

Berks County School Casters Presents
Second Annual 4500 Digital Video Competition
In Conjunction with The Goggle Works
April 12-15, 2007

- Criteria:** *Do you have what it takes to write, film, and edit an original short film?
The problem - You only have 3 Days, or 72 Hours or 4500 Minutes to create it?
This is your chance to bring out your creativity and showcase your work.
Your original finished film should be between 2 and 5 minutes in length.*
- Who:** *Gather your friends in grades 9-12, 1-5 high school classmates per team, and enter this exciting opportunity.*
- When:** *Thursday, March 29th
Registrations, Entry Fee, and Team Photo are due to Patricia Hahn @
Exeter Township HS, 201 East 37th Street, Reading, PA 19606
Thursday, April 12th, 9 am to 3pm at the GoggleWorks
Conference, Genre selection, rules, and other materials will be revealed
Sunday, April 15th, between 5 and 6pm at the GoggleWorks
Completed Film is due back on a cued up MiniDV tape
Sunday, April 29th, two showings of all films at the GoggleWorks Theater,
Awards Ceremony, and Wrap-Up Party at the GoggleWorks – Time TBA*
- Where:** *GoggleWorks Theater, Reading, PA. Check out their site www.goggleworks.com*
- How Much:** *Entry fee \$50 per team*

What: 1. [Genres](#)

Action/Adventure	Drama	Horror/Thriller	Sci-Fi
Comedy	Fantasy	Road Movie	Spy
Detective/Cop	Holiday	Romance	Superhero

*All groups will pick 2 genres from a hat and select one genre for their video.
Every group will receive the following items, which must be a part of the film:*

2. A [Character Name](#).
3. [Prop](#) – must be an integral part of the film.
4. [One Line of Dialogue](#) - that someone must speak in the film.

Why: *Well, for the fun of it, of course, or to meet new people, or for the challenge, or to win prizes.*

NOTES:

*All films will be screened and those deemed unacceptable will not be judged.
Check out www.48hourfilm.com for the inspiration for our 4500 Minute film festival.
All Students will receive a T-shirt, a Filmmaking Conference, & a copy of all the entries on a DVD
With each entry, the team must submit a jpeg photo of the team and bios of the team members.
Check out www.farrara.com for more info on the 4500.*

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Registration Form*

Team Name _____

Producer Name 1. _____

School _____

Supporting Teacher _____

Home Address _____

Phone No _____ *Email Address* _____

Age/Grade _____/_____ *Parent Approval Signature* _____

<i>Team Member Names</i>	<i>Age/Grade</i>	<i>Parent Approval Signature</i>
2. _____	____/____	_____
3. _____	____/____	_____
4. _____	____/____	_____
5. _____	____/____	_____

NOTES:

Please make checks payable to the 4500 Digital Video Competition.

Please Remember - Do not film anything you wouldn't hand in for a school project.

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- Mail Registration Form, Entry Fee, and Team Photo, **by March 29** (postmark) to:*
- Patricia Hahn, Exeter Township HS, 201 East 37th Street, Reading, PA 19606*
- Email Team Bios, when you send in the Registration Form, etc.*

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Team Biographies:

We would like the following information of all the team members who enter the 4500 DVC. We want to put this information in a program that will be distributed to all the participants at the Conference on April 12. Please make sure all team members are identified in the team photo.

Please email this information (as a Word document) to Mrs. Patricia Hahn at Exeter HS when you send in the Registration Form, Entry Fee, and Team Photo.

Email PHahn@exeter.k12.pa.us

Name/Age/Grade/School

The bios should be 50 words or less: a short, self-written summary of who each member is, how he/she got involved in the contest, his/her area of interest in video (acting, editing, filming, scoring, music, etc.), his/her passion in life, first or second year in contest, future goals, college plans, etc.

*Thank you and Good Luck.
The 4500 DVC Committee*

We look forward to your participation and movies!