

SHORTS - H08

FRIDAY ♥ 4.30PM ♥ HERITAGE THEATRE



FRACTURED LIGHT

Matthew Smith : 10'
Australia : Drama

A journey deep into the fractured memories is the only way to find a way out of his mind, back to the ones he loves.



THE FACE OF UKRAINE — CASTING OKSANA BAIUL

Kitty Green : 7'14

Australia/Ukraine : Documentary

Adorned in pink sequins, little girls from across a divided, war-torn Ukraine audition to play the role of gold medal-winning figure skater Oksana Baiul, whose tears of joy once united their troubled country.

Best Non-Fiction Short Film - Sundance, Berlin FF



DESKLOOP

Evelien Lohbeck : 1'
Netherlands : Animation

Deskloop is a one minute looping chain reaction that takes place on a desk(top).

Athens Animfest, Monstra Lisbon



OF SHADOWS AND WINGS

Elice Meng & Eleonora Marinoni
13' : Switzerland/France : Animation

How can one survive in a barren land, populated by imprisoned-minded people?

Silver Pardino, Youth Jury Award - Locarno FF, Audience Award - Swiss Competition - Fantoche International Animation FF



TRAMPOLINE

Maarten Koopman : 3'
Netherlands : Animation

This animated film shows the cinema screen as a trampoline on which people and animals are frolicking.

Anima Brussels, London International Animation Festival



JACK IN THE BOX

Robert DeLeskie : 16'
Canada : Comedy/Drama

Jack, a procrastinating writer, finds the apartment he is house-sitting has turned into a box with no escape. Inside is another, smaller box...



STEALTH

Bennett Lasseter : 22' : USA : Drama

The heartwarming story of a brave, transgender tween!

Best Student Short - Cleveland IFF, TIFF Kids IFF



IT HIT UPON THE ROOF

Teymour Ghaderi : 3:30 : Iran : Drama

A young boy is at home, alone with his sick mother. It is raining outside and the roof is dripping. He wants to keep his mother dry and does not want to wake her up.

Best Short Film - CineYouth Chicago IFF, Grand Awards - Courtoujours FF



TWO DOSAS

Sarmad Masud : 16' : UK : Comedy

Geeky Pavan takes his 'English Rose' on a date to the most authentic Indian restaurant in the city. To his horror she goes off-menu, in Hindi...

Best London Calling Plus Short Film - Film London, Best Comedy Short Film - Aspen Shortsfest

HAPPY HOUR - F07

FRIDAY ♥ 5.30PM ♥ FOSSICKERS ROOM



ACE

A D Cooper : 7'22 : UK : Drama

Two bored boys try to annoy an old man in a mobility scooter by cycling up to him repeatedly and yelling in his face. His response is anything but predictable.

Discovery FF, Century Short FF

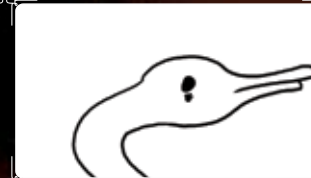


REDCAP

Peter Coulthard : 8'14 : UK : Comedy

An affectionate mockumentary following a gnome catcher called Brian Fitzgerald as he tracks down a lawn gnome that has been terrorising a garden.

Short Film Audience Award - Here be Dragons International New Genre FF, Best Actor - Reading Fringe FF



TEAM TICK

Sheldon Lieberman & Igor Coric : 3' 13
Australia : Animation

Living on a farm has its perks... and its pests. When Gertrude the goose gets a tick, the family does their best to help.



RIP IT UP & START AGAIN

Stephen Ryan : 6' : Ireland : Comedy

With pen and paper a quiet man reaches out to his true love, but writing the perfect love letter is only half the battle.

Palm Springs International Short Fest, Rhode Island IFF



NODDY

Ben Plazzer : 6'14 : Australia : Comedy

The Prime Minister's personal Noddy becomes so good at blending into the background he finds himself disappearing from everyday life.

Best screenplay, Best director, Best film - Peninsula Short Film Festival



MADAM BLACK

Ivan Barge : 11'
New Zealand : Comedy

When a glamour photographer runs over a child's pet, he's forced to fabricate a story about its disappearance.

DC IFF, New Zealand IFF, Rhode Island IFF



IF THE CUCKOO DON'T CROW

Steve Kirby : 1'50 : UK : Documentary/Animation

If the cuckoo don't crow, then you know there's wind coming.

Encounters Short Film and Animation Festival, The Smalls FF



BYE BYE LULU

Ryan Svirac : 6:46 : Australia : Comedy

When her brother's beloved dog dies in her care, Greta, a desperate pet-sitter, must take on the big city to get the body to the vet before they close.

Cinéfest Oz



VALENTINE

Kate Herron : 4:00 : UK : Drama

On Valentine's Day, a hopeless romantic and a cynic realise love is right in front of them.

FlickerFest, Raindance Festival