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**The Office of Letters and Light Announces SCRIPT FRENZY 2009**

*Fun and free 100-page contest without judges or prizes*

**Oakland, Calif.---[www.ScriptFrenzy.org](http://www.ScriptFrenzy.org)---February 1, 2009**—The Office of Letters and Light, a nonprofit in Oakland CA, issued a web-based worldwide challenge today: Stop watching. Start writing.

Welcome to **Script Frenzy**, a maverick approach to scriptwriting. In April, thousands of participants worldwide will attempt to tackle 100 pages of original material in just 30 days. The tight deadline prevents writers from getting bogged down with formatting and the formal rules of scriptwriting. Script Frenzy invites everyone to bash out screenplays, stage plays, TV shows, short films, or graphic novels.

The Office of Letters and Light charges no fee to participate in Script Frenzy, making it the best scriptwriting event on the planet. No valuable prizes are awarded and no scripts singled out, making it the worst scriptwriting event on the planet. Script Frenzy is happy to fall under both categories.

In order to “win” at Script Frenzy, participants need only sign up and complete the goal of writing 100 pages in April. In return for their efforts, Script Frenzy winners are rewarded with a Script Frenzy Winner's Certificate, web icon, and eternal bragging rights.

Last year over 9,000 participants took part in the challenge, and this year over 10,000 are expected to participate, making Script Frenzy the largest scriptwriting contest in the world. Scribes chart their progress online, get their questions answered in the forums, and have the opportunity to get out of their lonely writing caves to join others at local write-ins and events.

Kids and teens get in on the act through Script Frenzy's Young Writers Program. The Young Writers Program is a separate online and offline challenge for budding scriptwriters, with resources for students and teachers.

Please contact Jennifer Arzt if you're interested in hearing more about Script Frenzy, or visit the website at [www.ScriptFrenzy.org](http://www.ScriptFrenzy.org).

**About the Office of Letters and Light**

In 1999, Chris Baty started National Novel Writing Month, the largest writing competition in the world. Chris founded the nonprofit Office of Letters and Light in 2006 to run National Novel Writing Month and launch new events, such as Script Frenzy. In addition to inspiring people everywhere, the mission of the Office of Letters and Light is to build community and foster literacy. For more information about all of their programs, visit [www.LettersandLight.org](http://www.LettersandLight.org).

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