

2010 TOBY Awards

Digital Entry Waiver ♦ Fees ♦ Contact Information ♦ Entry Form

**The deadline for digital/electronic/e-mailed entries is Dec. 14, 2009.
This deadline applies even if only a portion of the entry is submitted electronically.**

**Mail to: TOBY Awards Program, Madavor Media, 85 Quincy Ave, Suite B, Quincy, MA 02169;
or Fax to: 617-536-0102.**

♦ Digital Entry Waiver

I, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge that I am submitting my TOBY Awards entry electronically or digitally. In choosing to submit an electronic or digital entry, I acknowledge that my forms and photographs will be printed by the TOBY committee, *Teddy Bear and Friends* magazine, and/or Madavor Media, LLC ("TOBY Administrators") for review by the TOBY judges.

I understand that the TOBY Administrators will take reasonable care in the printing of my forms and photos; however, no special services, including but not limited to cropping, toning, and color correction, will be offered or applied. I further understand that the contest is judged solely on the printed photographs, and I waive the right to control the quality of my printed photos. I will accept the decisions of the TOBY Awards judges based on the photographs as printed by the TOBY Administrators.

I understand and acknowledge that, if my entry is nominated for an award, the TOBY Administrators may use either the printed or electronically submitted versions of my photographs to print in *Teddy Bear and Friends* magazine, present at the TOBY Awards event, or to publish online.

I hold the TOBY Awards judges, TOBY Awards, *Teddy Bear and Friends* magazine, and Madavor Media, LLC harmless from any legal action, liabilities, and claims which may result from the quality of my printed photographs throughout the TOBY Awards process and program.

I hereby acknowledge that all photographs submitted by me herewith may be printed for use in the TOBY Awards Program.

Signature _____

Name (Printed or typed) _____

Title _____

Date _____

Note: An authorized signature is **required** to make this entry form valid. A duly authorized officer of the corporation, which includes the public relations director, may sign this form. No one from an outside agency may sign this form unless authorized to do so in writing by an officer of the manufacturer or artist. Please attach such authorization.

◆ Fees

- Entry fees are required for all submissions. An Entry Form submitted without the entry fee will not be processed.
- If submitting multiple entries, complete this fee information only once.
- Entry fee will not be returned under any circumstances.
- The entry fee underwrites only a portion of the cost of presenting all entries to the judging panel for their nominations and to the public for final voting. All other expenses are paid for by *Teddy Bear and Friends* magazine and Madavor Media, LLC.

Figure Your Entry Fee

		Totals
First entry:	\$75	\$ 75
Additional entries:	Number of entries _____ X \$35 =	\$ _____
Digital entries processing fee (any portion of entry is submitted digitally/electronically/via e-mail)		
First entry:	\$10	\$ _____
Additional entries:	Number of entries _____ X \$5 =	\$ _____
Total:		\$ _____

Payment Method

Payment must be in U.S. funds. Checks, money orders, credit cards, and wire transfers accepted. Please check the appropriate box below and add details as noted. Entries with incomplete information cannot be processed. You will be charged the bank service fee of \$15 per returned check or declined credit card. Please ensure your check is filled out completely and your credit card numbers and expiration date are correct, and that you have sufficient funds to cover the charges.

Check or Money order enclosed

Please make payable to: Teddy Bear and Friends – TOBY Awards

MasterCard

VISA

American Express

Discover

Credit Card Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Card Holder's Name (printed or typed) _____

Card Holder's Signature _____

Wire Transfer *Please note: there is a \$10 wire transfer fee

Entrants outside the U.S. may wire transfer the fee (in U.S. funds) to:

Madavor Media, LLC, Bank of America, 278 Mystic Ave., Medford MA 02155; (781) 396-0164

Swift code BOFA US3N; Account #9429378699; Routing # 011-000138

Where was fee wired from (bank, city, country)? _____

On what date? _____ Transaction number _____

◆ Contact Information

- This form must be completed by the artist/manufacturer submitting the entry(ies) or their authorized agent (see Rule 16).
- Fill out this form just once, no matter how many entries you are submitting.
- Please **type** or neatly **print** all information.

[] Artist [] Manufacturer
(See General Rules for definitions.)

Approximate annual production, counting all editions: _____

Company Name: _____
(Please specify division or department if applicable.)

Contact Person: _____

Street Address: _____

Mailing Address (if different): _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____ Country _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____

E-mail _____

Web site _____

List of Entries

Please type or print the names, sizes, and categories of all entries submitted for the 2010 TOBY Awards program:

Affirmation Statement

I, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge that I have read and understand and accept the General Rules and Categories & Criteria of the TOBY Awards Program and that my submission(s) abides by those Rules.

I attest that the facts supplied in these entry forms are accurate to the best of my knowledge. I further attest that the photos submitted are of the teddy bear or "friend" as it has been or will be produced and that the teddy bear or "friend" entered is/will be produced and available for sale nationally and/or internationally in the calendar years 2009 and/or 2010.

I hold the TOBY Awards judges, TOBY Awards, *Teddy Bear and Friends* magazine, and Madavor Media, LLC harmless from any legal action, liabilities, and claims which may result from damages and/or loss in shipping. I further hold the TOBY judges, TOBY Awards, *Teddy Bear and Friends* magazine, and Madavor Media, LLC harmless from any legal action resulting from the nomination of any teddy bear or "friend" submitted by me which may be in, or become party to, litigation.

I hereby acknowledge that all photographs submitted by me herewith may be published, reprinted, and distributed by *Teddy Bear and Friends* in print or online for publication and/or editorial use in, and in addition to, the TOBY Awards Program.

Signature _____ Name (Printed or typed) _____

Title _____ Date _____

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Bear/Friend Category Number _____

Entry Deadline Dec. 14, 2009 (digital entries)
Dec. 18, 2009 (postal/courier entries)

2010 TOBY Awards Entry Form

- If submitting multiple entries, make copies of this form *before* completing it.
- Please review the TOBY Awards categories before choosing the appropriate category for your entry.
- **Do not include on this page any information that could reveal the identity of the artist or manufacturer.**
- Please type or neatly print all information. If you require additional space to complete your answers, please use the back of this page.
- All questions must be answered for each entry.
- We suggest you keep copies of all completed entry forms for your own records.

1. Name of Entry: _____

2. Height: _____ Length: _____ 3. Suggested U.S. consumer price \$ _____

If combining pieces in an entry (a "set"), the primary piece(s) must meet the size requirement for the category.

4. Joints: Jointed Unjointed
 Partially jointed

5. Month/year designed: _____

Year(s) for sale/sold: _____

Note: If designed prior to January 1, 2009, please detail how the piece or its costume is substantially different from previous issues. See Rule 10.

6. Medium:

Body: _____

Head (if different): _____

Paws: _____

Stuffing: _____

Eyes: _____

7. Costuming (Please see General Rules for definitions.)

Undressed (go to 8)

Dressed/Costumed (Briefly describe below)

Costume designed/created by (other than entering artist): _____

8. Describe any accessories:

9. Does this entry include more than one bear/"friend"?

No (go to 10) Yes

If yes, are these pieces a set (see Rule 3)? Yes No

If yes, neither piece may be entered separately. If no, pieces must be entered separately.

10. Edition size: _____ Maximum _____ Minimum

