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Young Reels Film Festival 2017 Winners Announced

On March 8th it was a red carpet night at Landmark Theatre in Bolton as young film makers from across Caledon had the opportunity to present their films on the “big” screen as Caledon Public Library hosted their 9th annual Young Reels Film Festival.

The festival, sponsored by Friends of Caledon Public Library, welcomed special guest speaker Sean Cisterna. Mr. Cisterna graduated from Caledon’s Robert F. Hall Catholic High School and has worked as a feature film and television director in the film and television industry for over 15 years. *“Each of the films were unique and I was impressed with the imagination and technical skills of the submissions and it was a difficult task to select the critics’ choice from such high caliber submissions.”* said Cisterna.

The 25 short films by budding directors, writers and actors were showcased and then winners were announced in 6 categories. The winners were: Critic’s Choice – *Revelation* by Catriona McLean; Best Animation – *Dream* by Anya Coossa; Best Public Service Message – *MegaBee Saves the Day* by Melissa Airdrie; Best Special Effects – *The Last Bottle Flip* by Christian Zeni and Steven Dotto; Best Direction – *The Note* by Noah Clauser; and Audience Favourite – *The Note* by Noah Clauser.



Pictured are the winning directors along with their cast and crew and Mr. Cisterna (missing from the photo Anya Coossa, winner of Best Animation)

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