

## Rules and regulations britspotting horror video challenge

**30 March 2006 – 2 April 2006**

On the 30 of March come to the Acud cinema at 6pm where the 3 words, that which must be featured in your film will be announced. How these 3 words appear in your film is up to you! You have complete artistic freedom: the style etc. is entirely up to you.

The best 30 films will be presented by britspotting during a special screening as part of the festival and the 3 best of them will win attractive awards - your chance to see your film on the big screen and get it awarded!

It's extremely easy to take part:

Simply fill in the registration form on our website, transfer the registration fee, print out and sign the rules & regulation sheet and either send it to us by post or fax, or bring it with you to the Acud on 30 March 2006. After we have announced the 3 words, the only thing left for you to do is to complete your film until Sunday, 2 April 2006, obviously having fun at the same time! Everything you need to consider when entering our competition is described in detail in our rules and regulations below.\*

A jury of experts will examine your film and choose the best of them.

Please note: britspotting can provide neither any kind of equipment nor editing facilities.

\*For all participants who live outside Berlin or in the UK and Ireland, some special rules apply (see below).

### Rules and regulations :

1. All films must be completed and submitted within the given time (see number 11 below). Late entries will not be considered.
2. Each team must register on our website no later than 29 March 2006.
3. The registration fee is 13,- Euro per team. This must either be transferred into our bank account (details below) before the start of the challenge, or must be paid in cash to britspotting at the Acud on 30 March 2006.

Bank account:       britspotting  
                          Berliner Volksbank  
                          BLZ: 100 900 00  
                          Kto: 731 702 9009  
                          **IBAN: DE 68 1009 0000 7317 0290 9**  
                          **SWIFT/BIC: BE VO DE BB**

4. Each films has to feature the 3 words announced at the opening meeting on 30 March 2006 in the Acud Cinema.

5. Each team resident in Berlin must send a minimum of one team member to attend this meeting at the Acud. For participants who live outside Berlin or in the UK and Ireland, the essential information can be send via e-mail.
6. Each team is responsible for ensuring that they are allowed to use everything which appears in their film. It is imperative that you obtain copyright where required.
7. All films must stay within the boundaries of German law, both in content and form (neither people nor animals may be hurt, nor should there be any pornographic or extreme-right content, etc.).
8. Before production begins, the actors must sign an actor's contract with the producers of the film (download from [www.britspotting.de](http://www.britspotting.de)).
9. Any dialogue must either be in English or subtitled in English.
10. In the opening titles of the film the name "britspotting horror video challenge06", the title of the film and the name of the filmmaker or film team must be shown.
11. Every film made by a team from Berlin must be submitted on 2 April 2006 no later than 10pm to the Acud cinema, Veteranenstr. 21.

**Please note:** if the entry is sent by post - **this only applies to participants who come from outside Berlin or from the UK and Ireland** - the film must have been sent by 3 April 2006 (we will check the date on the postmark).

12. All films must be handed in in the following format:
  - avi- or mov-file on CD- or DVD-Rom  
(if possible uncompressed, otherwise use common codex!)
  - Only by way of exception as MiniDV-Tape.
  - Each team may submit only one film.
13. britspotting is not responsible for any harm or damage caused to any person or equipment during the competition.
14. britspotting and the filmmakers have the complete worldwide, non-exclusive rights for the promotion of the film, both in Germany and abroad. No party has the right to prohibit the screening of the film.
15. britspotting has the non-exclusive rights to duplicate, promote worldwide, screen publicly and broadcast the film produced during the challenge. Specifically, britspotting has the non-exclusive rights to promote and use the film beyond the purposes of the festival. The owners of the film rights give britspotting the right to

transfer the film to websites, TV-stations, festivals and similar platforms for possible further promotion.

16. Moreover, britspotting has the right to collate the film onto a DVD (from now "DVD"). This can be bought by the participants at the regular cost price from britspotting.
17. britspotting is required to publish the name of the filmmaker in the DVD-booklet, together with their contact-addresses (e.g. email).
18. britspotting has the right to exploit/promote the DVD for profit up to the sale of 1000 DVDs in Germany and abroad. If more than 1000 DVDs are sold, a new contract will be drawn up between britspotting and film producers.
19. The producers of the films have the non-exclusive rights to duplicate, promote worldwide, screen publicly and broadcast the film produced during the challenge. In particular, they have the non-exclusive rights to promote and use the film beyond the purposes of the festival, including for commercial purposes. britspotting has no share in any possible income or profits.
20. This contract is valid for three years after signing. Every subsequent signed contract invalidates the former.  
Any disputes arising hereunder are to be settled before a competent Berlin court of law.

I have read and understood the preceding rules and regulations and agree to abide by them at all times.

\_\_\_\_\_  
team name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date and location

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/s of Producer/s

This form must have been signed and received by us by 30th March 2006 at the latest.  
Send by post or by fax to:

britspotting  
Stichwort: horror video challenge  
Veteranenstr. 21  
10119 Berlin  
Germany  
Fax: 0049 (0) 30 448 39 61