery / Thrillers



“Beast”

19:53

The dark tale of an immigrant woman who has been marginalized by a small town. Desperate from loneliness, she's willing to sacrifice the fate and happiness of others to get her life back.



**4:00 to 5:00 PM - Mystery / Thrillers**



**“Tergiversation”**

12:36

Things go horribly wrong when a wannabe crook tries to pull a fast one on his mentor.



**“The Dead Man's Number”**

15:09

In Jake's dream Rex, a long dead friend who died violently, shows up in a bar. Telling the dream to his main squeeze Betty sows the seed for a dark turn. Based on an actual dream. Filmed in noir New Orleans.

**5:00 to 6:00 PM - Comedy**



**“Courage”**

4:04

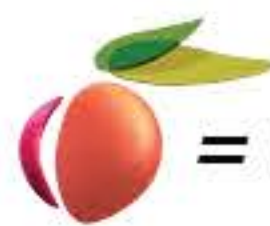
A man struggles to overcome his nervousness with women in a bar when he stumbles upon words of wisdom in the bathroom.



**“Scattered”**

9:39

Two women venture into the woods to scatter their friend's ashes and fumble for a way to say good bye.



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5:00 to 6:00 PM - Comedy



“The Love Song of Charlie Beecher”  
25:56

A teenage introvert tries to change his destiny after seeing his pathetic future in J. Alfred Prufrock.

6:00 to 7:00 PM - Science Fiction & Fantasy



“Deadzone”  
21:57

A surly huntress with an affinity for retro jams and an inquisitive ex-medical student must depend on each other's skills to survive.



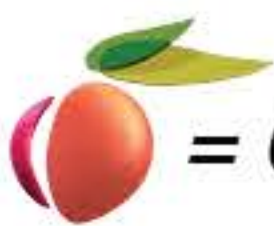
“Moving Picture”  
11:00

A reclusive artist keeps his creations close to himself, locked from the outside world. But on this night, one of them escapes. Does a work of art take a life of it's own once it is created?



“Real Artists”  
12:00

In the near future, a young animator is offered what should be her dream job. But when she discovers the truth of the modern "creative" process, she must make a hard choice about her passion for film.



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“Unforgotten”

15:15

An elderly man near the end of his life passes lonely days in an old folk's home writing letters to an old friend. But the arrival of a new occupant in the home re-opens the doors to his past, and changes everything.



“First Rendezvous”

12:30

Benjamin and Anna meet at a gallery. Following some direct small talk, Anna quickly takes the initiative and pulls the boy into a flirt-game. It soon becomes obvious that this is not their first date, but perhaps the last one.



“His Father’s Son”

13:50

A kitten, a cute girl, and a long-buried secret test the friendship of three teenage boys as they journey through adolescence in a small Australian country town.



## NOMINATIONS

### BEST DOCUMENTARY

Beneath the Crown  
Getting it Right  
The Parallel Game

### BEST HORROR

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I Baked Him a Cake

### BEST SCIFI/FANTASY

Deadzone  
Moving Picture  
Real Artists

### BEST WEBISODE

64 Over 8  
God's 17  
Gorchlach: The Legend of Cordelia

### BEST SOUND DESIGN

Roberto Angiari  
Damián López Asla  
Talen Herzig  
James LeBrecht

### BEST CINEMATOGRAPHER

Dario Corno  
Kimberly Culotta  
Neal Ten Eyck  
Andras Gravi Kiss  
Josh Saideman

### BEST ACTRESS

Summer Baldwin  
Tiffany Hines  
Marta Kaczmarek  
Tamlyn Tomita  
Emőke Zsigmond

### BEST DIRECTOR

Fabio Cento  
Eric Newland & George Dalton  
Dániel Orosz  
Christopher Sferrazza  
Cameo Wood

### BEST MYSTERY / THRILLER

Beast  
Tergiversation  
The Dead Man's Number

### BEST COMEDY

Courage  
Scattered  
The Love Song of Charlie Beecher

### BEST DRAMA

First Rendezvous  
His Father's Son  
Unforgotten

### BEST ANIMATION

Tanguito Argentino  
The Beach Boy  
The Fallen Swan

### BEST MUSIC

Roberto Angiari  
Iain Appleyard  
Robert John Sedky  
Wayne Wells  
Meredith Yayanos & Ryan Coseboom

### BEST EDITOR

Ernie Albert  
Russell August Anderson  
David La Croix  
Aron Mezei  
Tim Parrington

### BEST SCREENPLAY

Susan Gallagher & Lisa Mills  
Eric Newland & George Dalton  
Carl J Sorheim  
Alexander Wilson-Flynn  
Cameo Wood

### BEST ACTOR

Federico Mariotti  
Bence Mátyássi  
Kashmir Sinnamon  
Paul Wilson

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