Movie Monday To Go!

Check out the Movie Monday Film Collection, a catalogue of select films previously featured in Movie Monday program and made available to the public through Yo Video.

Here you will find many of the films that have engaged Movie Monday audiences. We think it is a reliable yet eclectic mix of films that will provoke thoughtful discussion.

Yo Video is a friendly video rental store that has been a long-time supporter of Movie Monday. It is located at 107-2000 Cadboro Bay Road.

To check availability or to reserve a film call :
Yo Video at 592-5678

6:30 Monday Sept 21





the filmmakers



SAVING LUNA with filmmakers Suzanne Chisholm and Michael Parfit

This is the touching story of a solitary young killer whale who showed up in Gold River in 2004. He was lonely and befriended people and life became complicated for the whole community. For three years the filmmakers documented the story. 92min G 2008 This film has won 24 awards in 10 countries!

http://www.SavingLuna.com
Suzanne Chisholm and Michael Parfit are
writers and documentary filmmakers based
near Sidney, British Columbia. They specialize in telling stories of the relationships
between people and our natural world.

6:30 & 8:15 Monday Sept 28



TheCaN'Tswer and Ryan Hendren Kilimanjaro photo presentation

Ten years after his leukemia diagnosis, Ryan Hendren is a survivor who is reluctant to take risks and move forward with life. The opportunity to take a backpacking trip through the Andes Mountains changes his and his perception of his cancer experience- from one of Survivor to Thriver.

16min 2008 Pg
Recently Ryan extended his adventuring to the top of Kilimanjaro and will present that trip in still photos, video, and commentary.

Meet Ryan Hendren and Vancouver filmmaker David Thanh

Check out the special Movie Monday Shelf at Yo Video. Now you can catch events you missed and share these sometimes hard-to-find films with friends. They're at 592-5678

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At the Movie Monday Theatre in the Eric Martin Pavilion 1900

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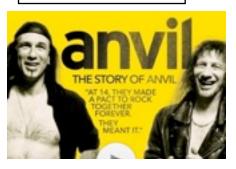


incl. discussion
with Dr John Gray
Steve Lopez, a Los
Angeles newspaper
writer, discovers Nathaniel Ayers, a mentally ill, homeless
street musician who
possesses extraordinary talent. Although
playing a battered
violin with two
strings, he was once
a gifted cellist. Inspired by his story,

Lopez writes an acclaimed series of articles about Ayers and attempts to do more to help both him and the rest of the underclass of LA have a better life. However, Lopez's good intentions run headlong into hard realities; the strength of Ayers' personal demons and the larger social injustices facing the homeless.Based on a true story - link to it from our site, after seeing the film. 117min 2009 Pg13

Our guest, John Gray PhD, has a long career in mental health work, is past president of the Schizophrenia Society of Canada. He is lead author of the recently published book "Canadian Mental Health Law and Policy"

6:30 Monday Oct 12

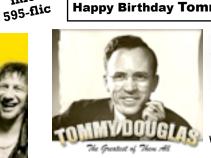


It's probably best to experience this film as a non-metalhead. Anvil is just a simple story of two guys who are dedicated to their dream. They started metal music's ascent but somehow got lost when it became big. "It might be easy to mistake ANVIL! for a THIS IS SPINAL TAP mockumentary. But despite the snicker-inducing heavy-metal trappings, this is also a warmly human portrait of two men pursuing their creative passions despite Sisyphean odds."

A totally loveable film! Best time I've had in the theatre since BEST IN SHOW. 90min 2008 R language



6:30pm Mon Oct 19 Happy Birthday Tommy!



Presented The Raging Grannies!

Come celebrate, with The Raging Grannies, the birthday of the man voted "Greatest Canadian",

The film: NFB 's award winning **KEEPER OF THE FLAME**, 1986, 58 min G
"Once a champion boxer, then a fiery preacher, T.C. Douglas got into politics during the 1930s and never looked back. His career as premier of Saskatchewan and leader of the federal New Democratic Party was a rollercoaster ride of victories and defeats. Douglas was a highly principled proponent of social justice; his radical reforms—such as medicare—are now accepted as normal public policy in Canada.

The film traces Douglas's fifty-year political career and captures the unique spirit of the man."

With special guests!