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A witty and biting spoof of the film industry, THE FESTIVAL is a 6-part mockumentary series featuring naive young filmmaker Rufus Marquez. As filmed by fictional documentarian Cookie Armstrong, Marquez hitchhikes his way to the impossibly pretentious Mountain United Film Festival (M.U.F.F), clutching the only copy of his first feature in his hands. Recently divorced and living in his mother's basement, Marquez desperately wants his big break—instead he's pushed to the edge of a breakdown. At M.U.F.F., Marquez enters a zany world of bitter veteran filmmakers, self-important Hollywood executives, and preening actor-gods.

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