Raffle

Visit the Creative Guts table to purchase more raffle tickets for a chance to win these prizes at the conclusion of the festival:

- A free stay at The Hotel Concord (multiple winners!)
- A gift certificate to Granite State Escape for 4 people
- Merch from Creative Guts and Red River Theatres

Festival Merch

The Creative Guts table has examples of festival merch, (including tees, mugs, and totes), which you can custom order at www.teepublic.com/user/creative-guts.



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An Ode to Film Creative Guts and Artful Harper Studios presents a love song to film making in this animation over live action film, to kick-off the film festival.

ZEPPO! finds a balloon and is overwhelmed with joy. When tragedy strikes, the cruel mundanity of life takes control, leading Zeppo down a surreal path to self acceptance. **Noah Mauchly, Director**

Don't Forget Your Childhood is your reminder to stay a child for as long as you can. You don't have forever and you should always have fun.

Grace Howe, Director, producer, actor, and editor

After The Beep Jake's anxiety gets the best of him when he attempts to reach out to his father.

Ryan Nunes, Director, writer, producer, and actor

WEREMEMBET is a visual poem evoking the lives of the The Pike Hill copper miners in Corinth, VT. The film was shot on site, ahead of FEMA superfund clean up project slated to start in the summer of 2024.

Elizabeth Kurylo, Director and producer

The Water Seller Adan is a young water seller with a suit, and a bandit snatches his goods without reason.

Vainqueur Adan, Director

Three A.M. Two mothers grapple with the right way to protect their daughters from violence, internet predators, bowling parties, and the evening news.

Julia Trueblood, Producer and actor

Nipmuc Corn Harvest is a short documentary that addresses the critical issues of Indigenous land reclamation and food sovereignty through the narratives of Nipmuc tribe members. The film explores the historical and ongoing challenges faced by the Nipmuc people, highlighting the significance of preserving cultural heritage and advocating for land back. **Charlotte Cassidy**, **Producer**

P.O. Disappointment can be a catalyst for change. Caroline Herrold, Writer, director, and animator

A Story About Unchartered Tutoring The story behind the founding of Unchartered Tutoring, and why art is so important for all of us as humans. **Mel Watanabe**, **Director and editor**

10 Minute Intermission

Disposal When Ray is suddenly left unemployed, the financial, social, and legal barriers of poverty leave him teetering on the brink of homelessness.

Ben Ross, Director, writer, cinematographer, and editor

Home Burial Love and loss collide in this hauntingly beautiful adaptation of Robert Frost's poem, Home Burial.

Donald Tongue, Director and producer

A Momentary Stop Everyone thinks they know what's best for Olivia - but do they really understand her? Determined to begin a new chapter in her life, Olivia finishes packing for graduate school, but first she must attend to some unfinished business. Brittany Severance, Writer and director

Cloudscap€ Nature provides relaxation for a stressed young woman. **Caroline Herrold, Writer, director, and animator**

Invisibl As she deals with the crushing weight of living with her chronic illness, Riley begins to reach her breaking point. **Ryan Nunes**, *Director*, *writer*, *producer*, *and actor*

The Belt A young girl uses her imagination to combat her abusive father. **George Fraser**, **Writer and director**

Karl: The Hitch Hiking Robot You're channel surfing when a news headline suddenly reminds you of a certain highly advanced robot.

Andrew (Drew) West, Director and producer

Just you and M∈ A film Noir love triangle with a murderous twist! Daniel Paul, Director

Poison Ivy With the help of his dog, Dad puts on a homemade musical about the dangers of poison ivy to the tune of "The Barber of Seville" for his wife and an entire retirement community. Could this be his big break?

Aubrie Flanigan, Producer

Awards

Heartstrings - Most moving Funny Bone - Most humorous Eye Opener - Most illuminating Brain Stormer - Most creative Gutsy - Most Vulnerable