



NEWSLETTER

April 2018

Welcome to the April edition of the YRFS Newsletter for 2018. You are receiving this newsletter as a new or returning member of the film society. Please pass this newsletter on to friends or family who may be interested in joining. Details on how to join are on our [website](#). In this edition are details of the

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April Screenings

The Family

Australia - 2016 Documentary 98 M

Warburton: Tuesday 10 April 7.30pm Healesville: Tuesday 17 April 7.30pm

Rosie Jones directs this compelling investigation into one of Australia's most notorious cults, its leader Anne Hamilton-Byrne and the scars its survivors still bear today.



Visit [The Family Website](#)

May Screenings

Alone in Berlin

Warburton: Tuesday 8 May 7.30pm. Healesville: Tuesday 15 May 7.30pm

Fritz's Poem for The Dancer

The Dancer

Just when I thought I'd seen it all.
I watched the "Dancer" which I can only call
a world so far removed from my own
That showed me things I'd never known.
Showing dancing with incredible flair
And fractured feelings of utter despair.
Showed the height of achievement in the art
and ego and selfworth falling apart.
The intimate details were so full-on.
respect and affection there, then gone.
It portrayed success and showed the pain.
Showed beauty coming from the very plain
It was gripping to what I'd never known
but I was glad to come back to a world of my
own

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Thanks Fritz

Starbox Ratings

Here are the results for our March screening of The Dancer. The combined rating was 3.7

Warburton:	Healesville:
5 stars: 10 votes	5 Stars: 12votes
4 stars: 35 votes	4 Stars: 39 votes
3 stars: 22 votes	3 Stars: 23 votes
2 stars: 5 votes	2 Stars: 5 votes
1 star: 0 votes	1 Stars: 1 votes
Average = 3.7	Average = 3.7
Attendance = 72	Attendance = 96

2018 Warburton Film Festival

The Warburton Film Festival is fast approaching, so put the 15th, 16th and 17th June in your diary! A great fiesta of films can be viewed in the just printed brochure. You can book your film choices now. The Opening Night party and the Saturday night dinner can also be booked as these always go very quickly. Don't miss out!

Sally Ahern

Director Warburton Film Festival

Here are the films screening at this year's festival. More details and screening times will be released on our website, Facebook page, this newsletter and brochures.

MOUNTAIN (Australia - documentary - 75m)

A BAG OF MARBLES (France - drama - 110m)

KUMIKO, THE TREASURE HUNTER (USA - drama - 105m)

SHOW US YOUR SHORTS session (90m)

THE PARTY (UK - comedy - 71m)

PREDESTINATION (Australia - drama/sci-fi - 97m)

AFTER THE STORM (Japan - drama - 117m)

THE TEACHER (Czech Republic - comedy/drama - 102m)

LUCKY (USA - drama - 88m)

Show Us Your Shorts. Closing date for Entries

The Show Us Your Shorts Film-makers' competition is open for entries again this year, in conjunction with the festival. Entries are welcome from all budding film-makers. The main prize for Golden Shorts is \$1000. Let any enthusiastic emerging film-makers know. Entries can now be made through [Film Freeway](#) online. **The deadline for entries is 20 April.** [Details are on our website.](#) Winners of previous year's Show Us Your Shorts are also on this page.

YRFS 2018 Film Program

You can find this year's monthly film program, and information about festivals, and much more [at our website](#). We also have a Facebook page.

Our printed program brochure can also be picked up at The Arts Centre Warburton, The Memo Healesville, libraries and community hubs as well as many shops. Watch out for it if don't already have one.

Membership Information: Benefits, costs and methods of payment

Membership rates 2018

Annual Membership \$60 (full) \$55 (concession) \$30 (Youth under 25)

Full and concession memberships taken from May will be at a pro-rata rate. New members joining for the May screening will pay \$50 (full) and \$45 (concession) for the remaining 8 months. The cost will then drop by \$5 per month until the minimum 3 month membership period is reached in October. Youth pro rata rates commence in July.

	Full	Concession	Youth
May	\$50	\$45	\$30
June	\$45	\$40	\$30
July	\$40	\$35	\$25
August	\$35	\$30	\$20
Sept	\$30	\$25	\$15
Oct	\$25	\$20	\$10

Payment Methods

Come to the April film and join as a member. You can pay at this screening with cash.

You can also join using [our online booking system anytime](#) or at the Memo and Art Centre Warburton during office hours.

Membership cards and Lanyards will be issued to new members at the following month's screening. Returning members should bring their lanyards to their first screening for 2018. Replacement cost for lost lanyards is \$3

Your annual membership includes

Attendance at all 11 films (at either Warburton or Healesville)

Discount prices at all other films shown at both venues.

One free Visitor guest pass, for screenings February - November

Monthly newsletter
Supper after each monthly screening (\$2 donation)
Christmas dinner at the December screening (small charge for participants)
Free loan of DVD's from the Film Society library

DVD Library Information: New Terms and Conditions

CHANGES TO THE FILM SOCIETY DVD LIBRARY TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

Hello members, last night we have had our regular committee meeting and collectively we have realised that our DVD library needs a structural makeover. We realised this because presently the Library's Terms and Conditions do not reflect the values that the Film Society places on film and the film industry. The movies in our DVD Libraries are selected deliberately and provided voluntarily and freely to all members.

Therefore, we have implemented some changes to your lending requirements effective immediately, for both Warburton and Healesville lending libraries.

1) All items in the library are on a **monthly loan**, from film night to film night. Returns therefore are due on the Tuesday. If you are not attending the film night when the DVD is due, you will need to a) drop it into the cinema on or before the day or b) entrust it to someone that is attending the film or return it to a committee member.

2) A limit of three films per month.

3) Extensions can be granted up to one day before the film is due. Extensions of up to a month will be offered if films have not been requested by other members.

4) DVD's that are not returned within the conditions above **will be charged \$20 replacement fee each** and no further films will be borrowed until paid or the film/s returned. (The reason for this condition is that we discovered a lot of films simply not accounted for, which begs for a structural overhaul to the system.) You may contact Anne Ligthart (0466 599 837) for the Warburton DVD Library or Seth Hynes (5962 1456) for the Healesville DVD Library.

These changes also apply to films that are currently overdue. We invite you to bring your films back next week at the latest or request an extension.

May we warmly remind you that the borrowing of our films is a privilege that reflects our values as a Film Society, as is the Library itself. Those people that manage the libraries from season to season are happy volunteers that do so because of the value placed on film. The new T&C's will now reflect this value and privilege that we all enjoy through the free usage of our DVD Film Libraries.

Looking forward to enjoying many more great films with you all,

Warmly,

Anne Ligthart for
Yarra Ranges Film Society Committee.