

# WINCHESTER FILM SOCIETY 2018/19 Season

**Welcome to our 2018/2019 season of films at the Winchester Film Society.** Once again, we're thrilled to bring you another sixteen films from across six continents. We explore attitudes to transgender in Chile, a heartbreaking father daughter relationship in America, investigate murder and corruption in Egypt and have a war of words and more with our oh-so-lovely neighbours in Iceland. We're showing highlights of British cinema too with a twisted fairy tale about a serial killer in Jersey and a tale of forbidden love in the Orthodox Jewish community.

We're proud to be screening Ai Weiwei's startling documentary about human migration and we have other tales of change and displacement too. From the impact of the drugs trade on native Colombians, tribal coming-of-age rituals in South Africa to German construction workers in Bulgaria finding out that it's not exactly *Auf Wiedersehen Pet*. We're also screening *Some Like it Hot*, 60 years to the day from its original release. A rare opportunity to watch one of the all time classics on the big screen.

This season we're teaming up with the **Winchester Film Festival** to bring you an evening of short films from Europe and beyond. Screened on the 6th November at the Winchester Science Centre and Planetarium, mark your diaries now as this is not to be missed! Winchester Film Society members will also enjoy a discount to all screenings at the Film Festival. Find details of this exciting event at: <http://winchesterfilmfestival.com>

Details about the content of our films can be found on the BBFC website [www.bbfc.co.uk](http://www.bbfc.co.uk) which will allow you to make an informed decision as to whether a film is right for you. You'll also notice an **F** (sometimes three) alongside several of our films. This is the F-Rating which is designed to both support and promote women and redress the imbalance in the film industry.

And once again we'd like to thank our hosts at Winchester Science Centre and Planetarium. Please do visit The Hub café and take time to have a look around and see all the amazing events and attractions they have to offer: [www.winchestersciencecentre.org](http://www.winchestersciencecentre.org) This year the Science Centre has supported us in bringing online payment to our members and also introduced a new sound system to improve your enjoyment of our films.

So please join us at Winchester Science Centre and Planetarium on alternate Tuesday nights. For the whole season or just a single film, whichever you choose, a warm welcome awaits.



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### Membership and Tickets are now Online

Membership of **Winchester Film Society** is free and available to all those buying a **Season Ticket** or **Five Film Carnet**. Members not only enjoy a large discount, they are guaranteed a seat at our films and get regular email alerts for our films.

**TO AVOID ON THE NIGHT QUEUES WE'D REALLY LIKE YOU TO PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS ONLINE AND IN ADVANCE**

#### MEMBERSHIP

**Season Ticket £75**

This is our **BIG DISCOUNT TICKET** and is increasingly popular as it guarantees entry to all 16 films during the season.

**Five Film Carnet £35**

This gives entry to any 5 films of your choice during the current season.

#### GUEST ENTRY

You are very welcome to join us for single or occasional films as a guest.

Guests can also sign up for email alerts by providing us with brief contact details via our website.

**On the Night Ticket £8**

This allows guest entry to one of our films.

#### PURCHASING TICKETS

You can purchase tickets either:

1) **Online** via our website: [www.winchesterfilmsociety.co.uk](http://www.winchesterfilmsociety.co.uk)

2) **On the night** we are showing a film at **The Winchester Science Centre and Planetarium** (map overleaf)

To attend any of our screenings you must be 16 or over.

Some of our films may also carry "18" certificates from the British Board of Film Classification and therefore require proof of identification.

Films are shown at The Winchester Science Centre, Telegraph Way, Morn Hill, Winchester, Hampshire SO21 1HZ. Ample free parking is available.

Films start at 8:00pm – please arrive in good time especially if paying on the night. Seats are not allocated – first come, first served!

We are compliant with data protection regulations and you can manage your personal data via our website [www.winchesterfilmsociety.co.uk](http://www.winchesterfilmsociety.co.uk)

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Winchester Film Society at  
Winchester Science Centre  
Every other Tuesday at 8.00pm  
[www.winchesterfilmsociety.co.uk](http://www.winchesterfilmsociety.co.uk)



### WINCHESTER SCIENCE CENTRE AND PLANETARIUM

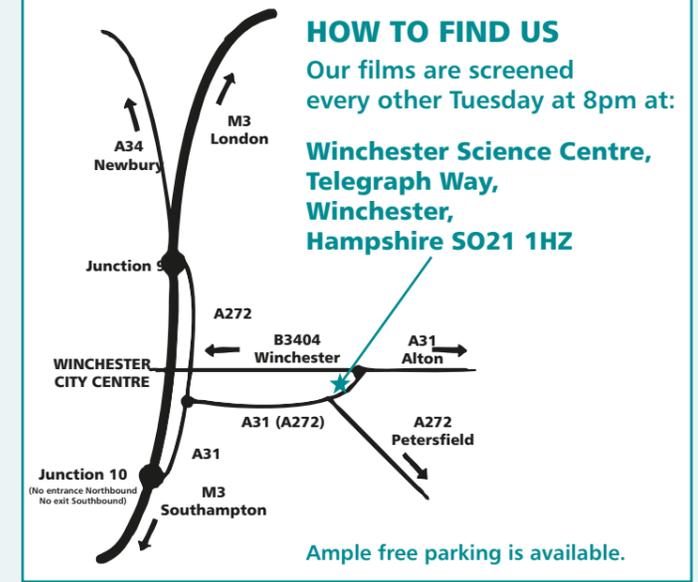


Winchester Science Centre and Planetarium is an under-cover, all-weather family-friendly attraction run by an educational charity. There are two floors of hands-on interactive science exhibits, designed to spark curiosity and encourage experimentation and discovery. An extensive events programme includes live science shows, holiday club and drop-in activities, space lectures, live performance in the planetarium and more.

The Science Centre is home to the UK's largest standalone planetarium providing an incredible, immersive, 360 degree experience. Full-dome film and live, presenter-led shows are available in the planetarium daily and form part of the Science Centre's special events programme.

Onsite facilities include the Hub Café, Science Shop and outdoor picnic and play area, and direct access is available to the adjacent Butterfly Conservation reserve via a public footpath.

Situated on the A31, three miles east of the M3 (jct. 9 and 10). Open every day, from 10am – 5pm at weekends and during school/public holidays, and 10am – 4pm Mon-Fri during term time.



**HOW TO FIND US**  
Our films are screened every other Tuesday at 8pm at:  
**Winchester Science Centre, Telegraph Way, Winchester, Hampshire SO21 1HZ**

8 January 2019

**UNDER THE TREE 15 F**  
*Hafsteinn Gunnar Sigurðsson, Iceland, 89 min, Drama, Comedy*  
It may only be a large tree that casts a shadow over a sunroom, but in a country where trees don't grow, you want to protect the one you've got! From the production stable that made *Rams*, this is a film for those who enjoy twisted Nordic humour and irony.

22 January 2019

**SWEET COUNTRY 15**  
*Warwick Thornton, Australia, 109 mins, Western, Drama*  
A sympathetic settler 'lends' his Aboriginal employee 'a black stock' to his new neighbour. Tensions rise and the employee shoots his temporary employer; echoes of the western in a barren and hostile landscape.

5 February 2019

**BIRDS OF PASSAGE TBC FFF**  
*Christina Gallegos and Ciro Guerra, Colombia, 125 mins, Drama*  
During the marijuana bonanza, a violent decade that saw the origins of drug trafficking in Colombia, Rapayet and his family get involved in a war to control the business. It ends up destroying their lives and their culture.

19 February 2019

**WESTERN 12A F**  
*Valeska Grisebach, Bulgaria, 116 mins, Drama*  
German construction workers start a tough job in a remote part of Bulgaria. The language barrier and cultural differences force them to confront their own prejudices and mistrust. A showdown with the locals becomes inevitable.

5 March 2019

**BEAST 15 F**  
*Michael Pearce, UK, 102 min, Drama, Thriller, Mystery, Crime*  
A deliciously dark psychodrama set in the pastoral location of Jersey. *Beast* is part modern gothic fairy tale and part crime thriller. A genre-busting, innovative film with a fine cast and a stand out performance from rising star, British actress, Jessie Buckley.

19 March 2019

**SOME LIKE IT HOT PG CLASSIC OSCAR WINNER**  
*Billy Wilder, US, 121 mins, Comedy, Romance*  
Two struggling musicians witness the St. Valentine's Day Massacre. Needing a quick escape, they disguise themselves as women to join an all-girl jazz band and go on the run, with the mob in hot pursuit.

2 April 2019

**COLD WAR 15 F BEST DIRECTOR CANNES**  
*Pawel Pawlikowski, Poland, 88 min, Drama, Romance*  
Set against the backdrop of post 1945 Poland, two ill-matched lovers have to decide whether to break free to the West. Shot once more in black and white and with an eclectic soundtrack, Pawlikowski's (the director of *Ida*) latest offering has met with universal acclaim.

16 April 2019

**HAVE A NICE DAY 15**  
*Jian Liu, China, 77 mins, Crime, Animation*  
Animated neo-noir: in southern China, impoverished Xiao Zhang steals a million yuan from his shady uncle to repair his girlfriend's botched plastic surgery. Uncle wants it back. Others want it too. Follow the money from one dodgy character to the next.

30 April 2019

**DISOBEDIENCE 15 F**  
*Sebastián Lelio, UK, 114 mins, Drama*  
A woman returns to the Orthodox Jewish community that had shunned her in the past for her attraction to a female childhood friend. Once back, their passions reignite as they explore the boundaries of faith and sexuality.

14 May 2019

**LEAVE NO TRACE PG FFF**  
*Debra Granik, US, 109 mins, Drama*  
Will and his teenage daughter, Tom, have lived off the grid for years in the forest. They are 'caught' and put into social services. After clashing with their new surroundings, Will and Tom set off on a harrowing journey back to their wild homeland.

**WINCHESTER FILM SOCIETY x WINCHESTER FILM FESTIVAL**  
Present an evening of short films on Tuesday 6 November 2018 at 8.00pm  
WINCHESTER SCIENCE CENTRE AND PLANETARIUM

2 October 2018

**A FANTASTIC WOMAN 15 F OSCAR WINNER**  
*Sebastián Lelio, Chile, 100 mins, Drama*  
Marina, a transgender woman, is shocked when her older boyfriend dies. She is treated with suspicion by his family who suspect she was somehow involved in his death. She has to battle the same forces she has spent a lifetime fighting to become the woman she now is.

16 October 2018

**THE NILE HILTON INCIDENT 15**  
*Tarik Saleh, Morocco, 106 mins, Crime, Drama*  
Set against the backdrop of the Egyptian Revolution, a police officer investigates the murder of a woman. What seems to be a killing of a prostitute turns into a complicated case involving the elite of Egypt.

30 October 2018

**GLORY 12A FF**  
*Kristina Grozeva and Petar Valchanov, Bulgaria, 97 mins, Drama*  
A reclusive railway worker finds millions in cash on the tracks and hands the money in to the police. When he's used as a diversion from a scandal, his simple life falls victim to the chaos of bureaucracy.

13 November 2018

**THE WOUND 15**  
*John Trengove, South Africa, 86 min, Drama*  
A coming-of-age narrative set in a remote community in South Africa. A challenging film that deals with circumcision and the related issues of masculinity, sexuality and community.

27 November 2018

**HUMAN FLOW 12A**  
*Ai Weiwei, Germany/US, 135 mins, Documentary*  
More than 65 million people have been forced from their homes to escape famine, climate change and war. In the course of an eventful year, this documentary follows a chain of urgent human stories and gives a powerful visual expression to this massive human migration.

11 December 2018

**LOVELESS 15 F OSCAR NOMINATED**  
*Andrey Zvyagintsev, Russia, 122 minutes, Drama*  
A 12 year old boy is at the centre of this compelling drama about the bitter separation of his parents. Haunting and horrifying, the director of *Elena* and *Leviathan* presents presents a contemporary Russia with uncaring authorities and a coldness that pervades all social interactions.

