

MEDIA ADVISORY

through June 15, 2003

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Waterfront Film Festival Media Information Sheet

Policy for admission into film screenings and seminars

Paying ticket holders will be admitted into screenings first. Media and volunteers are admitted if space allows and only after all ticket holders are seated. Media and volunteers must be wearing a wristband to gain entry into the venues.

Media members must check in to the media tent <u>in person</u> in order to receive a wristband and badge. Media kits will be available at the media booth. Additionally, all press releases and additional information of interest to media is posted on the website at www.waterfrontfilm.com. Still photographs and a copy of the 2003 poster can be obtained electronically immediately by emailing info@waterfrontfilm.com.

To obtain interviews with specific festival guests, please call Melanie at 616.394.0000 prior to June 11. Interviews during the festival are most easily obtained after a seminar or after a guest's Question & Answer session following their film screening. The Ship N Shore Motel is designed as a resting place for festival guests and will not be open to the public or media.

MEDIA CHECK IN

Will be outside the Festival Ticket Office on Main Street just east of Water Street. You can receive your wristband, badge and media kit at the following times:

Thursday, June 12, 5 pm - dusk

Note: The evening begins at 7 p.m. on Water Street in Saugatuck with a free street party featuring a beer garden, live music, and stage entertainment followed at dusk with a free outdoor screening of *Local Boys*. Beer, wine and snacks will be available for sale.

Friday, June 13, 10 am - 4pm Saturday, June 14, 11 am - 3 pm Sunday, June 15, 1 - 3 pm

*When Media Tent is not staffed, go downstairs to Ticket Office. The Ticket Office staff will be able to contact media committee personnel.

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