

SUNDAY

Roald Dahl's Esio Trot



Mr. Hoppy is a quiet bachelor who happens to be in love with his neighbour, Mrs. Silver. Sadly, she only has eyes for her pet tortoise, Alfie, so he hatches a plan to get her attention. This latest Roald Dahl adaptation and TV hit was directed by IFI Board member Dearbhla Walsh, who will present the film and answer all your questions about working with tortoises...

UK • 2014 • 88 MINS • COMEDY • DIR.: DEARBHLA WALSH



Foyer Trot

After the show, see our Esio Trot exhibits; join the mini book-club discussion about Roald Dahl's most phizz-whizzing books, and enter our competition for a chance to win a cake by The Perfectionist Confectionist.

The BFG cake by The Perfectionist Confectionist (see left).



Workshop: Legendary Picture Books JULY 19, 11AM-2PM AGE: 9-12

Illustrator Mark Wickham's first picture book, Brian and the Vikings, tells the story of a young Brian Boru. Discover some of the characters appearing in our festival before creating your very own legend or hero. Participants will design and illustrate their characters and then create a picture book of their own.

Tickets: €15, Max. 12 participants



10,000 Moustaches/Por Mis Bigotes

Ulises is nine years old and more than surprised to find he's grown a large moustache overnight! At first he tries to hide it, but then realises that the moustache has made him famous. His best friends Marcelino and Lula, his uncle's 10,000 Moustaches Club and his mum all get caught up in Ulises' hairy adventure. Make and style your own mo at home and show it off at the screening! We will have prizes for the hippest and hairiest!

MEXICO • 2014 • 100 MINS • COMEDY/DRAMA/FAMILY • ENGLISH SUBTITLES **DIR.: MANUEL CARAMES**



Operation Arctic/Operasjon Arktis

This thrilling adventure story is set in the wild Arctic Ocean. When three children accidentally get stranded on the deserted Half Moon island, they have to face challenges they'd never dreamt of. How will they eat, fend off wild animals or find a way to send an SOS? It's up to teenager Julia to mind her twin siblings and get them all out of this frozen place - alive. Test your survival skills with our fun pre-screening activity.

NORWAY • 2014 • 87 MINS • ENGLISH SUBTITLES • DIR.: GRETHE BØE-WALL



FAMILY FESTIVAL ON TOUR

In conjunction with access>CINEMA, we are delighted to bring highlights of the IFI Family Festival 2015 to the following venues:

Dunamaise Arts Centre, Portlaoise

Friday 24 - Sunday 26 July www.dunamaise.ie

The Model, Sligo

Tuesday 11, Wednesday 12 August www.themodel.ie

Riverbank Arts Centre, Newbridge

Saturday 22, Sunday 23 August www.riverbank.ie

This touring programme will include: Fiddlesticks/Quatsch und die Nasenbärbande The Legend of Longwood Short Film Programme Adventure Venture Workshop

See separate flyer for times and booking information.



IFI Family Festival Film Tickets:

All films €5 (includes opening night event) Family Ticket (film events): €15.00 (2 adults, 2 children)

Bookings:

IFI Box Office 01 679 3477 www.ifi.ie/familyfest

Please note:

Films which have not been classified by the Irish Film Classification Office (www.ifco.ie) are given an age recommendation by the IFI. For more information on any title or our recommendation, please contact us. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult in the cinema, unless a screening is chaperoned.

Chaperoned Screening

Children of 9+ can attend a screening unaccompanied if the screening is designated as chaperoned. Parents/ Guardians must stay in vicinity of IFI. All IFI Family Festival events operate in accordance

with our Child Protection Policy (see www.ifi.ie/learn/child-protection-policy).

SR Subtitles will be read aloud by an experienced reader (where indicated).

Join our creative team and further your film experience by getting involved in this year's exciting workshop programme. Workshops: €12 - €20 Bookings: 01 612 9445/01 612 9436. Booking is essential as places are limited.

For full programme and workshop information please see our website: www.ifi.ie/familyfest



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WELCOME

to IFI Family Festival 2015

This summer we take you on some rollicking film adventures look out for fun activities for all in the IFI foyer and visit to an Arctic island, Indian backstreets, a Canadian sports pitch and a very average German town. Step inside the head of Pixar's Riley in *Inside Out*, watch New Yorker Mickey and her pals try to save a team of wild horses in Wicklow, and find out just exactly what Esio Trot means.

Add to your adventure and learn how to screen print, illustrate a picture book and make your very own film trailer in our workshops. What's more, during the festival

We're thrilled to welcome RTÉjr's Clara Murray who will open the Festival, and you can meet her and other guests over the weekend. Your summer adventures start here!

For more information and booking, see www.ifi.ie/familyfest

OPENING NIGHT EVENTS



THURSDAY

A Major Emotion Commotion

What makes you happy? What makes you mad? Does broccoli disgust you? Do films make you sad? Don't hide your feelings tonight as we turn the IFI foyer 'Inside Out' with our emotional commotional fover adventures! All free of charge.



Inside Out

Growing up can be a bumpy road, and it's no exception for Riley, who is uprooted from her Midwest life when her father starts a new job in San Francisco. Like all of us, Riley is guided by her emotions - Joy, Fear, Anger, Disgust and Sadness. The emotions live in Headquarters, the control centre inside Riley's mind, where they help advise her through everyday life. As Riley and her emotions struggle to adjust to a new life in San Francisco, turmoil ensues in Headquarters. Although Joy, Riley's main and most important emotion, tries to keep things positive, the emotions conflict on how best to navigate a new city, house and school.

USA • 2015 • 94 MINS • ANIMATION/COMEDY/DRAMA • DIRECTOR: PETE DOCTER PRODUCER: JONAS RIVERA

Includes the animated short LAVA. From Pixar Animation Studios LAVA is a musical love story that takes place over millions of years. Gala Opening with thanks to Walt Disney Studios Motion Pictures, Ireland Inside Out opens nationwide July 24th



Short Tales 1

Is a zebra still a zebra if it doesn't have stripes? What happens when a magical circus comes to town? Can you get lost in your own imagination? Could you catch light in a jar? Find answers to these questions and more as you travel the world with our selection of short films from around the globe.

For full film programme details see www.ifi.ie/familyfest



Norkshop: Poster Print

JULY 17, 11AM-1PM AGE: 7-9

Design, print and exhibit your very own film festival poster with Black Church Print Studio artist David McGinn. Participants will work creatively to discover and learn various printing techniques, such as drypoint etching and screen printing, before choosing their favourite festival title to inspire their design. All posters will be exhibited during the festival.

Tickets: €12.00, Max. 12 participants



Fiddlesticks/Quatsch und die Nasenbärbande

Bollersdorf is an average town. For the children, however, being average is no fun. When their grandparents are packed off to retirement homes for not being average enough, the children plot to get them out with the help of their pet coati. A hilarious caper of madcap inventions follows, making sure that Bollersdorf will never be average again.

GERMANY • 2014 • 82 MINS • ENGLISH SUBTITLES • COMEDY/FAMILY • DIR.: VEIT HELMER



The Outlaw League/La Gang les hors-la-loi

After the recent death of his father, 12-year-old Nicholas finds comfort playing baseball with his friends. However, the gang's beloved pitch is about to be turned into a dump and the only person who might help them win it back is Nicholas' grandfather, former coach Jérémie, who is drinking too much. Can Jérémie pull himself together and help the team? Find out in this inspiring film about forgiveness and standing up for what you believe.

CANADA • 2014 • 90 MINS • DRAMA • ENGLISH SUBTITLES • DIR.: JEAN BEAUDRY



Crow's Egg/Kaakkaa Muttai

How far would you go for a slice of pizza? When two young boys see an ad for a pizza restaurant near their Indian slum home, they dream of nothing else but getting their first taste. Watch the intrepid pair hilariously overcome every obstacle that stands in their way before they can get to sample this new and

Please note: Infrequent use of strong language.

INDIA • 2014 • 99 MINS • DRAMA/ADVENTURE • ENGLISH SUBTITLES • DIR.: M. MANIKANDAN



SATURDAY

Puffin Rock

Dive into a wonderful world of sea creatures, reefs, flowers and fauna with Oona, Baba and the other creatures who inhabit Puffin Rock. Watch your favourite island family from the hit RTÉjr series on the big screen. Cartoon Saloon's Lily Bernard, who is co-creator and art director of Puffin Rock, will show and tell how she draws these feathered friends. After the screening, have fun in the foyer with our fluffy puffin activities.



Workshop: Adventure Venture

JULY 18. 11AM-3PM AGE: 8-12

There's lots of adventure in this year's festival so why not make your own? Join Createschool to learn how to storyboard, script, film, edit and produce a trailer for your own imaginary film. Discover different techniques and work creatively with new media technologies to bring your adventure to life before sharing it with your friends. Swashbuckling superhero costumes optional!

Tickets: €20, Max. 12 participants



Winnetou was the Native American hero of German writer Karl May's classic stories. Ten-year-old blond-haired Max lives Winnetou's way and is certain he will get the part of Winnetou's son in the Karl May Festival. First, however, he needs to learn to ride a horse. Up steps Morten, who dresses in black and can't ride his bike. The unlikely pair take on the town...

We're delighted to welcome Lorenzo Germeno (Max) to the screening. Kindly supported by the Goethe Institut.

GERMANY • 2015 • 91 MINS • FAMILY/DRAMA • ENGLISH SUBTITLES • DIR.: ANDRÉ ERKAU



Short Tales 2

In this selection of short films, young people in different places win against the odds, whether that means battling a scary beast, living with a saucepan as a friend or convincing their parents to buy them a bike. Discover their stories, their sometimes whacky situations, and more, in these varied short films.

For full film programme details see www.ifi.ie/familyfest



The Legend of Longwood

Mickey Miller is a 12-year-old New Yorker whose move to Longwood, a windswept town in Ireland, coincides with the return of the legendary, evil Black Knight. Mickey and her new friend Sean - along with Silver, a wild stallion - set out to redeem the Knight. First she must save a precious herd of white horses and thwart the plans of a greedy woman - a mighty handful even for the bravest girl! NETHERLANDS/IRELAND/GERMANY • 2014 • 99 MINS • ADVENTURE/DRAMA/FAMILY

Meet the director and other members of cast and crew who will attend the

Actors' Workshop

Lorcan Bonner (Sean), left, and Scott Graham (Colin) will give a facilitated acting workshop for lucky Festival participants. See how these young actors work before watching them in The Legend of Longwood. Places limited. Booking essential.

