



Largs Film Society

Season 2023 – 2024 programme

Screenings at 7 pm in the Valhalladrome in the Vikingar, Largs.

2023

- 1 September; [Crouching Tiger Hidden Dragon](#) (Ch), Director Ang Lee. 2000 Action/Drama
Stars Chow Yun-Fat, Michelle Yeoh. 120 mins IMDB 7.9**
A young Chinese warrior steals a famous sword and then escapes into a world of romantic adventure with a mysterious man.
- 22 September; [Fear Eats the Soul](#) (Ger), Director Rainer Werner Fassbinder. 1974 Drama
Stars Brigitte Mara and El Hedi Ben Salem. 93 mins IMDB 8.0**
A romance develops between an elderly German woman and a younger Moroccan migrant worker which is widely frowned upon.
- 13 October; [Good luck to you Leo Grande](#) (UK), Director Sophie Hyde. 2022 Drama
Stars Emma Thompson and Daryl McCormack. 97 mins IMDB 7.2**
Nancy, a retired school teacher, is looking for some adventure and some sex. Her plan involves a young sex worker named Leo.
- 3 November; [Lion](#), (Aus), Director Garth Davies. 2016 Bio/Drama Stars Dev Patel, Sunny Pawar and Nicole Kidman. 118 mins IMDB 8.0**
A five year old Indian boy is adopted by an Australian couple after getting lost far from home. Twenty five years later, he sets out to find his lost family.
- 24 November: [The Long Goodbye](#) (US), Director Robert Altman. 1973 Drama
Stars Elliot Gould and Sterling Hayden. 112 mins IMDB 7.5**
Private investigator Philip Marlowe helps a friend out of a jam. In doing so he gets implicated in his wife's murder.
- 15 December [Stand by Me](#) (US), Director Rob Reiner. 1986 Drama
Stars Will Wheaton, River Phoenix and Corey Feldman. 89mins IMDB 8.1**
After the death of one of his friends, a writer recounts a childhood journey with his friends, to find the body of the missing boy.

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- 12 January** [Belfast](#), (UK), Director Kenneth Branagh. **2021** **Drama**
Stars Judi Dench, Ciaran Hinds and Jamie Dornan. **98 mins** **IMDB 7.3**
The film, which Branagh has described as his "most personal", follows a young boy's childhood in Belfast at the beginning of The Troubles in 1969.
- 2 February** [Picnic at Hanging Rock](#) (Aus), Director Peter Weir. **1975** **Drama**
Stars Rachel Roberts, Dominic Guard and Helen Morse. **115 mins** **IMDB 7.4**
During a rural summer picnic, a few students and a teacher from an Australian girl's school vanish without a trace.
- 23 February** [La Grand Illusion](#). (Fr), Director Jean Renoir. **1937** **Drama**
Stars Jean Gabin, Erich Von Stroheim and Pierre Fresnay. **114 mins** **IMDB 8.1**
A small group of French officers held as prisoners of war during World War 1 are planning to escape.
- 15 March** [Rabbit Proof Fence](#) (Aus), Director Phillip Noyce. **2002** **Drama**
Stars Evelyn Sampi, Tianna Sansbury. **94 mins** **IMDB 7.4**
Based on a true story of three girls who escape from a native settlement. They return to their aboriginal families, after being placed there in the camp in 1931.
- 5 April** [The Breakfast Club](#) (US), Director John Hughes. **1985** **Drama/Teen**
Stars Emilio Estevez and Ally Sheedy. **97mins** **IMDB 7.8**
Five high school students meet in Saturday detention where they discover how they have a lot more in common than they thought.
- 26 April** [Nomadland](#) (US), Director Chloe Zhao. **2020** **Drama**
Stars Frances McDormand, David Strathairn. **108 mins** **IMDB 7.3**
A woman in her sixties, after losing everything, embarks on a journey through the American West, living as a van-dwelling modern-day nomad.
- 17 May** AGM [Bad day at Black Rock](#) (US), Director John Sturges. **1955** **Suspense/Drama**
Stars Spencer Tracy and Robert Ryan. **81 mins** **IMDB 7.7**
A one-armed stranger comes to a tiny town possessing a terrible past they want to keep secret.