



SEARS ONTARIO DRAMA FESTIVAL  
FESTIVAL DE THÉÂTRE SEARS DE L'ONTARIO

## The Wayne Fairhead New Play Award Information Sheet

See instructions on page 2.

Student(s)' Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher/Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

District Festival: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

E mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Play: \_\_\_\_\_

Original Script? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Adaptation? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If adapted, give the title and author of the original work:

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Author: \_\_\_\_\_

**I declare that the above information is correct.**

**signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**name (printed):** \_\_\_\_\_

This information form **MUST BE RECEIVED**, together with **FOUR (4)** copies of the script, no later than seven (7) days following the final evening of your District Festival. Writer's name or school **MUST NOT** appear on the script.

**MAIL TO:**

Wayne Fairhead,  
Executive Director,  
Sears Ontario Drama Festival  
77 Carlton St.  
TH 116  
Toronto, ON M5B 2J7

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## GUIDELINES:

- \* Any student submitting a script **MUST** be enrolled for a minimum of one semester in the current school year.
- \* The submitted script must have been performed by the author's school in the current year's District Festival.
- \* If the script is an adaptation, proof of permission from the author/agent of permission to adapt the work in question **MUST** be enclosed
- \* Permission must be obtained to use any original materials by other writers in your script: eg, poetry, song lyrics, and any other "borrowed" material.
- \* All submissions must be on computer, double spaced between character's speeches and single spaced with the text . All pages must be numbered beginning with the list of characters on page 1.
- \* Submit **FOUR** copies of your script, each in a duotang. Do not put any personal information on your script's title page. You must include **ONE** copy of the Information Sheet (attached) together with your scripts.
- \* Keep a copy of the script as those submitted will not be returned unless accompanied by a correctly stamped, self-addressed, suitably sized envelope.
- \*All scripts must be received by the Executive Director no later than **SEVEN DAYS** following the final evening of your District Festival. Send them to:

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## PROCESS:

- \* Each submitted script is read and evaluated by a panel of experienced drama teachers/playwrights/directors; evaluation sheets and comments are sent to each author at the end of the process.
- \* The winning script is directed by a professional director and presented as a play reading on the last day of the Provincial Showcase and the author is invited to be present for the workshop, discussion and presentation.
- \* The Wayne Fairhead New Play Award is made on the last evening of the Provincial Showcase and is accompanied by a cheque for \$500.
- \* Information Sheet to accompany scripts