



VIDEOCLUB
of LAGUNA WOODS

Short Dramatic Film Script Contest
Deadline: March 10, 2023

The Video Club is looking for a script for a 10-to-15 minute drama (may be comedy, etc.). It should be fully scripted and using actors. The selected script may be produced by the Video Club's Video One Productions team during the spring of 2023 for broadcast on Village Television, possible submission to film festivals, later streaming on YouTube, and other distribution. Four such films have already been produced: “Write It Down” (2019), “What, You, Too?” (2021), “The Hole in One” (2022), and “Bowling Ball Debacle” (currently in post-production).

Submission is open to residents of Laguna Woods Village and members or past members of Village clubs.

The script should be of interest to Laguna Woods residents, since it will be run on Village Television.

To be broadcast legally, it should not contain profanity or obscenity. The FCC defines those terms to mean what would be seen as profane or obscene in the community in which it is shown.

It should also be relatively easy to produce using locations within the Village as much as possible and also using mainly 55+ actors.

The script must be original by the author, although retelling of old stories (e.g. Shakespeare or Bible, etc.) is permitted.

The author must be willing to give us written permission (license) for us to produce and rewrite it as we see fit. (The original script would remain the property of the author.)

The script should be in proper dramatic filmscript form. Free or reasonably-priced software to help with formatting can be found online.

The contest deadline is March 10, 2023.

Submit the script in PDF format attached to an email to tomnash36@gmail.com.

Questions? Call or email Tom Nash, 714-381-0781, tomnash36@gmail.com.