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## Soo Film Festival Announces 2025 Audience Awards

The 2025 Soo Film Festival took place September 10-14 at the historic Soo Theatre and Bayliss Public Library, a Superior District Library, in downtown Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan. Festival attendees are asked to choose their favorites by ballot. By audience acclaim, those films are:

### **Narrative Feature**

So Fades the Light, directed by Get Super Rad

### **Documentary Feature**

Did You Guys Eat? / Ya Comieron: Stories of Michigan Agriculture, directed by Stephany Slaughter

### **Documentary Short**

Sacred Waters: Anishinaabeg Naagdawenmaanaanig Giigoonhkewin (The First People Taking Care of the Fishery), directed by Finn Ryan and Aaron Peterson

### **Student Documentary Short**

A-Okay, directed by J Fitzpatrick

### **Animation**

Livid Mortis, directed by David Mzolo

### **Student Animation**

Bounce, directed by Tristan Cloete

### **Narrative Short**

Sidekicks, directed by John Daniel

### **International Narrative Short**

Sarcum, directed by Ignacio Malagón

### **Student Narrative Short**

The Most Delicious Game, directed by Ethan Schmaltz

### **Music Video**

How'd You Feel (About Talkin' to Me) by Bogue, edited by Joseph Frezza

The next Soo Film Festival is September 16-20, 2026.

Soo Film Festival, Inc. is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to promote and host film and allied arts festivals in the City of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan. Soo Film Festival, Inc. seeks to showcase the work of independent and emerging filmmakers from the Great Lakes of North America. Our Mission: Great Lakes, Great Movies!

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