



MINNESOTA HIGH SCHOOL PRESS ASSOCIATION

ARTS JOURNALISM CALL FOR ENTRIES FEB. 24, 2010 · GUTHRIE THEATER · MINNEAPOLIS

Review Writing Contest · **Apply by Jan. 29, 2010!**

Minnesota High School Press Association and Journalism Educators of Minnesota, in cooperation with the Guthrie Theater, will hold a review writing contest on Feb. 24, 2010, at the Guthrie Theater in Minneapolis from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Interested writers should submit two published story clips (preferably reviews) of at least 250 words, along with a brief résumé detailing staff experience and the entry form below, by Jan. 29, 2010.

Twenty-five selected participants will be contacted and given final details concerning the contest by Feb. 10, 2010. Each participant must pay a \$30 fee to cover admission and lunch. Fees will be due by Feb. 17. *Do not mail entry fee with application.* Advisers may reserve tickets to accompany their selected students.

The winner will have his or her story published on the MHSPA Web site. Direct questions to Laurie Hansen, event coordinator, at hansenl@stillwater.k12.mn.us or (651) 351-8128.



Students selected to participate in this contest will have the opportunity to attend and report on a performance of "Macbeth" by William Shakespeare on the Wurtele Thrust Stage, tour the theater facilities, learn from a professional arts editor/writer and write a review of the performance on deadline.

Participants will meet in the theater lobby at 9 a.m. on Feb. 24.

Learn more about the performance:

http://www.guthrietheater.org/whats_happening/shows/2009/macbeth

Contest Rules

All Minnesota high school student journalists are eligible for the Arts Journalism competition. Entries must arrive (not be postmarked) by Jan. 29, 2010, to be eligible. MHSPA requests that advisers limit applications to no more than three students per school.

MHSPA reserves the right to publish the entrants' work in its other publications.

What are the requirements?

1. All contestants must be members of MHSPA newspapers/newsmagazines/yearbooks or literary magazines.
2. As many as three students from each MHSPA member publication may enter.
3. Entries should be submitted separately, with writing samples, a brief résumé and the entry form at right. Please send all parts of your entry together.

Send entries to:

Laurie Hansen, MHSPA Arts Journalism Contest
Stillwater Area High School
5701 Stillwater Blvd. N.
Stillwater, MN 55082

MHSPA Arts Journalism Contest Entry Form

Deadline: Entries must be received by Jan. 29, 2010

Student Name	2009-10 Year in School (Grade)
School Name	
Publication Name/Type <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper/magazine <input type="checkbox"/> Yearbook <input type="checkbox"/> Literary magazine	
School Address	
City	Zip
Student E-mail	
Adviser Name	School Phone
Adviser E-mail	