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Be Bold. Be Breathtaking.

Since 1983, the core of our mission has been to seek out and champion films that not only represent the best of their kind, but can adequately speak to the experience of contemporary kids and teens.

Today, we find this to be just as important, if not more so, since we live in a time obsessed with instantaneous connectivity. We now have the ability to know what's going on in Peoria as quickly as London, Tokyo, Tehran, or Burkina Faso. Once distant locations are now only a click away.

This is one reason why we are so excited about the bold, global narratives presented in our official selection. They are articulate about the successes and challenges kids and teens experiences all around the world. They are mesmerizing in their beauty, skill, and freshness. They are, in a word, breathtaking.

We are proud to share these films with Chicago and can't wait to see you at the cinema!

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The Chicago International Children's Film Festival aims to set an internationally-recognized standard of excellence in film production for children and youth.

We strive to support the work of talented and dedicated filmmakers by showcasing international films of the highest quality and awarding prizes in multiple categories of production formats and genres. We also provide professional forums to enable quality children's films to gain increased distribution and access to wider audiences. The film experiences of young viewers are deepened through a broad range of programs which extend Festival film viewing into discussion and learning.

Presented by Facets

The Chicago International Children's Film Festival is operated by Facets, a nonprofit that connects people to independent ideas through transformative film experiences.

Book a Field Trip today

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facets.org/cicff/field-trips
 Email:
fldtrips@facets.org
 Phone:
 773-291-9075
 x3040

Can't fit a Field Trip into your schedule right now? Don't worry, we offer Festival Field Trips before and after official dates. Just ask about them when you book.

Tickets

\$6

Groups of 25+
 \$6 student

\$7

Groups under 25
 \$7 per student

Chaperones
 Free based on 10:1 ratio
 \$10 for each additional chaperone

Refreshments
 \$3 per person
 Includes 16oz popcorn and small soda.
 Only available at the Facets venue.

Festival Field Trips are a fun way to introduce your students to diverse, global perspectives.

Our main goal is to inspire the next generation of creative, empathetic thinkers through independent film. This is a big task, but with over 30 years of practice we've perfected the approach.

Exciting content

We curate innovative, intellectually engaging international films that approach youth and the world they inhabit with emotional complexity.

Facilitated engagement

Our media educators are trained to engage your students in pre- and post-screening discussions that inspire them to explore different cultures, increase media literacy, and engage in critical thinking.

The right tools

Our Group Screening Curriculum is aligned with Common Core Standards, and gives you a range of activity and assessment options.

Meet the filmmakers

We welcome dozens of international filmmakers who lead interactive Q&As following many of our screenings.

General Admission

Purchase
 In person at venue box office
 Online:
facets.org/cicff
 By phone:
 (773) 281 9075
 x3037
 Email:
kids@facets.org

GENERAL ADMISSION

KIDS
\$6

GENERAL ADMISSION

ADULTS
\$10

FACETS MEMBERS

\$5

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FAMILY PASS

\$45

Admits up to 4 kids or adults to all screenings.

Field Trips

GROUP OF 25+

STUDENT
\$6

Chaperones Free based on 10:1 ratio
 \$10 for each additional chaperone

GROUP UNDER 25

STUDENT
\$7

Chaperones Free based on 10:1 ratio
 \$10 for each additional chaperone

Venues

Our venues span all of Chicago, from the South Shore to the North Shore.

Main Venues

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Facets

1517 W Fullerton Ave
Chicago, IL 60614

2

Music Box Theatre

3733 N. Southport Ave.
Chicago, IL 60613

Partner Venues

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University of Chicago: Reva & David Logan Center for the Arts

915 E. 60th St.
Chicago, IL 60637

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Alliance Française

1517 W Fullerton Ave
Chicago, IL 60614

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Instituto Cervantes

31 W. Ohio St.
Chicago, IL 60654

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Wilmette Theatre

1122 Central Ave.
Wilmette, IL 60091

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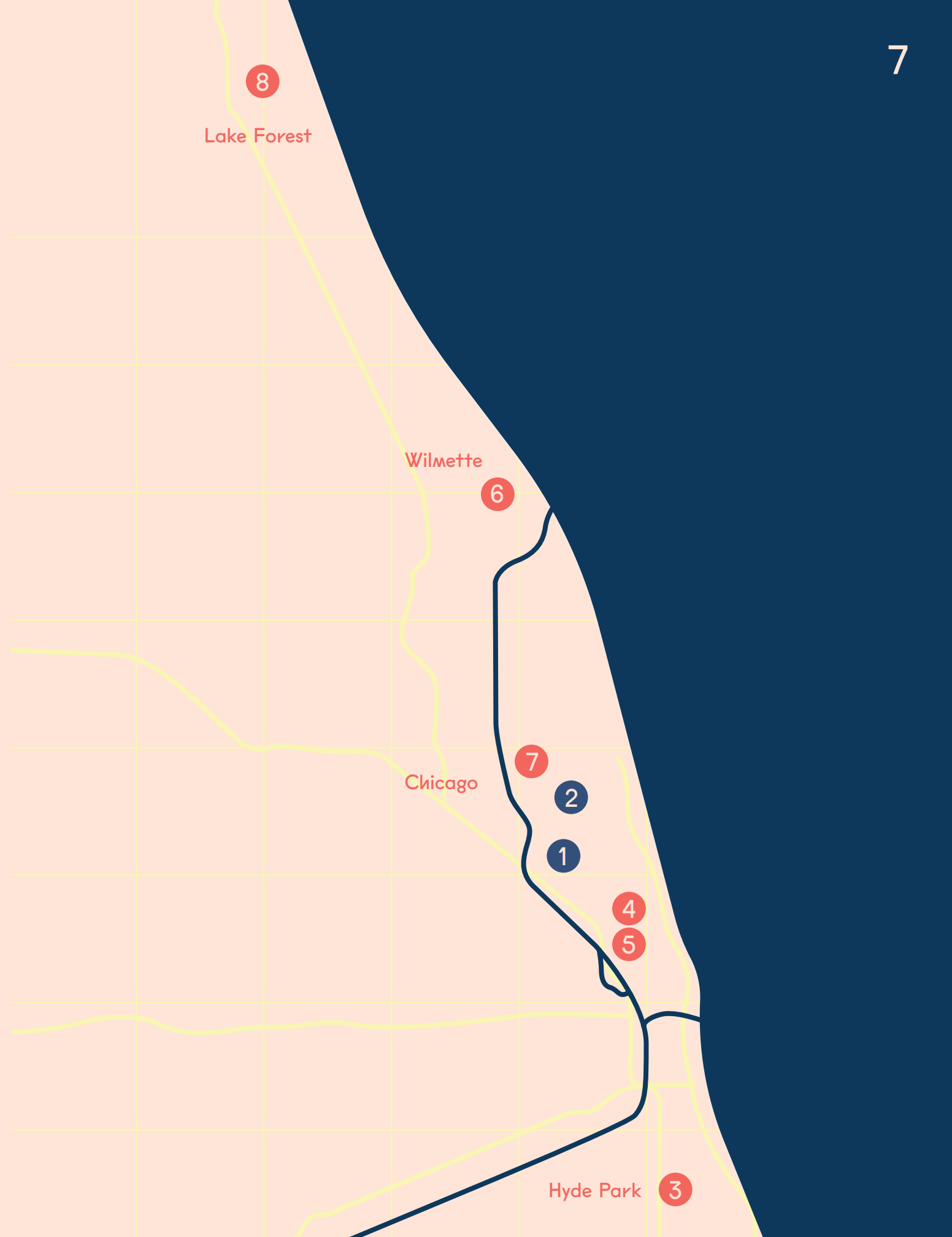
Davis Theater

4614 N. Lincoln Ave.
Chicago, IL 60625

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Gorton Community Center

400 E. Illinois Rd.
Lake Forest, IL 60045



Schedule

Oct 27 —
Nov 5, 2017

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Tots

PreK—1
ages 1—6

25

Big Kids

grades 2—4
ages 6—10

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Tweens

grades 5—8
ages 10—13

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Teens

grades 9—12
ages 13—17

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**Saturday
October
28**

**Festival Sneak Peek:
Wee Beasties**

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**Free & open
to the public**

WTTW and Spiffy Pictures invite you to a sneak peek of "Nature Cat", the cool animated series for kids ages 3-7, which airs nationwide. Designed to encourage children to explore and develop connections with the natural world, "Nature Cat" follows Fred, the house cat who becomes a superhero explorer of the great outdoors. The production team will be at the event to share some "behind the scenes" insights. Very special guest, Nature Cat himself will also be at there for a full-on photo-opp with guests following the show!

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 9:30am
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre I
85 minutes

Opening & Closing Night Celebrations

October
27 &
November
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Opening Night

All Ages

We're celebrating the opening of the Festival in style this year with a collection of short films that best represent this year's Official Selection. From cutting-edge animation, to challenging stories about kids living life in the real world, the films in this year's Festival are truly bold and breathtaking. This event is invite only.

Showtimes

Friday October 27, 2017 — 7pm
Facets — Theater I
90 minutes



Closing Night

All Ages

At Closing Night of the 34th Chicago International Children's Film Festival, we invite filmmakers, Festival friends, and VIP guests to watch an exclusive selection of short films before we give out awards, including the prestigious Oscar-qualifying categories. This event is invite only.

Showtimes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 6pm
Facets — Theater I
90 minutes



	Facets theater I	Music Box theatre I	Music Box theatre II	Instituto Cervantes	Alliance Française
9:00					
10:00	Learn to Fly 9:45am (67min) Page 29	I Got This 9:45am (92min) Page 28	The Legend of Timm Thaler... 10:15am (122min) Page 51	Halloween: Monsters in the Moat 10:00am (82min) Page 33	Thinking Caps 10:00am (79min) Page 30
11:00					
12:00	On Top of the World 11:45am (94min) Page 47	Out and About 11:45am (87 minutes) Page 35			
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7:00	Opening Night Celebration				
8:00	7:00pm (90min) Page 13				
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	Facets theater I	Facets theater II	Music Box theatre I	Music Box theatre II	Wilmette theatre I
9:00					
10:00	Dream Team 9:30am (52min) Page 27		Bearing Down 9:30am (61min) Page 26	Robby & Toby's Fantastic Voyager 9:45am (102min) Page 35	Festival Sneak Peek: Wee Beesties 9:30am (85min) Page 11
11:00	Halloween Stories 11:00am (77 minutes) Page 40	Buddy Up 10:15am (84min) Page 27	The Legend of Timm Thaler... 11:00am (102min) Page 51		
12:00		Setting the Bar 12:00pm (73min) Page 49		On Wheels 11:45am (72min) Page 47	
1:00	Fantasy Fantastic 1:00pm (73min) Page 39	Quiet on Set! 1:30pm (67min) Page 35			
2:00					
3:00	Oddsocketeaters 3:00pm (87min) Page 46	Lights, Camera, Action 3:15pm (57min) Page 42			
4:00					
5:00	Napping Princess 5:00pm (115min) Page 45	Teen Lens 5:15pm (58min) Page 58			
6:00					
7:00	Spindrift 7:00pm (69min) Page 49	The End of Dreams 7:15pm (92min) Page 50			
8:00					
9:00	Birdboy: The Forgotten Children 9:00pm (76min) Page 56				
10:00					

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- tweens
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	Facets theater I	Facets theater II	Music Box theatre I	Music Box theatre II
9:00				
	Learn to Fly		Next Door Spy	
10:00	9:30am (57min) Page 29	Vampire Sisters	9:30am (78min) Page 45	Mountain Miracle: An Unexpected Friendship 9:45am (94min) Page 44
11:00	On My Way 11:00am (66 minutes) Page 34	10:00am (97min) Page 52	Cloudboy	
12:00		Vampire Sisters 2: Bats in the Bell	11:00am (78min) Page 38	Shiverstone Castle 11:45am (93min) Page 49
1:00	Halloween: Heads Gonna Roll 1:00pm (87min) Page 40	11:45am (94min) Page 52		
2:00		Vampire Sisters 3: Journey to Transylvania 1:30pm (95min) Page 53		
3:00	Oddsockeaters	Tune Up		
4:00	3:00pm (87min) Page 46	3:15pm (80min) Page 52		
5:00	Into the Blue	Penny For Them		
6:00	5:00pm (92min) Page 41	5:15pm (74min) Page 48		
7:00	The Girl Without Hands	Crickets		
8:00	7:00pm (76min) Page 59	7:15pm (78min) Page 56		
9:00	Edgy Animation			
10:00	9:00pm (91min) Page 57			

	Facets theater I	Music Box theatre I	Music Box theatre II	Alliance Française	Instituto Cervantes	Reva & David Logan Center
9:00						
	Dream Team	Bearing Down				Halloween: Monsters in the Moat
10:00	9:45am (62min) Page 27	9:45am (81min) Page 26	Cloudboy	Mr. Frog	Halloween: Revolting Rhymes	9:45am (82min) Page 33
11:00			10:15am (98min) Page 38	10:00am (106min) Page 44	10:00am (96min) Page 40	
12:00	Where to go From Here	Spindrift				No Bullies, Please! Higher Ground 11:45am (84min) Page 46
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	Facets theater I	Music Box theatre I	Music Box theatre II	Alliance Française	Instituto Cervantes	Reva & David Logan Center
9:00						
10:00	STEM: The World Around Us	Lila's Book		Beyond the Pages	Halloween Stories	New Places, New Things
11:00	9:45am (90min) Page 29	9:45am (96min) Page 43	Halloween: Monsters in the Moat	10:00am (95min) Page 38	10:00am (97min) Page 40	9:45am (59min) Page 29
12:00	Oddsocketeaters	Long Ago Tales				Fractured Fairy Tales
1:00	11:45am (107min) Page 46	11:45am (90min) Page 43				11:45am (89min) Page 39
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7:00	It's the End of the World as We Know It					
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9:00	Birdboy: The Forgotten Children					
10:00	8:00pm (76min) Page 56					

	Facets theater I	Music Box theatre I	Music Box theatre II	Alliance Française	Instituto Cervantes	Reva & David Logan Center
9:00						
10:00	New Horizons, No Limits	Come Join Us		Window Horses	Here's the Plan	Follow the Leaders
11:00	9:45am (83min) Page 45	9:45am (81min) Page 27	Goodbye to All That	10:00am (110min) Page 59	10:00am (94min) Page 41	9:45am (77min) Page 33
12:00	Miles Ahead	On Wheels				It's STEM-tastic!
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7:00	Crossroads					
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9:00	Paying it Forward					
10:00	8:00pm (92min) Page 47					

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9:00						
10:00	No Bullies, Please! Get Up, Stand Up 9:45am (92min) Page 46	Action Plan 9:45am (92min) Page 32	Napping Princess 10:15am (135min) Page 45	Wind in the Reeds 10:00am (92min) Page 53	Come Together 10:00am (94min) Page 39	On Top of the World 9:45am (94min) Page 47
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12:00	The Wait 11:45am (78min) Page 51	It's STEM-tastic! 11:45am (85min) Page 42				The Wait 11:45am (78min) Page 51
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7:00	Dreaming of Denmark 7:00pm (58min) Page 57					
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9:00	Edgy Animation					
10:00	9:00pm (91min) Page 57					

	Facets theater I	Davis theatre I	Davis theatre II	Davis theatre III	Wilmette theatre I	Wilmette theatre II
9:00						
10:00	Tales from the Lakeside 9:45am (88min) Page 50	Whole New Day 10:30am (51min) Page 30	Lotte & Luise: Twins on Board 10:15am (113min) Page 43	Out and About 10:00am (87min) Page 35	Whole New Day 9:30am (51min) Page 30	Beyond the Pages 9:45am (95min) Page 38
11:00					Cloudboy 11:00am (98min) Page 38	Spindrift 11:45am (89min) Page 49
12:00	Just Me, Myself, and I 11:45am (75min) Page 28					
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7:00	In a Heartbeat 7:00pm (73min) Page 41					
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9:00	Swagger 9:00pm (83min) Page 58					
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	Facets theater I	Alliance Française	Davis theatre I	Davis theatre II	Davis theatre III
9:00		A Festive Wind			
10:00	Thinking Caps 9:30am (59min) Page 30	9:15am (66) Page 26	Adventures Await 10:15am (60 min) Page 26	Peppercorns and the Curse of the Black King 10:00am (97 min) Page 48	Family Fun 10:30am (59 min) Page 32
11:00	Stick to It 11:00am (82min) Page 50	Like Pages in a Book 11:00am (72min) Page 33	Dream Big 11:30am (71min) Page 32		
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1:00	Odd is an Egg 1:00pm (68 min) Page 34				
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3:00	Poles Apart 3:00pm (65min) Page 48				
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7:00	Goodbye to All That 7:00pm (71 min) Page 57				
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9:00	It's the End of the World as We Know It 9:00pm (78 min) Page 58				
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	Wilmette theatre I	Wilmette theatre II	Reva & David Logan Center
9:00			
10:00	Dream Team 9:30am (52min) Page 27	Out and About 9:45am (67min) Page 35	
11:00	Next Door Spy 11:00am (78 min) Page 45	Here's the Plan 11:15am (74min) Page 41	
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	Facets theater I	Davis theatre II	Gorton Community Center	Wilmette theatre I	Wilmette theatre II
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10:00	Just Me, Myself, and I 9:30am (60min) Page 28	Action Plan 10:15am (72min) Page 32		Adventures Await 9:30am (60min) Page 26	Just Me, Myself, and I 9:45am (60min) Page 28
11:00	New Kids on the Block 11:00am (74min) Page 34			Lotte & Luise: Twins on Board 10:45am (93min) Page 43	Champions of Amsterdam 11:00am (71min) Page 38
12:00					
1:00	Keep Going 1:00pm (81min) Page 42		Just Me, Myself, and I 12:30pm (60min) Page 28	Oddsocketeers 12:30pm (87min) Page 46	Goodbye to All That 1:00pm (71min) Page 57
2:00			Action Plan 2:00pm (72min) Page 32		
3:00	Ticket to Ride 3:00pm (79min) Page 51				
4:00			Adventures Await 4:00pm (60min) Page 26		
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6:00	Closing Night Ceremony 6:00pm (90min) Page 13				
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Tots

PreK—1
ages 1—6

Whether characters are venturing off to explore new horizons or are learning how to make new friends, these fun films for tots are sure to encourage independent thinking and spark the imagination.

 Subtitles

P Profanity **V** Violence **M** Mature Themes

F Extremely Course Language



A Festive Wind

Ages: 2+ 

Shorts Program

This program is a collection of very best animated films from France and French-speaking countries.

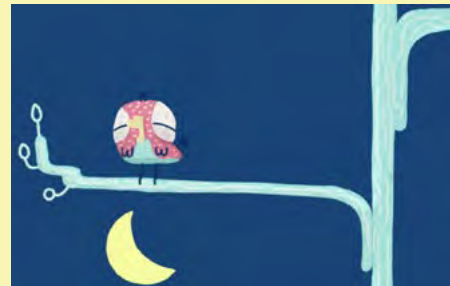
Shorts: The Penguin, Daisies and Dragons, Polo: The Day Polo Visited Space, Polo: The Day the Krapos Brothers Stole Polo's Reflection, Polo: The Day the Ladder Came Down from the Moon, A Bit Lost, The Pocket Man, A Festive Wind, The Unicorn

Countries: France, Belgium, Switzerland, Georgia.


Languages: Nonverbal, French with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 9:15am
Alliance Française
66 minutes



Adventures Await

Ages: 2–7 

Shorts Program

Adventure awaits the characters in these films as they discover new sights, horizons, and friends.

Shorts: Opposite Day, Zoo Story, Polo: The Day the Ladder Came Down from the Moon, The House, The Penguin, The Adventure of the Afternoon, Jazzoo, The Yummigold Garden, Waikiki

Countries: Germany, Czech Republic, France, Taiwan, Sweden, USA, Latvia

Languages: Nonverbal, English, French with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 10:15am
Davis Theater — Theatre I
60 minutes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 9:30am
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre I
60 minutes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 4:00pm
Gorton Community Center
60 minutes



Bearing Down

Ages: 5+ 

Shorts Program

The animals and other creatures in this collection are determined to push themselves, but do they know their limits?

Shorts: Spider Web, Show with the Mouse: "The Princess and the Pea", Swift, Jubilee, The Fruits of Clouds, The Bearytales, Klump: "Back on Track", Grizzly and the Lemmings: "Cellular Bear"

Countries: Russia, Germany, France, Czech Republic

Languages: Nonverbal, German, Czech with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 9:30am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
61 minutes

Monday October 30, 2017 — 9:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
81 minutes, including media education

Themes: Persistence, dare to test limits, knowing limits, manage expectations, deduction

Field Trip **Grades K – 2+**



Buddy Up

Ages: 4+ 

Shorts Program

This program features two featurettes with two groups of fun friends, Kiwi and Strit, then Snipp, Snapp, and Snut.

Shorts: Kiwi & Strit, Snipp, Snapp, Snut


Countries: Denmark, Sweden
Language: Nonverbal

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 10:15am
Facets — Theatre II
84 mins



Come Join Us

Ages: 4–8 

Shorts Program

The characters in these films know it's important to stick together and include everyone in the fun.

Shorts: Miru Miru, Kit 'n Kate: Making Friends, Balloon Barnyard: Puppy Day, Weasel, Piglet's Journey, Gokurosama, Battersnikes & Gumbles: The Monster in the Moat

Countries: France, Russia, Cyprus, Australia, Slovenia, Latvia, France, England
Languages: English and nonverbal

Showtimes

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 9:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
81 minutes, including media education



Dream Team

Ages: 2+ 

Shorts Program

These films prove that when friends take time to get to know each other, they can do great things.

Shorts: The Tiniest Man in the World: "Little Referee", Suriphobia, The Totems Family Song, A Bit Lost, Tweet Hearts: "Well Hatched", Konigiri-Kun – Kitchen Sports Day, Be-Be-Bears: "The Porcupotamus", The Pocket Man, How Shammies Got Well, Polo: "The Day the Krapos Brothers Stole Polo's Reflection", Pirate's Gold

Countries: France, Argentina, Turkey, USA, Germany, Japan, Russia, Latvia

Languages: Nonverbal, English, French with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 9:30am
Facets — Theatre I
52 minutes

Monday October 30, 2017 — 9:45am
Facets — Theatre I
62 minutes, including media education

Themes: Empathy and compassion, inclusivity, saying sorry, good decisions, new friends, teamwork

Field Trip **Grades PreK – K**

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 9:30am
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre I
52 minutes



Festival Sneak Peek

Ages: 3+

Shorts Program

Join us for this very special free event with fantastic friends and a “sneak peek” of Festival films for the little ones. When you buy a ticket to the event, you are automatically entered to win a Festival Family Pass.

Shorts: Pocket Man, Polo: The Day Polo Visited Space, Nature Cat: Ocean Commotion

Countries: France, USA
Languages: Nonverbal, English, French with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 9:30am
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre I
85 mins

I Got This

Ages: 4 – 8

Shorts Program

When it’s time to figure out a solution, the characters in these films are eager to start problem solving, no matter what the challenge is.

Shorts: Spider Web, Swiff, The Show with the Mouse: “The Princess and the Pea”, Jubilee, My Auntie’s Tall Tales: “The Cast Away”, The Fruits of Clouds, Bottersnikes & Gumbles: “The Monster in the Moat”, Klump: “Back on Track”

Countries: Russia, France, Germany, Denmark, Czech Republic, England, Germany
Languages: Nonverbal, German, Danish, English with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday October 27, 2017 — 9:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
92 minutes, including media education

Themes: Creative problem solving, deduction, initiative, leadership

Field Trip **Grades K – 2+**

Just Me, Myself, and I

Ages: 4+

Shorts Program

The characters in this collection are curious about themselves, their friends, and about the world around them.

Shorts: The Tiniest Man in the World: Traffic Officer, Zoo Story, Polo: The Day the Ladder Came Down from the Moon, The House, The Little Starfish, Coin Operated, Leo & Tig: The Mysterious Cave, Miriam: By the Lake, The Pocket Man, Shadowfox

Countries: France, Argentina, Czech Republic, France, Croatia, USA, Russia, Estonia, Germany
Languages: French, Croatian, English, German, and nonverbal with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday November 3, 2017 — 11:45am
Facets — Theatre I
75 minutes, including media education

Themes: Identity, be true to yourself, self vs others comparison, adventure, bravery.

Field Trip **Grades K+**

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 9:30am
Facets — Theatre I
60 minutes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 9:45am
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre II
60 minutes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 12:30pm
Gorton Community Center
60 minutes

Learn to Fly

Ages: 2 – 5

Shorts Program

Creative problem solving involves looking at one thing from many different perspectives, sometimes over and over again. Persistence pays off for the characters in these films.

Shorts: Tiniest Man in the World: Chopsticks, Hippo Hop, The Pocket Man, Treetop Family: Sparrows Learn to Fly, Miriam’s Hen’s Dream, Pirate’s Gold, BaDaBoo: Boat Trip, Coin Operated, Moonwolves

Countries: France, Argentina, Switzerland, Georgia, Germany, Canada, Estonia, Belgium, USA, Sweden
Languages: Nonverbal

Showtimes

Friday October 27, 2017 — 9:45am
Facets — Theatre I
67 minutes, including media education

Themes: Persistence, creative problem solving, teamwork

Field Trip **Grades PreK – K**

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 9:30am
Facets — Theatre I
57 mins

New Places, New Things

Ages: 2 – 5

Shorts Program

Time for new things! The confident characters in this collection of animated shorts are looking to try new things.

Shorts: Zoo Story, The Tiniest Man in the World: “Chopsticks”, Konigiri-Kun – Kitchen Sports Day, Polo: “The Day the Ladder Came Down from the Moon”, The House, The Penguin, A Bit Lost, Pocket Man, BaDaBoo: “Boat Trip”

Countries: Czech Republic, France, Argentina, Japan, Belgium
Languages: Nonverbal, French with English subtitles

Showtimes

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 9:45am
Reva & David Logan Center
59 minutes, including media education

Themes: Try new things!

Field Trip **Grades PreK – K**

STEM: The World Around Us

Ages: 4 – 8

Shorts Program

The world around us is changing. It’s easy to see that. But it’s harder to see what creates these changes and what the consequences are.

Shorts: 1 Minute Nature: Jellyfish Weather, Origins of Life: “First Sunrise”, Big Boom, The Fruits of Clouds, Weasel, The Unicorn, Show with the Elephant: “The Environmental Special”

Countries: Netherlands, Mexico, Russia, Czech Republic, Slovenia, France, Belgium, Germany
Languages: English, Spanish, Huichol, Nonverbal, French, German with English subtitles

Showtimes

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 9:45am
Facets – Theatre I
90 minutes, including media education

Themes: Sustainability, environmental change, interdependent relationships in ecosystems; lifecycles

Field Trip **Grades K – 2**



Thinking Caps

Ages: 5+

Shorts Program

The characters in these films put their thinking caps on to figure out many puzzling situations, from space exploration to knitting spiders.

Shorts: The Tiniest Man in the World: "The Sweater", Opposite Day, Koyaa – Naughty Toy Car, Polo: The Day Polo Visited Space, Balloon Barnyard: "Puppy Day", Spider Web, A Bit Lost, How Shammies Played Hide and Seek, The Penguin, The Pocket Man, The Tiniest Man in the World: "Traffic Officer", Coin Operated

Countries: France, Argentina, Germany, Slovenia, Australia, Russia, Latvia, Switzerland, Georgia, USA

Languages: Nonverbal, English, French with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday October 27, 2017 — 10am
Alliance Française
79 minutes, including media education

Themes: Manage Expectations, Deduction, Creative Problem Solving, Persistence

Field Trip **Grades K – 2+**

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 9:30am
Facets — Theatre I
59 minutes

Whole New Day

Ages: 4 – 8

Shorts Program

Time for new things! The confident characters in this collection of animated shorts are looking to try new things.

Shorts: Zoo Story, The Tiniest Man in the World: Chopsticks, Konigiri-Kun: Kitchen Sports Day, Polo: The Day the Ladder Came Down from the Moon, The House, The Penguin, A Bit Lost, Pocket Man, BaDaBoo: Boat Trip

Countries: Czech Republic, France, Argentina, Japan, Belgium

Languages: French and nonverbal with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday November 3, 2017 — 9:30am
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre I
66 minutes, including media education

Themes: Manage expectations, deduction, creative problem solving, persistence

Field Trip **Grades K – 2+**

Friday November 3, 2017 — 10:30am
Davis Theater — Theatre I
51 minutes

Big Kids

grades 2—4
ages 6—10

Growing up often means stepping outside of your comfort zone and being open to new ideas. These films feature big kids with big dreams, making big decisions about family, friends and the future.

Subtitles

P Profanity **V** Violence **M** Mature Themes

F Extremely Course Language



Action Plan

Ages: 8+

Shorts Program

These characters and critters are on the go! With a plan in hand, or is that a paw?

Shorts: Spider Web, Mr. Carton: Collision, The Pocket Man, Rouff, Show with the Mouse: The Princess and the Pea, Jubilee, The Fruits of Clouds, Dam! The Story of Kit the Beaver, The World's Middlest Fish

Countries: Russia, France, Switzerland, Georgia, Germany, Czech Republic, Canada, Norway

Languages: French, German, Norwegian, and nonverbal with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 9:45am
Music Box — Theatre I
92 minutes, including media education

Themes: creative problem solving, deduction; persistence

Field Trip **Grades 3 — 5**

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 10:15am
Davis Theater — Theatre II
72 minutes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 2pm
Gorton Community Center
72 minutes



Dream Big

Ages: 5+

Shorts Program

Being open to new ideas, friends, and perspectives allows the characters in these films to go on unexpected adventures.

Shorts: Mr. Carton: Collision, The World's Middlest Fish, The Fruits of Clouds, Daisies and Dragons, Nimbus, the Cloud Catcher, Finding Home, Odd is an Egg

Countries: France, Norway, Czech Republic, France, Belgium, Brazil, Denmark

Languages: French, Norwegian, Nonverbal, Danish with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 11:30am
Davis Theater — Theatre I
71 minutes



Family Fun

Ages: 5–8

Shorts Program

The families in these short films make family time fun, whether one-on-one or with the whole gang.

Shorts: Jiffy, The Totems Family Song, Tweet Hearts: Well Hatched, Tweet Hearts: Skillfully Protected, We Say Night Night, Little Tot: Memory Games, Miriam's Stray Dog, Treetop Family: Sparrows Learn to Fly, Zoo Story, Zou: Zou's Camouflage, Guess How Much I Love You: The Lucky Egg

Countries: Spain, USA, Germany, Denmark, Estonia, Canada, Czech Republic, France, Australia

Languages: Nonverbal, English, Spanish, Danish with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 10:30am
Davis Theater — Theatre III
59 minutes



Follow the Leaders

Ages: 6–9

Shorts Program

The characters in these films are excited about new friends and experiences.

Shorts: The Bearytales, Miru Miru, The Gift, The Intruders, The Butterfly, Apple Tree House: Election, Little J and Big Cuz: Hopalong

Countries: Czech Republic, France, Germany, Turkey, Norway, Canada, England, Australia

Languages: Czech, English, Arabic, Norwegian, and Spanish with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 9:45am
Reva & David Logan Center
77 minutes, including media education

Themes: Get-along, inclusivity; don't judge a book by its cover, new friends, standing out + fitting in, civic duty and being positive voice for community

Field Trip **Grades 1 — 3**



Halloween: Monsters in the Moat

Ages: 6–10

Shorts Program

Scary monsters and ghosts are no match for the characters of these animated films.

Shorts: 1 Minute Nature—Pirates, Wolfie the Bunny, Live from the Moss: "The Ghost of the Forest Dwellings", Slimelab, Ghostboy, Atchoo: "The Great Nightmare", Troubling Monsters: "There's a Monster in the Fridge", Bottenrikes & Gumbles: "The Monster in the Moat"

Countries: Netherlands, USA, England, Italy, Colombia

Languages: Czech, English, Spanish with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday October 27, 2017 — 10am
Instituto Cervantes
82 minutes, including media education

Themes: Manage expectations, troubleshooting, bravery

Field Trip **Grades 1 — 4**

Monday October 30, 2017 — 9:45am
Reva & David Logan Center
82 minutes, including media education

Field Trip **Grades 1 — 4**

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 10:15am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre II
89 minutes, including media education

Field Trip **Grades 1 — 4**



Like Pages in a Book

Ages: 8+

Shorts Program

The stories in this collection of shorts from France and French-speaking countries are page-turners, with gorgeously illustrated settings and lovingly-limned characters.

Shorts: Habitat, Not Just Another Commute, A Festive Wind, Little Match Girl, The Unicorn, The Wind in the Reeds

Countries: Switzerland, France, Belgium
Languages: Nonverbal, French with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday November 4 — 11am
Alliance Française
72 minutes



New Kids on the Block

Ages: 7+

Shorts Program

The characters in this collection of animated shorts learn how to accept new challenges when they're no longer the center of attention.

Shorts: Wolfie the Bunny, Little J and Big Cuz: Hopalong, Pigtail and Mr. Sleeplessness, Pieces of the Jigsaw Puzzle

Countries: USA, Australia, Latvia, Mexico

Languages: English, Spanish with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 11am
Facets — Theatre I
74 minutes

Odd is an Egg

Ages: 7+

Shorts Program

It is not easy to stay inside proscribed boundaries or roles for the characters in this collection of films. They are dreamers and explorers.

Shorts: Daisies and Dragons, Rouff, The Unicorn, Princessboy, The Fruits of Clouds, Odd is an Egg, Nimbus: The Cloud Catcher

Countries: France, Belgium, Germany, France, Sweden, Czech Republic, Norway, Brazil

Languages: Nonverbal, French, Swedish, Norwegian with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 1pm
Facets — Theatre I
68 minutes

On My Way

Ages: 5+

Shorts Program

The characters in this collection are up for going on adventures and trying new things, of course, with the encouragement of family members.

Shorts: Tweet Hearts: Well Hatched, The House, Opposite Day, Jiffy, The Totems Family Song, Grandma Pina's Noodles, Henriyeti: Sock It to Me, Yetil, Tweet Hearts: Skillfully Protected, The World's Middlest Fish, Klump: Back on Track, In the Mood for a Swim, My Auntie's Tall Tales: The Cast Away

Countries: Germany, Czech Republic, Spain, USA, Italy, Norway, Sweden, Denmark

Languages: Nonverbal, English, Spanish, Italian, Norwegian, Danish, Swedish with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 11am
Facets — Theatre I
66 minutes

Out and About

Ages: 7–10

Shorts Program

In this collection, the characters get out of their comfort zones, make new friends, and even make a difference.

Shorts: 1 Minute Nature: My Hamster and Me, The Bearytales, Spider Web, Jubilee, Weasel, Klump: Back on Track, The Fruits of Clouds, The Unicorn

Countries: Netherlands, Czech Republic, Russia, France, Slovenia, Germany, Belgium
Languages: English, Czech, German, and nonverbal with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Friday October 27, 2017 — 11:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
87 minutes, including media education

Themes: Adventure, teamwork, respecting environment and fellow creatures, manage expectations

Field Trip **Grades 2 — 4**

Friday November 3, 2017 — 10am
Davis Theater — Theatre III
87 minutes, including media education

Field Trip **Grades 2 — 4**

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 9:45am
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre II
67 minutes

Quiet on Set!

Ages: 7+

Shorts Program

This year's collection reflects the best films by the top young filmmakers from around the world.

Shorts: Home, Sweet Home, Journey, IQ, The Little Spider, Crack, The Day They Met Clive, Sweet Moon, Rojas, The Corn Festival, Moonlight, People are Islands, Panic Stations, Little Markus

Countries: Croatia, Spain, Mexico, Belgium, Russia, German, Canada, England, Australia
Languages: Nonverbal, English, Dutch, French, German, Russian, Spanish in English Subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 1:30pm
Facets — Theatre II
67 minutes

Robby & Toby's Fantastic Voyager

Ages: 8+ **P**

Feature Film

Handy with everything science-centered, Toby takes after his parents and loves to invent, fix, and build things. When an extraterrestrial robot crash-lands in a nearby field, Toby faces the biggest adventure of his life. Will he be able to reunite the Robby the Robot with his family?

Directed by Wolfgang Groos

Countries: Germany
Languages: German with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 9:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre II
102 minutes



Tweens

grades 5—8
ages 10—13

Whether you're looking for stories of trying to fit in, romps through magical worlds or science fiction adventures, these films feature something bold and fresh for every tween.

 Subtitles

 Profanity  Violence  Mature Themes

 Extremely Course Language



Beyond the Pages

Ages: 9 –12

Shorts Program

The characters in these films have special powers to leap from book pages to the screen.

Shorts: Show with the Mouse: “The Princess and the Pea”, Beyond the Books, The Little Match Girl, The Unicorn, The Mountain of Sgaana, The Wind in the Reeds

Countries: Germany, France, Switzerland, Belgium, Canada

Languages: German, Nonverbal, French, English with English subtitles

Showtimes

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 10am
Alliance Française
95 minutes, including media education

Themes: Fairy tales, Myths, Folklore

Field Trip **Grades 4 – 6**

Friday November 3, 2017 — 9:45am
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre II
95 minutes, including media education

Field Trip **Grades 4 – 6**

Champions of Amsterdam

Ages: 10+

Feature Film

Each year, there is a competition between the big city, local primary schools to see which all-boys street soccer team is the best in a single-elimination tournament. All have dreams of being a “pro” and the competition is the first step: will any of them make it -or will they go home empty handed?

Directed by Denise Janzee & Xander de Boer

Countries: Netherlands

Languages: Dutch with English Subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 11am
Wilmette — Theatre II
71 minutes

Cloudboy

Ages: 9+

Feature Film

Staying with his estranged mother in remote mountainous area in Sweden, can Niilas learn to disconnect from what he is familiar with and connect with a new way of life? Is he ready for adventure in the vast outdoors and can he rise to the occasion?

Directed by Denise Janzee & Xander de Boer

Countries: Belgium, Netherlands, Norway, Sweden

Languages: Dutch, Sami, Swedish with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 11am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
78 minutes

Monday October 30, 2017 — 10:15am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre II
98 minutes, including media education

Themes: Adventure, problem solving, decisions and consequences; bravery, persistence; identity; teamwork, empathy and engagement with surroundings and others versus self-imposed isolation

Field Trip **Grades 5 – 7**

Friday November 3, 2017 — 11:00am
Wilmette — Theatre I
98 minutes, including media education

Field Trip **Grades 5 – 7**

Come Together

Ages: 8 –11

Shorts Program

The characters in these come together as individuals to lift up their communities through friendship and valuing traditions.

Shorts: Bango Vassil, A Festive Wind, The Wind in the Reeds, Little Lunch: The Nightmare Before Graduation

Countries: Germany, France, Switzerland, Belgium, Australia

Languages: Bulgarian, French, English, and nonverbal with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 10am
Instituto Cervantes
94 minutes, including media education

Themes: Teamwork, new friends, empathy, creative problem solving, persistence, coming together as a community.

Field Trip **Grades 5 – 7**

Fantasy Fantastic

Ages: 11

Shorts Program

The science fiction and fantasy-themed films in this collection show us that the world is never as it appears to be.

Shorts: Poles Apart, Never Land, Maverick, Earthly People

Countries: England, Belgium, Hungary

Languages: English, Flemish, Hungarian with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 1pm
Facets — Theatre I
73 mins

Fractured Fairy Tales

Ages: 9 –12

Shorts Program

These films explore the power of adaptation from literature to animation.

Shorts: The Little Match Girl, Revolting Rhymes: “Part One”, “Part Two”

Countries: France, Switzerland, England
Languages: Nonverbal, English

Showtimes

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 11:45am
Reva & David Logan Center
89 minutes, including media education

Themes: Fairy Tales

Field Trip **Grades 5 – 7**



Halloween Stories

Ages: 8+

Shorts Program

The spooky stories in the collection are fun and frightening and include classics from Roald Dahl.

Shorts: Little Lunch: "The Halloween Story", Bui, Frogs' Song, Revolting Rhymes: "Part Two"

Countries: Australia, Iceland, France, England
Languages: English, Icelandic, Nonverbal, English with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 11am
Facets — Theatre I
77 mins

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 10am
Instituto Cervantes
97 minutes, including media education

Themes: Facing Fears, Coming together as friends to stop Monsters; Fractured Fairy Tales

Field Trip **Grades 4 — 6**

Halloween: Heads Gonna Roll

Ages: 10+

Shorts Program

From the creators of the Academy Award nominated "The Gruffalo", comes a new visionary adaptation of Roald Dahl's wacky retelling of classic fairy tales.

Shorts: Pica Pica, Heads Together, Revolting Rhymes: Part One, Revolting Rhymes: Part Two

Countries: Switzerland, Netherlands, England
Languages: Nonverbal, English, Dutch with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 1pm
Facets — Theatre I
87 mins

Halloween: Revolting Rhymes

Ages: 11–14

Shorts Program

From the creators of the Academy Award nominated The Gruffalo, comes a new visionary adaptation of Roald Dahl's wacky retelling of classic fairy tales.

Shorts: Citipati, Tik Tak, Revolting Rhymes: "Part One", Revolting Rhymes: "Part Two"

Countries: Germany, Estonia, England
Languages: Nonverbal, English

Showtimes

Monday October 30, 2017 — 10am
Instituto Cervantes
96 minutes, including media education

Themes: Dark, updated re-telling of beloved classics/time-bending twists & turns

Field Trip **Grades 6 — 8**



Here's the Plan

Ages: 9+

Shorts Program

The characters in this program will stop at nothing to pursue their passions. No matter what comes in their way.

Shorts: Odd is an Egg, Little Mouse, Rouff, Jubilee, The World's Middlest Fish, Kukuschka, Here's the Plan

Countries: Norway, Hungary, Germany, France, Norway, Russia, Chile
Languages: Norwegian, Hungarian, English, and nonverbal with English subtitles

Showtimes

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 10am
Instituto Cervantes
94 minutes, including media education

Themes: Teamwork, persistence, creative problem solving, personal goals

Field Trip **Grades 5 — 7**

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 11:15am
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre II
74 minutes



In a Heartbeat

Ages: 10+ **P, M, V**

Shorts Program

Sometimes going out of one's comfort zone and embracing the unknown is a good thing. The characters in this collection come to realize that love, friendship, and respect know no boundaries.

Shorts: In a Heartbeat, Princess, Mrs. McCutcheon, Ethnophobia, Heads Together

Countries: USA, Germany, Australia, England, Netherlands
Languages: Nonverbal, English, German, Dutch with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday November 3, 2017 — 7pm
Facets — Theatre I
73 minutes



Into the Blue

Ages: 12+ **M**

Shorts Program

The girls in this collection are not only have big dreams, they also get things done.

Shorts: Spindrift, Darwin's Cave, Threads, The Mountain of Sgaana, Large Soldier, Into the Blue

Countries: Scotland, Portugal, Canada, Israel, Slovenia, Croatia

Languages: Nonverbal, English, Portuguese, Hebrew, Croatian with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 5pm
Facets — Theatre I
92 mins



It's STEM-tastic!

Ages: 8–11

Shorts Program

These STEM-tastic films bring us on a journey through the amazing world of science, technology, engineering, and math.

Shorts: 1 Minute Nature: Jellyfish Weather, Habitat, Big Boom, Origins of Life: Earthquakes, The Garden, The Odd Squad: Shapely University, Vitamin C, My Haggan Dream

Countries: Netherlands, Switzerland, Russia, Mexico, Turkey, England, USA

Languages: English, Spanish, Ch'ol, and nonverbal with English subtitles

Showtimes

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 11:45am
Reva & David Logan Center
80 minutes, including media education

Themes: Nature Conservation, human impact on environment, animal habitat and species characteristics, observation of scientific technique, basic geometry.

Field Trip **Grades 3–5**

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 11:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
85 minutes, including media education

Field Trip **Grades 3–5**

Keep Going

Ages: 11+

The characters in this collection learn how determination can help us deal with daily life and pursue our dreams.

Shorts: The Mountain of Sgaana, Keep Going, Far From Home, Thea, Scott + Julia

Countries: Canada, Taiwan, Mexico, Norway, Netherlands

Languages: English, Mandarin Chinese, Spanish, Norwegian, Dutch with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 1pm
Facets — Theatre I
81 minutes

Lights, Camera, Action

Ages: 11+

Shorts Program

Let your imagination run wild and bring it to life on screen. Join fellow future filmmakers and film fans at this very special shorts pro-program of movies by kids, for kids.

Shorts: Journey, The Diver's Cloth Lying Empty, A Baker's Dozen, Stuck, In the Beginning, The Day They Met Clive, The Chase, Work, Boris & Babette, Luke, Children of the World

Countries: Croatia, USA, Belgium, Australia, Ireland, Netherlands

Languages: Nonverbal, English, Dutch, Croatian in English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 3:15pm
Facets — Theatre II
57 mins

Lila's Book

Ages: 8–11

Feature Film

In this adventure through magical worlds, children explore and discover the true value of friendship, the power of fantasy, and how to stay in touch with your heritage and culture, by reconnecting through the love of language.

Directed by Marcela Rincon Gonzalez & Felipe Morell

Countries: Colombia
Languages: Spanish with English subtitles

Showtimes

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 9:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
96 minutes, including media education

Themes: Treasuring cultural heritage, love of language arts, valuing life of the imagination; teamwork, adventure

Field Trip **Grades 3–5**

Long Ago Tales

Ages: 11–14

Shorts Program

Have fun with these animated adaptations of spellbinding literature, from the classic to the modern.

Shorts: The Mountain of Sgaana, Minotaur, Hedgehog's Home, The Little Match Girl, Revolting Rhymes: "Part One"

Countries: Canada, Latvia, France, Switzerland, England

Languages: English, Nonverbal

Showtimes

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 11:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
90 minutes, including media education

Themes: Fairytales, myths; rhymed verse

Field Trip **Grades 6–8**

Lotte & Luise: Twins on Board

Ages: 9+ **P**

Feature Film

Based on the classic novel of the same name by Erich Kästner, which was the source for the popular "Parent Trap" films, the latest version of Lotte & Luise follows the twins on summer break. Where did each girl inherit her talents and abilities, how will they pull off the switch without a hitch? What's it like to be part of a completely unexpected "blended" family?

Directed by Lancelot von Naso

Countries: Germany
Languages: German with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday November 3, 2017 — 10:15am
Davis Theater — Theatre II
113 minutes, including media education

Themes: Teamwork, identity, family

Field Trip **Grades 4–6**

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 10:45am
Wilmette Theater — Theatre I
93 minutes



Miles Ahead

Ages: 13+

Shorts Program

The characters in these films make meaningful connections by having open hearts and minds.

Shorts: Threads, Ships Passing in the Night, Darwin's Cave, Poles Apart, Scrap Dolls, Far From Home

Countries: Canada, Germany, Portugal, Singapore, USA, Mexico

Languages: English, Ewe, Italian, Arabic, Tigrinya, Portuguese, Spanish, and nonverbal with English subtitles

Showtimes

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 11:45am
Facets — Theatre I
91 minutes, including media education

Themes: pay , empathy, coming together tho' miles apart, friendship starts with small gesture.

Field Trip **Grades 8+**

Mountain Miracle: An Unexpected Friendship

Ages: 11 –13 M, F

Feature Films

Amelie is sent to a special mountain clinic after a life-threatening asthma attack, where she hears a legend about a magical healing ritual. On top of that, her parents are constantly arguing while they go through a divorce. Can she allow the kindness of a practical stranger to help her, or will she stay within long-set, self-imposed boundaries? Caution: constant and extremely coarse languages.

Directed by Tobias Wiemann

Countries: Germany, Italy
Languages: German with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 9:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre II
94 minutes

Mr. Frog

Ages: 8 –11

Feature Film

Ever heard of a werewolf? Well how about a werefrog? What appears to be an ordinary class with ordinary children and an ordinary teacher is not actually what seems. The teacher, Mr. Frans, sometimes turns into a frog! This is very inconvenient, as the new and very strict headmaster has his eye on anything out of the ordinary—good thing the smart Sita and her buddy, Wouter are on-hand to sort things out.

Directed by Anna Van Der Heide

Countries: Netherlands
Languages: Dutch with English subtitles

Showtimes

Monday October 30, 2017 — 10am
Alliance Française
106 minutes, including media education

Themes: Empathy, helping others, friendship, animals and their habitats, natural predators, characteristics. Real-life fairy tales.

Field Trip **Grades 3 – 5**



Napping Princess

Ages: 12+

Feature Film

This genre-bending film takes us into the machine-driven future, where it turns out waking and dreaming are far more intertwined than they appear. From the director of the anime series, Ghost in the Shell: Stand Alone Complex.

Directed by Kenji Kamiyama

Countries: Japan
Languages: Japanese with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 5pm
Facets — Theatre I
115 minutes

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 10:15am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre II
135 minutes, including media education

Themes: Humans versus machines relationship; shojo (fantasy), mecha anime (robot controlled by humans); sci-fi fantasy. Persistence, creative problem solving, girls in stem; family bonds and heritage.

Field Trip **Grades 8+**

New Horizons, No Limits

Ages: 9 –12

Shorts Program

Come along on a journey with no horizons and no limits to see what is in store for the characters.

Shorts: The Gift, The Butterfly, Giant Sweet & Chocolate Marshmallows, Bango Vassil, Spotlight on Merna, Hello Salaam

Countries: Germany, Canada, Netherlands
Languages: English, Arabic, Spanish, German, Bulgarian, Dutch, Afghan with English subtitles

Showtimes

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 9:45am
Facets — Theatre I
83 minutes, including media education

Themes: Refugee, immigration adaptation, comparison of experiences growing up in different countries, dare to dream, identity, self-expression, persistence

Field Trip **Grades 4 – 6**

Next Door Spy

Ages: 9+

Feature Film

Agatha-Christine—or A.C. for short—is a cool customer. She runs a private eye business, specializing in surveillance. But when A.C. is hired to crack a case, she uncovers a mystery that goes even deeper than she expected. And she's under pressure from others to "fit in" and ditch the detective duds, quit the biz and all - the clock is ticking!

Directed by Karla Von Bengsston

Countries: Denmark
Languages: Danish with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 9:30am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
78 minutes

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 11:00am
Wilmette Theater — Theatre I
78 minutes



No Bullies, Please! Get Up, Stand Up

Ages: 8 –11

Shorts Program

The characters in this collection find themselves against tough odds, and even tougher customers.

Shorts: #WhoWeAre: Albert and Aidan Sykes, School's Out, Adija, The Origins of Life: Jealousy, The Butterfly, Büi, Geno, The Wind in the Reeds

Countries: USA, Mexico, Canada, Iceland, Georgia, France, Belgium, Switzerland
Languages: English, Spanish, Pai Pai, Icelandic, French, and nonverbal with English subtitles

Showtimes

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 9:45am
Facets — Theatre I
97 minutes, including media education

Themes: Coming together as community, citizenship, identity, good versus bad decisions and outcomes, peaceful opposition as individual, leadership.

Field Trip **Grades 3 – 5**



No Bullies, Please! Higher Ground

Ages: 11 –14

Shorts Program

Bullying is a constant reality in school and in everyday life. But how we handle bullies and being bullied really makes the difference.

Shorts: School's Out, Ellee, #WhoWeAre: Bonnie and Myra Brown, Ethnophobia, Medium, Scrap Dolls

Countries: USA, China, England, India
Languages: English, Nonverbal, Hindi with English subtitles

Showtimes

Monday October 30, 2017 — 11:45am
Reva & David Logan Center
84 minutes, including media education

Themes: Identity, good decisions and outcomes, personal and communal situation in turning situation around, personal reflection, expression, breaking stereotypes and misconceptions, whom to reach out to for support.

Field Trip **Grades 6 – 8**



Oddsockeaters

Ages: 10+ **M**

Feature Film

Hugo's on a coming-of-age adventure and encounters the Oddsockeaters, small bandits responsible for socks that go missing when we only have one left from a pair. Wacky and weird adventures ensue, as Hugo learns valuable lessons along the way about family, the limits of greed, and the true meaning of loyalty.

Directed by Galina Miklinova

Countries: Czech Republic, Slovak Republic, Croatia
Languages: Czech with English subtitles and English (dubbed)

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 3pm
Facets — Theatre I
87 minutes, Czech with English subtitles.

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 3pm
Facets — Theatre I
87 minutes, dubbed in English.

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 11:45am
Facets — Theatre I
107 minutes, including media education, dubbed in English.

Themes: Friendship, loyalty, outcomes of bad deeds (gluttony/greed), adventure

Field Trip **Grades 5+**

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 12:30pm
Wilmette Theater — Theatre I
87 minutes, dubbed in English.



On Top of the World

Ages: 9 –12

Shorts Program

No matter where they're from, the young people in these films have what it takes to dream big and achieve their goals.

Shorts: Chickens for Kimaru, Jesser and the Sugarcane, Tsering: On Top of the World, Spotlight on Merna, Kojo: A Short Documentary

Countries: Netherlands, Germany, USA
Languages: English, Swahili, Spanish, Nepalese, Arabic with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday October 27, 2017 — 11:45am
Facets — Theatre I
94 minutes, including media education

Themes: Dare to dream, identity, persistence, career goals and aspirations, manage expectations

Field Trip **Grades 4 – 6**

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 9:45am
Reva & David Logan Center
94 minutes, including media education

Field Trip **Grades 4 – 6**



On Wheels

Ages: 10+

Feature Film

13-year-old Lucas adjusts to his new life in a wheelchair. He admires his classmate, free spirit Laís, who is determined to know more about her father whom she's never met. Together, they hit the road, on a journey through the lush Brazilian countryside, on a road trip where they learn important lessons about family, friendship, and what it really means to be "different."

Directed by Mauro D'Addio

Countries: Brazil
Languages: Portuguese with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 11:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre II
72 mins

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 11:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
92 minutes, including media education

Themes: Identity (heritage/physical abilities and adaptation), dare to dream, manage expectations, overcome obstacles, new friends/romance; coming-of-age, family roots, persistence, road trip (adventure)

Field Trip **Grades 5+**

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 1pm
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre II
72 minutes



Paying It Forward

Ages: 10+

Shorts Program

The characters in this collection of shorts figure out ways to help out others, step it up, and pay it forward.

Shorts: Scrap Dolls, Hello Papa, Mum's Hair, Walter & Alma, Blank Squares, Far From Home, New Boy

Countries: USA, Germany, Norway, Denmark, Mexico, England
Languages: Nonverbal, English, Danish, Spanish with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 8pm
Facets — Theatre I
92 minutes



Penny for Them

Ages: 12+ **F**

Shorts Program

A penny for your thoughts? The girls in this collection have a lot on their minds and are not afraid of acting on their feelings, either. Caution: constant and extremely coarse language.

Shorts: Creeling, Martina, Oh Martina, Large Soldier, Among the Adults

Countries: Scotland, Spain, Israel, Denmark
Languages: English, Spanish, Hebrew, Danish with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 5:15pm
Facets — Theatre II
74 minutes

Peppercorns and the Curse of the Black King

Ages: 9+ **P**

Feature Film

The Peppercorns are back to their high-tech sleuthing. This time, they solve the mystery of a legendary curse and bring a corporate conspiracy out into the open. While on a class trip, Mia and Basti investigate a mysterious curse. Together they try to bring down the evil plot in an action-packed, daring adventure.

Directed by Christian Theede

Countries: Germany
Languages: German with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 10am
Davis Theater — Theatre II
97 minutes

Poles Apart

Ages: 11+

Shorts Program

The characters in this collection come from different backgrounds, but learn that by coming together everyone benefits.

Shorts: Giant Sweet & Chocolate Marshmallows, A Festive Wind, Not Just Another Commute, Poles Apart, Habitat, The Shelter, Scrap Dolls

Countries: Germany, France, Switzerland, Belgium, England, Norway, USA
Languages: Nonverbal, German, English, Norwegian with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 3pm
Facets — Theatre I
65 minutes

Setting the Bar

Ages: 10+

Shorts Program

Setting the bar higher and higher to achieve your goals in sports is a daily challenge. The characters in this collection are definitely up for it.

Shorts: Can Johannes Do It? Archery, Little Mouse, Deep Water, Kids on the Silk Road: Girls Against Gravity

Countries: Germany, Hungary, Denmark
Languages: German, Hungarian, Mongolian with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 12pm
Facets — Theatre II
73 minutes

Shiverstone Castle

Ages: 10+ **P**

Feature Film

Stephan isn't doing well in school and to help boost his grades, his parents decide to send him to boarding school at Shiverstone Castle. Soon Stephan learns that Shiverstone is not a snooty boarding school—quite the contrary!

Directed by Ralf Huettnner

Countries: Germany
Languages: German with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 11:45am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre II
93 minutes

Spindrift

Ages: 11 –14

Shorts Program

Animation can have a wild side and can deal with sophisticated themes with edgy approaches to form and format.

Shorts: My Life on Mars, Poles Apart, Citipati, Habitat, Au Revoir Balthazar, Spindrift, The Garden, The Burden

Countries: Netherlands, Czech Republic, Russia, France, Slovenia, Germany, Belgium
Languages: English, Czech, German, and nonverbal with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 7pm
Facets — Theatre I
69 minutes

Monday October 30, 2017 — 11:45am
Music Box Theater — Theatre I
89 minutes, including media education

Themes: Sci-fi, fantasy, identity, disconnection & reconnection, isolation

Field Trip **Grades 6 – 8**

Friday November 3, 2017 — 11:45am
Wilmette Theatre — Theatre II
89 minutes, including media education

Field Trip **Grades 6 – 8**



Stick to It

Ages: 9+

Shorts Program

What does it take to make a career dream or passion come true? The characters in this collection reveal just what it takes.

Shorts: Little Mouse, King of Twirl, Alfredo, Tsering: On Top of the World, Kojo: A Short Documentary, Oscar

Countries: Hungary, Netherlands, Germany, USA, Canada

Languages: Hungarian, Dutch, Nepalese, English with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 11am
Facets — Theatre I
82 minutes

Tales from the Lakeside

Ages: 8-11

Feature Film

Willy Whistle's big dream is to become a Guardian, but his curiosity always gets him into trouble. The Verdies are the tiny, but brave guardians of the lakeside. When the lake is at risk when the enemies, the Grimps and the swans, enter into alliance, the Guardians are helpless! Will Willy be able to step up and help save the day?

Directed by Zsolt Palfi

Countries: Hungary

Languages: Hungarian with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday November 3, 2017 — 9:45am
Facets — Theatre I
88 minutes, including media education

Themes: Personal leadership, bravery; patience, persistence, resourcefulness, problem solving; teamwork, friendship, empathy; environmentalism.

Field Trip **Grades 3 – 5**

The End of Dreams

Ages: 9+

Feature Film

In northern Iran, Arash lives a peaceful life with his sister and parents, outside a remote village near a beautiful green forest. Everything changes when he takes his new horse on a secret ride. It is difficult to face the consequences of his choice, but with the love and support of family, and the tightly-knit circle of neighbors and friends, he can hope to keep his equestrian dreams alive.

Directed by Mohammad Ali Talebi

Countries: Iran

Languages: Persian with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 7:15pm
Facets — Theatre II
92 minutes

The Legend of Timm Thaler or the Boy Who Sold his Laughter

Ages: 9-12 **P**

Feature Film

Timm Thaler may be poor, but he is rich with friends and has a positive outlook. After finding a job working a swanky hotel, he meets the evil Baron Lefuet who makes Timm a sketchy offer: in exchange for his laugh, Timm will win every bet he makes. Now, Timm has everything he could dream of, except there is no turning back and the stakes are higher than ever.

Directed by Andreas Dresen

Countries: Germany

Languages: German with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday October 27, 2017 — 10:15am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre II
122 minutes, including media education

Themes: Fantasy, adventure; personal responsibility; friendship, teamwork, greater outcomes of personal bad decisions, greed and its outcome

Field Trip **Grades 5 – 7**

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 11am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre I
102 minutes

The Wait

Ages: 13+ **M**

Feature Film

Although pretty, popular, and a real leader, fourteen-year-old Afghan refugee Rokhsar has a lot of weight on her shoulders. Not only does she have school and friends to deal with, but her family's citizenship depends on her. As they await the final decision on asylum status, will the burden and the stress change Rokhsar forever?

Directed by Emil Langballe

Countries: Denmark

Languages: Danish and Dari with English subtitles

Showtimes

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 11:45am
Facets — Theatre I
78 minutes, including media education

Themes: Identity, family, immigration, community, support systems; overcoming obstacles, perseverance, surviving trauma as individual/family, understanding differences, representing adult issues while a minor, United Nations Rights of the Child.

Field Trip **Grades 8+**

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 11:45am
Reva & David Logan Center
78 minutes, including media education

Field Trip **Grades 8+**

Ticket to Ride

Ages: 12+ **M**

Shorts Program

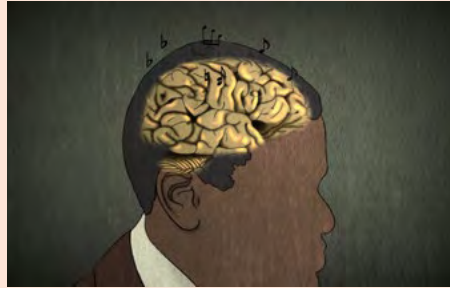
The would-be sweethearts in this collection have to be smart about their emotions and how to deal with relationships both new and old.

Shorts: Nadine, In a Heartbeat, Baba & Son- In the Hamam, The Mountain of Sgaana, Final Call, Here's the Plan, Heads Together

Countries: Canada, USA, Germany, Portugal, Denmark, England, Chile, Netherlands
Languages: Nonverbal, English, Dutch with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 3pm
Facets — Theatre I
79 minutes



Tune Up

Ages: 12+

Shorts Program

In this collection of short films about the power of music, we know music is part of life, expression, identity and making personal connections to traditions and to community.

Shorts: A Festive Wind, Oscar, Kojo: A Short Documentary, Kunumi, The Native Thunder, Walter & Alma

Countries: France, Switzerland, Canada, USA, Brazil, Denmark

Languages: Nonverbal, English, Portuguese, Danish with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 3:15pm
Facets — Theatre II
80 minutes

Vampire Sisters

Ages: 10+ **P**

Feature Film

Dakaria and Sylvania are 12-year-old fraternal twins who've just moved to a new town, to start a new life. Like all tweens, they get used to the new school, new classmates, new neighbors. Sylvania just wants to fit in, while Dakaria just wants to be her true self—there's just one thing—they're half-vampires going through puberty, who've just re-located to their mother's country in Germany.

Directed by Wolfgang Groos

Countries: Germany

Languages: German with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 10am
Facets — Theatre II
97 minutes

Vampire Sisters 2: Bats in the Belly

Ages: 10+

Feature Film

Back for a second "bite," the Vampire Sisters throw themselves into a new adventure. Vampire band Krypton Krax is coming to town, bringing not only excitement for Dakaria, but also danger for everyone! Krypton Krax's manager Xantor is one their father's biggest rivals, and he has sworn revenge.

Directed by Wolfgang Groos

Countries: Germany

Languages: German with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 11:45am
Facets — Theatre II
94 minutes

Vampire Sisters 3: Journey to Transylvania

Ages: 10+

Feature Film

The Vampire Sisters are back for final wild adventure. The evil vampire queen Antansia plots to kidnap the sister's baby brother, Franz. Now they must save their brother before the evil queen crowns Franz as her successor.

Directed by Wolfgang Groos

Countries: Germany

Languages: German with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 1:30pm
Facets — Theatre II
95 minutes

Where to Go From Here

Ages: 11–14

Shorts Program

Families and friends are displaced due to many different reasons. The characters in these films, if they are refugees or volunteers, learn a lot from different cultures.

Shorts: Scent of Geranium, Safia's Summer, Spotlight on Merna, Hello Salaam, Ahmad's Hair

Countries: USA, Netherlands

Languages: English, Dutch, Arabic, Afghan with English subtitles

Showtimes

Monday October 30, 2017 — 11:45am
Facets — Theatre I
94 minutes, including media education

Themes: Refugee life, new immigrant perspective, manage expectations, hpn, empathy, standing out, fitting in, identity, new friends

Field Trip **Grades 6–8**

Wind in the Reeds

Ages: 8–11

Shorts Program

The characters in this collection of animated films value friendship and coming together as individuals to lift the entire community.

Shorts: #WhoWeAre: Albert and Aidan Sykes, 1 Minute Nature: Blackbird, Spider Web, Dam! The Story of Kit the Beaver, Little J and Big Cuz: Hopalong, A Festive Wind, The Wind in the Reeds

Countries: USA, Netherlands, Russia, Canada, Australia, France, Switzerland, Belgium

Languages: English, Dutch, French, and nonverbal with English subtitles

Showtimes

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 10am
Alliance Française
92 minutes, including media education

Themes: Friendship, teamwork, empathy, community, living in harmony, inclusivity, celebration




Field Trip **Grades 3–5**

Teens

grades 9—12
ages 13—17

Approaching the coming-of-age experience from multiple perspectives, filmmakers from across the globe bring innovation and emotional complexity to these films about the teen experience.

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Birdboy: The Forgotten Children

Ages: 15+ **M, V**

Feature Film

With iconic characters and a storyline that explores universal themes of hope, despair, and salvation with humor and grace, “Bird-boy” pushes the boundaries of animated storytelling in exciting new directions. Based on graphic novel, the film is an intense, macabre coming-of-age tale. Woven throughout are popular dystopian themes, combined with stunning and variegated animation styles to present a truly unique work.

Directed by Alberto Vazquez & Pedro Rivera

Countries: Spain
Languages: Spanish with English Subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 9pm
Facets — Theatre I
76 minutes

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 8pm
Facets — Theatre I
76 minutes



Crickets

Ages: 15+ **M, F**

Shorts Program

The young women in this collection are having trouble communicating to their intended audience. They want to say something, but all we hear are crickets. Caution: Constant and extremely coarse language.

Shorts: Far From Home, What the Eye Doesn't See, Among the Adults, Crickets

Countries: Mexico, Switzerland, Denmark, Israel
Languages: Spanish, French, Danish, Hebrew with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 7:15pm
Facets — Theatre II
78 mins



Crossroads

Ages: 15+

Shorts Program

The characters in this collection of cross-generation friendship are unlikely companions who find themselves in cahoots.

Shorts: Not Just Another Commute, We Are Just Fine Like This, Fortune Teller, Different Bayern

Countries: France, Belgium, Tunisia, Spain, Germany
Languages: Nonverbal, English, German, Arabic, Spanish with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 6:30pm
Facets — Theatre I
74 minutes



Dreaming of Denmark

Ages: 16+ **P, M**

Feature Film

Smart, good-looking, and full of life, teen Wasi has made friends and works hard at integrating after the harrowing escape from his home country. A sobering look at a very topical reality for teens across the globe, Dreaming of Denmark follows the complex life of the Afghan refugee as he nervously awaits news of permanent residence acceptance. Caution: contains extremely coarse language.

Directed by Michael Graversen

Countries: Denmark
Languages: Danish with English subtitles

Showtimes

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 7pm
Facets — Theatre I
58 minutes



Edgy Animation

Ages: 14+

Shorts Program

We're excited to present the freshest, most interesting international animated films.

Shorts: Poles Apart, Drop by Drop, I Am Here, Volcano Island, Minotaur, Au Revoir Balthazar, Totems, The Shelter, The Burden

Countries: England, Portugal, Canada, Hungary, Latvia, Switzerland, France, Belgium, Norway, Sweden
Languages: Nonverbal, English, Portuguese, Norwegian, Swedish with English subtitles.

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 9pm
Facets — Theatre I
91 minutes

Thursday November 2, 2017 — 9pm
Facets — Theatre I
91 minutes



Goodbye to All That

Ages: 14+

Shorts Program

The characters in this collection of animated shorts are looking forward to moving on with their lives.

Shorts: Poles Apart, Not Just Another Commute, I Am Here, Kukuschka, Au Revoir Balthazar, The Shelter, The Burden

Countries: Singapore, France, Belgium, Canada, Russia, Switzerland, Norway, Sweden
Languages: English, Norwegian, Swedish, and nonverbal with English subtitles

Showtimes

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 10:15am
Music Box Theatre — Theatre II
91 minutes, including media education

Field Trip **Grades 9+**

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 7pm
Facets — Theatre I
71 minutes

Sunday November 5, 2017 — 1pm
Wilmette Theater — Theatre II
71 minutes



It's the End of the World as We Know It

Ages: 15+ **P, F**

Shorts Program

The characters in this collection take the phrase, "I think, therefore I am," to the absolute limits.

Shorts: Habitat, Grounded, I Am Here, Au Revoir Balthazar, Poles Apart, Connect, Drop by Drop, Martina, Oh Martina, The Burden

Countries: Switzerland, France, Canada, England, Germany, Portugal, Spain, Sweden
Languages: Nonverbal, English, Portuguese, Spanish, Swedish with English subtitles

Showtimes

Tuesday October 31, 2017 — 6:30pm
Facets — Theatre I
78 minutes

Saturday November 4 — 9pm
Facets — Theatre I
78 minutes



Swagger

Ages: 15+ **P, M, F**

Feature Film

A poetic documentary about eleven middle-schoolers and teens growing up in one of the most challenging areas in the outskirts of Paris. **Caution:** Constant and extremely coarse language.

Directed by Olivier Babinet

Countries: France

Languages: French with English subtitles

Showtimes

Friday November 3, 2017 — 9pm
Facets — Theatre I
83 minutes



Teen Lens

Ages: 15+

Shorts Program

Teens take over the camera in this collection of youth-produced films.

Shorts: Fairytale Fallout, I'm Afraid, Escape from the Zoo, You Will Be Able, Baffi Spioventi, The Mask, Blue Inventor, Jonah Davenport: the Peak of Percussion, Journey, New Steps

Countries: Canada, Brazil, Ukraine, Belgium, Korea, Poland, USA, Australia, Spain
Languages: English, Portuguese, French, Spanish, Ukrainian, Dutch, Korean with English subtitles

Showtimes

Saturday October 28, 2017 — 5:15pm
Facets — Theatre II
58 minutes



The Girl Without Hands

Ages: 16+ **M**

Feature Film

In this stunningly gorgeous and innovative animated film based on the Brothers Grimm story, a miller sells his daughter to the devil to help save the family business. "Mr. Laudembach's drawing eschews clean ink lines for a minimalist and impressionist aesthetic. He allows the water color swatches that stand in for characters and landscapes to create a dreamlike world that appears poetically endless." (New York Times)

Directed by Sébastien Laudenbach

Countries: France

Languages: French with English subtitles

Showtimes

Sunday October 29, 2017 — 7pm
Facets — Theatre I
76 mins



Wallay

Ages: 14+ **M**

Feature Film

When Ady's single father can no longer support his son, he sends him from urban France to live family in Africa. At first, Ady is excited to spend a relaxing summer in his father's homeland, but upon arriving in the remote village Ady is introduced to new family members, a new culture, and discovers a different side of himself, as well. He quickly realizes he needs to turn his situation around if he wants to return to France. **Caution:** Constant and extremely coarse language.

Directed by Berni Goldblat

Countries: France

Languages: French, Dioula with English subtitles

Showtimes

Monday October 30, 2017 — 6:30pm
Facets — Theatre I
83 mins



Window Horses

Ages: 13+

Feature Film

Stuck flipping burgers, Rosie Ming is secretly a self-published poet. One day, she's invited to a prestigious international poetry festival in Iran, where she may meet long-gone father. Can she find her own poetic voice and embrace her never-before glimpsed heritage? More imminently, can she carry her own in the big poetry slam? Featuring the voice of Sandra Oh.

Directed by Ann Marie Fleming

Countries: Canada
Languages: English

Showtimes

Wednesday November 1, 2017 — 10:00am
Alliance Française
110 minutes, including media education

Themes: Poetry, immigration, Iranian history, cross-cultural marriage, search for family connections, finding artistic voice; identity, travel & adventure, bravery.

Field Trip **Grades 7+**

Saturday November 4, 2017 — 2pm
Reva & David Logan Center
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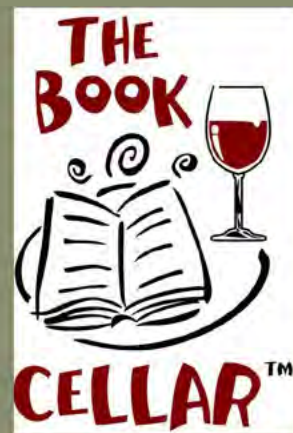
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