

FILM GUIDE

July & August 2024



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part of "Out of Time 1999" on p18

Big Screen CLASSICS



Speed

Monday, July 1 at 7:00pm | 1994 | 1h 56m | DCP

Directed by: Jan de Bont

Featuring: Keanu Reeves, Sandra Bullock, Dennis Hopper

A young cop (Keanu Reeves) must prevent a bomb exploding aboard a city bus by keeping its speed above 50 mph. With the help of spunky passenger Annie (Sandra Bullock), Jack and his partner Harry (Jeff Daniels) try to save the people on the bus before the bomb goes off and figure out who the bomber is.



Blow Out

Thursday, July 4 at 7:00pm | 1981 | 1h 48m | 35mm

Directed by: Brian De Palma

Featuring: John Travolta, Nancy Allen, John Lithgow

John Travolta gives one of the greatest performances of his career as a film sound effects worker who believes he has accidentally recorded a political assassination. To uncover the truth, he enlists the help of a possible eyewitness to the crime (Nancy Allen), who may be in danger herself.

Big Screen CLASSICS



Some Like It Hot

Monday, July 8 at 7:00pm | 1959 | 2h 1m | DCP

Directed by: Billy Wilder

Featuring: Marilyn Monroe, Jack Lemmon, Tony Curtis

As one of the most beloved films of all time, this sizzling masterpiece by Billy Wilder set a new standard for Hollywood comedy. After witnessing a mob hit, Chicago musicians Joe and Jerry (Tony Curtis and Jack Lemmon) skip town and join an all-female band (led by Marilyn Monroe) en route to Miami.



City of God

Monday, July 15 at 7:00pm | 2002 | 2h 10m | DCP | In Portuguese with English subtitles

Directed by: Fernando Meirelles, Kátia Lund

Featuring: Alexandre Rodrigues, Leandro Firmino, Matheus Nachtergaele

The streets of the world's most notorious slum, Rio de Janeiro's City of God, are a place where combat photographers fear to tread, police rarely go, and residents are lucky if they live to the age of 20. In the midst of the oppressive crime and violence, a young boy will grow up to discover that he can view the harsh realities of his surroundings with an artistic eye.

Big Screen CLASSICS



Dirty Dancing

Thursday, July 25 at 7:00pm | 1987 | 1h 40m | DCP

Directed by: Emile Ardolino

Featuring: Patrick Swayze, Jennifer Grey, Jerry Orbach

It's the summer of 1963 and Baby is stuck in the Catskills with her parents. What begins as a boring family vacation changes into something else when she meets Johnny Castle, the resort's dance instructor. With Johnny, Baby learns the steps to a new dance—a dirty dance—that allows her to discover new strengths and new talents.



Total Recall

Monday, July 29 at 7:00pm | 1990 | 1h 53m | DCP

Directed by: Paul Verhoeven

Featuring: Arnold Schwarzenegger, Sharon Stone, Michael Ironside

Arnold Schwarzenegger blasts into action in this seminal sci-fi thriller full of twists, turns, non-stop excitement, and stunning special effects. In 2084, a construction worker is haunted by inexplicable dreams of Mars and visits Recall, a company that implants artificial memories so he can suddenly "remember" a dark past on the Red Planet.

Big Screen CLASSICS



The Taking of Pelham One Two Three

Thursday, August 8 at 7:00pm | 1974 | 1h 44m | 35mm

Directed by: Joseph Sargent

Featuring: Walter Matthau, Robert Shaw, Martin Balsam, Hector Elizondo

Screen legends Walter Matthau and Robert Shaw team up to deliver sure-fire entertainment that's gripping and exciting from beginning to end, guaranteed to give you the ride of your life.

Coolidge Education intro seminar available; see more on p15.



The Big Lebowski

Monday, August 12 at 7:00pm | 1998 | 1h 57m | 35mm

Directed by: Joel & Ethan Coen

Featuring: Jeff Bridges, John Goodman, Steve Buscemi, Julianne Moore

Our annual screening of *The Big Lebowski* has become one of our biggest summer events! Come early for a costume contest and bowling on our stage! We've collected a ton of Dude-themed prizes to hand out, so dust off your bathrobes, work on your Walter impressions, and come celebrate this cult sensation! (Just don't pee on our rugs, man.)

Big Screen CLASSICS



Sorcerer

Thursday, August 22 at 7:00pm | 1977 | 2h 1m | DCP

Directed by: William Friedkin

Featuring: Roy Scheider, Bruno Cremer, Francisco Rabal, Amidou

In this Academy Award-nominated cult favorite from William Friedkin (Oscar winner for *The French Connection*) and starring Oscar nominee Roy Scheider, several outcasts are thrown together in South America and given the opportunity to buy their freedom by transporting six crates of unstable dynamite in two ancient trucks through miles of jungle.



Inside Man

Monday, August 26 at 7:00pm | 2006 | 2h 9m | 35mm

Directed by: Spike Lee

Featuring: Denzel Washington, Clive Owen, Jodie Foster

The perfect bank robbery quickly spirals into an unstable and deadly game of cat-and-mouse between a criminal mastermind (Owen), a determined detective (Washington), and a power broker with a hidden agenda (Foster). As the minutes tick by and the situation becomes increasingly tense, one wrong move could mean disaster for any one of them.



Join us after each screening for an afterparty with themed food and drinks in our new Education & Community Engagement Center!



Cruel Intentions

Thursday, July 18 at 7:00pm | 1999 | 1h 37m | 35mm

Directed by: Roger Kumble

Featuring: Sarah Michelle Gellar, Ryan Phillippe, Reese Witherspoon

Sarah Michelle Gellar and Ryan Phillippe sizzle as a pair of unscrupulous siblings in a deliciously sexy tale of seduction, revenge, and conquest. Sparks fly when the two enter into a high-stakes bet with a feverishly irresistible payoff.



Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl

Thursday, August 29 at 7:00pm | 2003 | 2h 23m | 35mm

Directed by: Gore Verbinski

Featuring: Orlando Bloom, Keira Knightley, Johnny Depp

The first installment of the *Pirates of the Caribbean* franchise helped launch Keira Knightley's career and was a major gamechanger in the world of CGI and special effects.

CINEMA JUKEBOX



Rock 'n' Roll High School

Thursday, July 11 at 7:00pm | 1979 | 1h 33m | DCP

Directed by: Allan Arkush, Joe Dante

Featuring: P.J. Soles, The Ramones, Mary Woronov

Vince Lombardi High School is the wildest, most rockin' high school around until its thug of a principal comes along and tries to make the school a totalitarian state. With the help of the Ramones, the students battle the iron-fisted rule of Miss Togar and take their battle to a truly explosive conclusion!



Bird

Thursday, August 15 at 7:00pm | 1988 | 2h 41m | 35mm

Directed by: Clint Eastwood

Featuring: Forest Whitaker, Diane Venora, Michael Zelniker, Keith David

Director Clint Eastwood, a noted jazz aficionado, directs this heartfelt study of pioneering bop saxophonist Charlie Parker (Forest Whitaker). Moving forward and backward through Parker's brief life, the film foregrounds the saxophonist's difficult relationship with his wife and features lengthy scenes of Parker improvising on stage.

National Theatre Live



Present Laughter

Wednesday, July 24 at 7:00pm | 2019 | 3h | DCP

Directed by: Matthew Warchus

Featuring: Andrew Scott, Indira Varma, Enzo Cilenti, Kitty Archer

The multi award-winning production of Noël Coward's provocative comedy featuring Andrew Scott (*Vanya, Fleabag*) returns to the big screen. Matthew Warchus (*Matilda The Musical*) directs this giddy and surprisingly modern reflection on fame, desire, and loneliness, filmed at the Old Vic in London during a sold out run.

July 2024

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	Speed 7:00pm, Big Screen Classics, p2	Seminar: Godzilla 6:15pm, Coolidge Education, p15 Godzilla 7:00pm, Godzilla vs. the Coolidge, p16		Blow Out 7:00pm, Big Screen Classics, p2	Serial Mom 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20 X 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20	The Honeymoon Killers 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20 Pearl 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Some Like It Hot 7:00pm, Big Screen Classics, p3	Mothra vs. Godzilla 7:00pm, Godzilla vs. the Coolidge, p16	The Rock 8:00pm, Coolidge at the Speedway, p12	Rock 'n' Roll High School 7:00pm, Cinema Jukebox, p8	Strait-Jacket 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20 Pearl 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20	Friday the 13th 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20 X 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20
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	City of God 7:00pm, Big Screen Classics, p3	Destroy All Monsters 7:00pm, Godzilla vs. the Coolidge, p16		Cruel Intentions 7:00pm, Rewind!, p7	All About Evil 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20	The Wicker Man & Midsommar 8:00pm, Rocky Woods, p21 Office Killer 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20
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Free LSD w/ Director Dimitri Coats and Keith Morris 7:00pm, Special Screenings, p14		Godzilla vs. Hedorah 7:00pm, Godzilla vs. the Coolidge, p16	Present Laughter 7:00pm, NT Live, p9	Dirty Dancing 7:00pm, Big Screen Classics, p4	Bride of Chucky 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20 Free LSD 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20	Jennifer's Body 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20 Free LSD 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20
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August 2024

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CatVideoFest 2:00pm, Special Screenings, p14	Seminar: Being John Malkovich 6:15pm, Coolidge Education, p15 Being John Malkovich 7:00pm, 1999!, p18	Election 7:00pm, 1999!, p18	Scooby-Do 8:00pm, Coolidge at the Speedway, p12	Seminar: The Taking of Pelham One Two Three 6:15pm, Coolidge Education, p15 The Taking of Pelham One Two Three 7:00pm, Big Screen Classics, p5	Dragonslayer 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20	Curse of the Blind Dead 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	Inside Man 7:00pm, Big Screen Classics, p6	Bringing Out the Dead 7:00pm, 1999!, p18	Magnolia 7:00pm, 1999!, p18	Pirates of the Caribbean 7:00pm, Rewind!, p7	A Knight's Tale 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20	The Dark Knight 11:59pm, Coolidge After Midnite, p20

Coolidge at the Speedway

THE SPEEDWAY

We're excited to present a series of free outdoor screenings at the Charles River Speedway, a marketplace with shops, restaurants, a brewery, and event space in Brighton!



The Rock

Wednesday, July 10 at 8:00pm | 1996 | 1h 42m | DCP

Directed by: Michael Bay

Featuring: Sean Connery, Nicolas Cage, Ed Harris

When a vengeful general seizes control of Alcatraz, threatening to launch missiles loaded with poison gas, only a young FBI chemical weapons expert and a notorious prisoner have the skills to defuse the lethal situation.



Scooby-Doo

Wednesday, August 7 at 7:00pm | 2002 | 1h 26m | DCP

Directed by: Raja Gosnell

Featuring: Matthew Lillard, Sarah Michelle Gellar, Freddie Prinze Jr., Linda Cardellini

That lovable, easily frightened Great Dane, Scooby-Doo, makes his big-screen debut in this live-action/animated feature film.

Science on Screen at the Greenway



Enjoy a free, outdoor summer film series at the Greenway's Wharf District Park!



Godzilla 2000

Wednesday, July 31 at 8:00pm | 1999 | 1h 39m | 35mm | In Japanese with English subtitles

Directed by: Takao Okawara

Featuring: Takehiro Murata, Hiroshi Abe, Naomi Nishida

Get ready to crumble! The king of all monsters is back and bigger than ever, and the action heats up when a UFO reveals itself as a massive alien monster headed straight for him. Introduced by Brad Bolman of the School of Historical Studies at the Institute for Advanced Study.



Apollo 13

Wednesday, August 21 at 7:00pm | 1995 | 2h 20m | 35mm

Directed by: Ron Howard

Featuring: Tom Hanks, Bill Paxton, Kevin Bacon

Stranded 205,000 miles from Earth in a broken spacecraft, astronauts Jim Lovell (Tom Hanks), Fred Haise (Bill Paxton), and Jack Swigert (Kevin Bacon) fight to survive. Introduced by Katherine Schauer, Strategic Communications Lead at NASA Goddard Space Flight Center.

Special Screenings



Free LSD with Director Dimitri Coats and Keith Morris

Sunday, July 21 at 7:00pm | 2023 | 1h 37m | DCP
 Directed by: Dimitri Coats
 Featuring: Keith Morris, Dimitri Coats, Autry
 Fullbright II

After the screening join us for a Q&A with Keith Morris and director Dimitri Coats, both of the band OFF! The film sees Keith, an elderly sex shop owner, fall for a younger woman who visits his store looking for a gift.



CatVideoFest 2024

Sunday, August 4 at 2:00pm | 1h 40m | DCP

The world's #1 cat video festival is back with screenings in theaters across the USA and around the world. Enjoy a compilation of the latest and best cat videos culled from countless hours of unique submissions and sourced animations, music videos, and classic internet powerhouses. A portion of ticket proceeds from every show goes directly to local cats in need!



The Hateful Eight

Saturday, August 17 at 9:00pm | 2015 | 2h 48m | DCP
 Directed by: Quentin Tarantino
 Featuring: Samuel L. Jackson, Kurt Russell, Jennifer Jason Leigh, Walton Goggins

Presented by Mass Mini Con and design collective Mutant! A limited edition, officially licensed film poster will be available for sale.

In the dead of a Wyoming winter, a bounty hunter and his prisoner find shelter in a cabin currently inhabited by a collection of nefarious characters.

Coolidge Education

Seminar: Godzilla (1954)

Tuesday, July 2 at 6:15pm
 Instructor: Jennifer Cullen

Global blockbuster *Godzilla* (1954), featuring ground-breaking special effects, both reenacted Japan's recent history and predicted its post-war political and economic path. Join Dr. Jennifer Cullen, Associate Teaching Professor of Japanese Popular Culture and Film at Northeastern University, for this seminar examining *Godzilla*'s historical context and legacy.



Seminar: Being John Malkovich

Thursday, August 1 at 6:15pm
 Instructor: Ingrid Stobbe

Before the screening of Spike Jonze's fantastical comedy, join Ingrid Stobbe, Associate Professor of Digital Filmmaking at Lesley University, to learn more about the director's style and how it brings this film to life.



Seminar: The Taking of Pelham One Two Three

Thursday, August 8 at 6:15pm
 Instructor: Odie Henderson

Before the film, join us for a seminar taught by Boston Globe film critic and author of *Black Caesars and Foxy Cleopatras: A History of Blaxploitation Cinema* Odie Henderson, who brings his firsthand experiences of '70s NYC to the Coolidge to discuss a classic crime film with one hell of an ending. Gesundheit.



GODZILLA vs. THE COOLIDGE

JULY REPERTORY SERIES

Celebrating 70 years of Godzilla! Since 1954, Godzilla has been King of the Monsters, and we're screening some of his greatest creature clashes to illustrate why every Tuesday in July.

Godzilla (1954)

Tuesday, July 2 at 7:00pm | In Japanese with English subtitles

The original Godzilla film! This introduction to the rampaging radioactive beast became an international icon of destruction, spawning almost 30 sequels.

Coolidge Education intro seminar available; see p15 for more.

Mothra vs. Godzilla

Tuesday, July 9 at 7:00pm | In Japanese with English subtitles

Godzilla faces off against the benevolent insect monster-god Mothra in this clash of the titans, a crossover battle between two of Toho Studios's most popular monsters.

Destroy All Monsters

Tuesday, July 16 at 7:00pm | In Japanese with English subtitles

Set in the remote future of 1999, the people of Earth have achieved world peace by confining destructive creatures to Monsterland...until an alien race intervenes.

Godzilla vs. Hedorah

Tuesday, July 23 at 7:00pm | In Japanese with English subtitles

Intended to address the crisis levels of pollution in post-war Japan, this film finds the King of the Monsters fighting an alien life form that arrives on Earth and feeds on waste.

Terror of Mechagodzilla

Tuesday, July 30 at 7:00pm | In Japanese with English subtitles

In Godzilla's last gasp of the Showa era, aliens retrieve Mechagodzilla's remains and rebuild it with the aid of an unhinged biologist.



GODZILLA (1954)



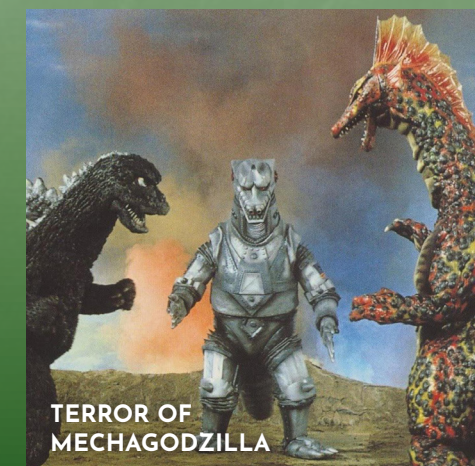
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BRINGING OUT THE DEAD

25th ANNIVERSARY

AUGUST REPERTORY SERIES

Dial-up internet, the dot-com boom, the release of the Blackberry... where'd all the time go? Somehow it's already been 25 years since 1999, one of Hollywood's greatest years. This August, celebrate with eight of our favorite art house films from the turn of the century!

Being John Malkovich

Monday, August 5 at 7:00pm

Director Spike Jonze brings his signature surrealism to melancholy marionettes, office drudgery, a frizzy-haired Cameron Diaz, non sequiturs, and absolutely no romance! *Coolidge Education intro seminar available; see p15 for more.*

Election (in 35mm)

Tuesday, August 6 at 7:00pm

Reese Witherspoon stars as an overachieving high schooler who launches a campaign for student body president, spinning her social studies teacher's life out of control.

All About My Mother (in 35mm)

Sunday, August 11 at 2:00pm

Pedro Almodóvar's poignant, at times comedic examination of women in intimate relationships.

The Insider (in 35mm)

Tuesday, August 13 at 7:00pm

Based on a true story, Michael Mann's coolly riveting exposé of corporate corruption recounts the chain of events that pitted an ordinary man against the tobacco industry.

Go (in 35mm)

Wednesday, August 14 at 7:00pm

Director Doug Liman's follow-up to *Swingers* is a hyperkinetic, MDMA-fueled cult joyride that bounces with whiplash-inducing abandon between a coterie of twenty-somethings.

Beau Travail

Sunday, August 18 at 2:00pm

With her ravishingly sensual take on Herman Melville's *Billy Budd*, *Sailor*, Claire Denis firmly established herself as one of the great visual tone poets of our time.

Bringing Out the Dead (in 35mm)

Tuesday, August 27 at 7:00pm

This searing collaboration between director Martin Scorsese and screenwriter Paul Schrader continues their ongoing inquiry into questions of guilt, torment, faith, and existential meaning.

Magnolia (in 35mm)

Wednesday, August 28 at 7:00pm

Paul Thomas Anderson's sprawling character study follows ten people whose damaged lives intersect during a single day in Southern California's San Fernando Valley.

COOLIDGE AFTER MIDNITE



JULY | Slaught(her)

Friday, July 5: *Serial Mom*

Friday, July 5: *X*

Saturday, July 6: *The Honeymoon Killers*

Saturday, July 6: *Pearl*

Friday, July 12: *Strait-Jacket*

Friday, July 12: *Pearl*

Saturday, July 13: *Friday the 13th*

Saturday, July 13: *X*

Friday, July 19: *All About Evil*

Saturday, July 20: *Rocky Woods Double Feature*

Saturday, July 20: *Office Killer*

Friday & Saturday, July 26 & 27: *Free LSD*

Friday, July 26: *Bride of Chucky*

Saturday, July 27: *Jennifer's Body*

AUGUST | Mid-knights (to be confirmed)

Friday, August 2: *Army of Darkness*

Saturday, August 3: *Reign of Fire*

Friday, August 9: *Dragonslayer*

Saturday, August 10: *Curse of the Blind Dead*

Friday, August 16: *Knightriders*

Saturday, August 17: *Monty Python and the Holy Grail*

Friday, August 23: *Highlander*

Saturday, August 24: *Legend*

Friday, August 30: *A Knight's Tale*

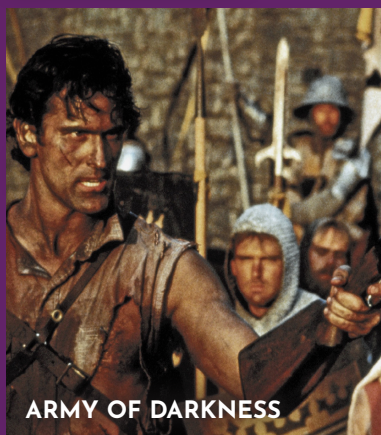
Saturday, August 31: *The Dark Knight*



X



JENNIFER'S BODY



ARMY OF DARKNESS



THE DARK KNIGHT

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