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Amelie	2001	Jean-Pierre Jeunet	Audrey Tautou, Mathieu Kassovitz, Rufus	French, Comedy, Romance, Blu-ray, M	2h 2m	2016	A glorious joy ride! Amelie is an innocent and naive girl in Paris with her own sense of justice. She decides to help those around her and, along the way, discovers love. Nominated for 5 Academy Awards.
Angels' Share	2012	Ken Loach	Paul Brannigan, John Henshaw, Roger Allam	UK, Comedy, Drama, Crime, DVD, MA15+	1h 46m	2015	Hilarious and uplifting! A visit to a whisky distillery inspires Robbie and his mates to seek a way out of their hopeless lives. A surprisingly delightful, uplifting comedy that successfully blends a charming story of redemption with bits of dark humour and a social message.
As It Is In Heaven	2004	Kay Pollack	Michael Nyqvist, Frida Hallgren, Helen Sjöholm	Sweden, Music, Drama, M	2h 13m	2018	A successful conductor returns to his childhood village for remedial solace, but when the local choir asks his advice he is reluctantly drawn into their lives. Through the darkness and light of their humanity he eventually finds connection and love.
Babette's Feast	1987	Gabriel Axel	Stephane Audran, Bodil Kjer, Birgitte Federspiel	Foreign, Drama, Blu-ray, G, Denmark	1h 44m	2015	Powerful, beautiful, and incredibly memorable. A tale of a Parisian political refugee, Babette, who takes refuge in a small Danish village. She is taken in by two sisters who have forsaken their chance of romance and fame, instead choosing to take refuge in religion. Babette brings a quiet revolution to this starkly pious village, in the form of one exquisite meal.
Bagdad Cafe	1987	Percy Adlon	Marianne Sagebrecht, CCH Powder, Jack Palance	DVD, USA, Comedy, Drama, PG	1h 35m	2016	Will draw you in...a timeless and memorable film! Jasmin, a German woman, and her husband are travelling through the desert, they argue, and she grabs her suitcase and leaves him. She ends up at a seedy motel and café where she perceives beauty where others see ugliness.
Beautiful Kate	2009	Rachel Ward	Ben Mendelsohn, Rachel Griffiths, Sophie Lowe, Bryan Brown	Australian, Drama, MA15+	1h 30m	2014	Haunting, confronting and superbly crafted. A son returns home to a remote homestead to say goodbye to his dying father. While there, the son relives memories of his beautiful twin sister and their childhood together. These memories awaken long buried secrets. Set in the Flinders Ranges.
Begin Again	2013	John Carney	Kiera Knightly, Mark Ruffalo, Adam Levine	DVD, USA, Comedy, M, Romance	1h 44m	2015	thought provoking... life affirming... Uplifting... a soul stirring comedy. A chance encounter between a disgraced music-business executive and a young singer-songwriter leads to a promising collaboration between the two talents. Begin Again is a soul-stirring comedy about what happens when lost souls meet and make beautiful music together.
Bill Cunningham New York	2010	Richard Press	Bill Cunningham, Anna Wintour, Michael Kors	DVD, USA, Documentary, PG	1h 24m	2013	Delicate, funny and often poignant portrait of a dedicated artist. Fascinating insight into the 82 year old Bill Cunningham, photographer for the New York Times, who is a man obsessed with capturing the 'look' of New York. He travels around the city on his bicycle wearing his trademark street sweepers blue jacket. An insightful and moving story of a man dedicated to his craft, whose only wealth is his own humanity and unassuming grace.
Black Cat White Cat	1998	Emir Kusturica	Bajram Severdzan, Srdjan Todorovic, Branka Katic	Serbia, Comedy, Crime, Romance, MA15+	2h 7m	2017	A delicious taste of Eastern Europe! After Matko botches a train robbery and is double-crossed into debt, he is obliged to force his son into an arranged marriage. As the wedding day approaches, family and friends must cope with betrayals, lust,
Black Orpheus	1959	Macel Camus	Breno Mello, Marpessa Dawn Lourdes de Oliveira	Brazil/France/Italy, Drama, Musical, PG	1h 40m	shortlist 2018	Marcel Camus' Black Orpheus brings the Ancient Greek myth of Orpheus and Eurydice to the twentieth-century madness of Carnival in Rhode Janeiro. With its eye-popping photography and ravishing, epochal soundtrack, Black Orpheus was an international cultural event, and it kicked off the Bossa Nova craze that set hi-fi's across America spinning.
Brassed Off	1996	Mark Herman	Pete Postlethwaite, Tara Fitzgerald, Ewan McGregor	UK, Comedy, Drama, Romance, M	1hr 43m	2019	It's 1992 and the miners of Grimley Colliery are facing uncertainty. Not only might the mine close but the Grimley Colliery Band is on the verge of breaking up - that is, until Gloria arrives.
Carnage	2011	Roman Polanski	Jodie Foster, Kate Winslet, Christoph Waltz, John C. Reilly	Blu-ray, USA, Drama, Comedy, M	1h 20m	2017	Good manners are only skin deep... Two pairs of parents hold a civilized meeting after one of their sons has injured the other in a fight. The more time they spend together the less civilized they become until all pretence is dropped and their true thoughts are revealed.

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Casablanca	1942	Michael Curtiz	Humphrey Bogart, Ingrid Bergman, Paul Henreid	USA, Drama, Romance, War, Blu-ray, PG	1h 42m	2017	A cynical American expatriate runs a nightclub in Morocco during the early stages of WWII. Things get complicated when former lover Ilsa shows up with her husband.
Children of the Revolution	1996	Peter Duncan	Judy Davis, Sam Neill	Australian, DVD, M	1h 32m	2013	Farcical cold war political espionage. Fantastic Dark comedy about Communism and its effect on a family in Australia. Few knew that Stalin spent his last night in the arms of a young Australian woman. Fewer knew that their love child brought Australia to the brink of civil war. An Australian politician blames his difficulties on his mother, which seems ridiculous until we flash back to the 1950's and discover his mother had a brief fling with Josef Stalin and that he could be Stalin's love child.
Chinese Takeaway	2011	Sebastian Borensztein	Ricardo Darin, Muriel Santa Ana, Ignacio Huang	Argentina, Comedy, Drama, DVD, M	1h 33m	2016	Perhaps life is not entirely meaningless... Human and optimistic in tone, we follow the transformation of a lonesome, bitter, pedantic hardware store owner, due to a chance encounter with a Chinese immigrant. This film is about the rare and freakish events that may happen to anyone, anytime.
Cinema Paradiso	1988	Giuseppe Tornatore	Philippe Noiret, Enzo Cannavale, Antonella Attili	Italy, Drama, Blu-ray, PG	2h 4m	2013	Wonderful story of how the bonds between people influence their lives. A film-maker receives news from his aging mother that someone he once knew has passed away. A beautiful story unfolds about the man's childhood friendship with an old man, who was the projectionist at the local theatre. Their friendship shaped the way the young boy grew, eventually to move out of his run-down village to pursue his dream.
Death in Brunswick	1990	John Ruane	Sam Neill, Zoe Carides, John Clarke	Australian, Comedy, Crime, M	1h 49m	2016	Dark Aussie humour at its best! Carl Fitzgerald is down on his luck until he meets Sophie, a beautiful Greek girl. He gets a job as a cook but accidentally kills fellow worker Mustafa. Together with his unscrupulous grave-digger friend, he tries to dispose of the body, deal with the bad guys, and win the girl.
Delicatessen	1991	Marc Caro, Jean-Pierre Jeunet	Marie-Laure Dougnac, Dominique Pinon, Pascal Benezec	French, Comedy, Crime DVD, M	1h 39m	2018	A morbid comedy set in a visually ravishing futuristic dystopia... With its molelike inhabitants, its sprawling war between flesh-eaters and lentil-men, its achingly sweet love story and surrealist blend of dusty antiques and 21st-century gizmos, Delicatessen is a unique experience.
Departures	2009	Yojiro Takita	Masahiro Motoki, Ryoko Hirose, Tsutomu Yamazaki	DVD, Japan, Drama, Music, M	2h 10m	2017	Life and death... Beautifully told A newly unemployed cellist and his wife move back home to look for work and start over. He finds a job but it is not what he thought it would be. The film follows his profound and sometimes comical journey as he uncovers the wonder, joy and meaning of life and death.
Duck Soup	1933		Groucho Marx, Harpo Marx, Chico Marx, Zeppo Marx, Margaret Dumont	USA, Comedy, Musical G	1h 10m	2014	The Marx Brothers greatest and funniest masterpiece! The mythical country of Freedonia is broke and on the verge of revolution. A farcical series of events lead to war with neighbouring country, Sylvania. A short but brilliant satire and lampooning of dictatorial leaders.
Ed Wood	1994	Tim Burton	Jonny Depp, Martin Landau, Sarah Jessica Parker	USA, Bio-pic, M	2h 7m	2014	Hilarious... Tragic... Heartfelt... A unique and mostly true story about the legendary director of awful movies and his motley crew of Hollywood misfits, outcasts, has-beens, and never-weres. A heartfelt tribute to one man's love of making movies.
Finding Vivian Maier	2013	John Maloof, Charlie Siskel	Vivian Maier, John Maloof, Daniel Arnaud	USA, Documentary, Biography, DVD, PG	1h 23m	2016	Intriguing and fascinating! A documentary on the late Vivian Maier, a nanny whose previously unknown cache of 100,000 photographs earned her a posthumous reputation as one of the most accomplished street photographers.
Frida	2002	Julie Taymor	Salma Hayek, Alfred Molina, Geoffrey Rush	USA, Bio-pic, Mexico, MA15+	2h 3m	2014	A tribute to a truly unique and remarkable woman. A biography of artist Frida Kahlo who channeled the pain of crippling injuries and her tempestuous marriage into her paintings. Her innate energy, passion and love of life allowed her to overcome daunting obstacles to achieve recognition as one of the most significant female artists of the 20th Century.
Gaslight	1944	George Cukor	Charles Boyer, Ingrid Bergman, Joseph Cotten	USA, Classic, DVD PG	1h 54m	2013	Elegant thriller. Brilliant, classic film of mind games and suspense. A woman finds herself wooed by an attractive, and strangely possessive, man who seems more interested in the house she lives in than her. No wonder, since the man is a thief who ten years before had murdered the woman's aunt and has still not found the jewels he is after. The film creates terrific atmosphere and there's lots of 'bumps in the night'.

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Gaslight - B&W	1940		Wynyard, Walbrook	B&W		-	NOT the Version Screened in our program!! Black and white 1940. Purchased in error. See 1944 version below.
Goodfellas	1990	Martin Scorsese	Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta, Joe Pesci	USA, Blu-ray,	2h 26m	2013	Gritty life of organised crime. The story of Irish-Italian American, Henry Hill, and how he lives day to day as a member of the mafia. Based on a true story, the plot revolves around Henry and his two unstable friends, Jimmy and Tommy and how they progress from petty crime to violent murder. Details the rise and fall of Henry Hill. Set to a true-to-period rock soundtrack. Winner of six Academy Awards, including Best Picture and Best Supporting Actor. Big, brash, macho melodrama ...a cracking performance... A racist Korean war veteran living in a crime-ridden Detroit neighbourhood is forced to confront his own lingering prejudice when a troubled Hmong teen next door attempts to steal his prized Gran Torino.
Gran Torino	2008	Clint Eastwood	Clint Eastwood, Bee Vang, Christopher Carley	USA, Drama	1h 56m	2018	Big, brash, macho melodrama ...a cracking performance... A racist Korean war veteran living in a crime-ridden Detroit neighbourhood is forced to confront his own lingering prejudice when a troubled Hmong teen next door attempts to steal his prized Gran Torino.
Harold and Maude	1971	Hal Ashby	Ruth Gordon, Bud Cort, Vivian Pickles	USA, Drama, DVD, G	1h 31m	2015	heartwarming... hilarious... A classic of dark comedy! Young, rich, and obsessed with death, Harold finds himself changed forever when he meets lively septuagenarian Maude at a funeral. An extremely loveable film that resonates for a long time after it's over.
Her	2013	Spike Jonze	Joaquin Pheonix, Amy Adams, Scarlett Johansson	USA, Comedy, Romance, Sci-Fi, MA15+	2h 6m	2018	How 'personal' will our devices become...? In the near future, a lonely writer develops an unlikely relationship with an operating system designed to meet his every need.
Hercules Returns	1993	David Parker	David Argue, Bruce Spence, Mary Coustas	DVD, Australian, M, Comedy	1h 20m	2015	Absolutely hilarious! A film company executive resigns from his job to set up his own cinema with the help of some friends. On opening night they discover the film they are about to screen, Hercules, is in Italian with no sub-titles. They decide to improvise an English soundtrack as the film is running, complete with sound effects.
Hope Springs	2012	David Frankel	Meryl Streep, Tommy Lee Jones, Steve Carell	USA, Comedy, Drama, Romance, M	1h 40m	2017	A slice of reality—quietly, beautifully acted. After 30 years of marriage, a middle-aged couple attends an intense, week-long counselling session to try and rekindle the passion they once shared. The husband is reluctant but the wife sees this as the last chance to save their marriage.
Hunt for the Wilderpeople	2016	Taiki Wai	Sam Neill, Julian Dennison, Rima Te Miata	NZ, Adventure, Comedy, Drama, Blu-ray, PG	1h 41m	2017	Funny, heart-warming, off-beat, brilliant! A rebellious teenager, Ricky, is taken to live with new foster parents, Uncle Hec and Auntie Bella, who live on a remote farm. A series of events leads to a national man-hunt for Hec and Ricky and they form a unique bond as they evade their pursuers.
Innocence	2000	Paul Cox	Julia Blake, Charles 'Bud' Tingwell, Kristine Van Pellicom	Australian, Drama, Romance, M	1h 34m	shortlist 2018	After more than forty years apart, widower Andreas and his first love Claire embark on an affair as reckless and intense as when they were young lovers. However, this time around, there are more complications, including the possibilities of ill health and death, as well as the impact their relationship might have on Claire's husband John.
Jiro Dreams of Sushi	2011	David Gelb	Jiro Ono, Masuhiro Yamamoto Daisuke Nakazama	USA, Documentary, G	1h 21m	2014	Beautiful...Thoughtful...Engrossing... A documentary on an 85 year old sushi master, Jiro Ono. Considered by many to be the world's greatest sushi chef. The film explores his business in a Tokyo subway and his relationship with his two sons, one of whom will be the eventual heir to his business.
Little Fish	2005	Rowan Woods	Cate Blanchett, Sam Neill, Hugo Weaving	Australian, Crime, Drama, Romance, Thriller, MA15+	1h 54m	2019	Set in the Little Saigon district outside of Sydney, a woman (Blanchett) trying to escape her past becomes embroiled in a drug deal.
Living Is Easy With Eyes Closed	2013	David Trueba	Javier Camara, Natalia de Molina, Francesc Colomer	Spain, Comedy, Drama, M	1h 48m	2015	A charming & quirky ode to adolescence. In Spain in 1966, an English teacher, and die-hard Beatles fan, decides to go on a road trip to Almeria, in the hope of meeting John Lennon who is shooting a film there. Along the way he picks up two hitch-hikers and an unlikely bond is formed between them.
Look Both Ways	2005	Sarah Watt	Justine Clarke, William McInnes, Daniela Farinacci	Australian, Drama, Romance, DVD, M	1h 40m	shortlist 2019	Meryl imagines disaster coming from every direction - train crashes, man-eating sharks, baby-eating killer whales... and then there's Nick. Winner of four 2005 AFI awards - Best Film, Best Direction, Best Original Screenplay, Best Supporting Actor. Australia, 2005, 100 min. Drama, Mystery, Romance Directed by: Sarah Watt Stars: Justine Clarke, William McInnes, Mary Kostakidis Rated: M

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Love Serenade	1996	Shirley Barrett.	Miranda Otto, Rebecca Frith, George Shevtsov	Australian, Comedy, DVD, M	1h 41m	2013	Two bored sisters live in a country town where their neighbour, a Bary White style DJ, threatens to turn their world upside down when they find themselves competing for the same man. The comedy revolves around the sisters' conflict over this man, while portraying a failing town and a cast of odd-ball characters.
Made in Dagenham	2010	Nigel Cole	Sally Hawkins, Bob Hoskins, Andrea Riseborough	UK, Biography, Comedy, Drama, M	1h 53m	2016	Based on a true story! A dramatization of the 1968 strike at the Ford Dagenham plant, where female workers walked out in protest against sexual discrimination. An uplifting story of an ordinary woman achieving something extraordinary.
My Brilliant Career	1979	Gillian Armstrong	Judy Davis, Sam Neill, Wendy Hughes	Australian, Drama, DVD, G	1h 40m	shortlist 2018	Sometimes it is the things that bind us, that truly set us free... Based on Miles Franklin's novel, this critically-acclaimed Australian masterpiece is a delicate parable of one woman's fight for independence, and the sacrifices that must be made along the way to success.
O Brother, Where Art Thou?	2000	Joel and Ethan Coen	George Clooney, John Turturro, Tim Blake Nelson	USA, Comedy, DVD, M	1h 46m	2015	Surprising...refreshing.. Brilliantly written and superbly acted! In the deep south during the 1930's, three escaped convicts search for a hidden treasure while pursued by a relentless lawman. Based on Homer's The Odessey, the Coen brothers interpretation of this epic story is brilliantly written and superbly acted. A great soundtrack too!
POLLOCK	2000	Ed Harris	Ed Harris, Marcia Gay Harden, Tom Bower	USA, Biography/Drama, DVD, MA15+	2h 2m	2016	A powerful look at the creative process. A film about the life and career of American painter, Jackson Pollock. A great artist is not necessarily a great man...
Proof	1991	Jocelyn Moorehouse	Hugo Weaving, Genevieve Picot, Russell Crowe	Australian, Drama, Romance, DVD, M	1h 26m	shortlist 2018	Blind from birth, Martin (Hugo Weaving) trusts no-one except the camera that has replaced his eyes. By taking photos, Martin has proof that the world he senses is the same one other people see. Unfortunately, Martin has never known anyone he trusts enough to describe his photos to him. Until he meets Andy (Russell Crowe). But Martin's housekeeper, jealous of their trusting relationship is determined to undermine their newfound friendship. Winner of 7 AFI awards including Best Picture 1991.
Rabbit Proof Fence	2002	Phillip Noyce	Everlyn Sampi, Tianna Sansbury, Kenneth Branagh	Australian, Adventure, Biography, Drama, DVD, PG	1h 34m	2016	Superb and meaningful film making...a powerful story. In 1931, three Aboriginal girls escape, after being taken from their homes to be trained as domestic staff, and set off on a 1,500 mile trek across the Outback to find their way back home. Australia 2002 94 minutes Adventure/Biography/Drama Directed by: Phillip Noyce Stars: Everlyn Sampi, Tianna Sansbury, Kenneth Branagh Rated: PG
Rashomon (In the Woods)	1950	Akira Kurosawa	Toshiro Mifune, Machiko Kyo, Masayuki Mori	Japan, Drama, Mystery, Crime, DVD, M,	1h 28m	2015	This landmark film is a brilliant exploration of truth and human weakness. A crime occurs in a forest and is reported by four witnesses, each from their own point of view - who is telling the truth? One of legendary director Akira Kurosawa's most acclaimed films. Features an innovative narrative structure, brilliant acting and a thoughtful exploration of reality versus perception.
Sarah's Key	2010	Gilles Paquet-Brenner	Kristin Scott Thomas, Mélusine Mayance, Niels Arestrup	French, Drama/War, Blu-ray, PG	1h 51m	2013	Potent tale of survival, guilt and hard-nosed reporting. A dark corner of French history tucked into a ticking clock thriller. The film shows the French participation in the Holocaust and how it affected two women; Sarah, a young girl who leaves her brother in a closet assuming she can come back to get him, and Julia, a journalist who is researching the story years later and discovers her own family was involved. This story is a deeply affecting drama about guilt, redemption, family secrets. and ultimately, hope.
Shower	1999	Yang Zhang	Jiayi Du, Bing He, Wu Jiang	China, Comedy, Drama, DVD, M	1h 32m	2018	Businessman Da Ming goes home to Beijing believing his father has died. He finds his father hard at work at the family's bathhouse. But this old district of his childhood is slated for demolition, and his father's health is failing. Da must choose his future and decide how to care for his mentally disabled brother.
Some Like it Hot	1959	Billy Wilder	Marilyn Monroe, Jack Lemmon, Tony Curtis	USA, Comedy, Romance, PG	2h	2017	One of the best comedies ever! When two musicians witness a mob hit in Chicago, they need to get out of town quick. Deciding to impersonate women and join an all-girls band, they escape to Florida. Mayhem ensues as the two men try to keep their true identities hidden from the other band members and the mob.

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Sunrise	1927	F W Murnau	George O'Brien, Janet Gaynor, Margaret Livingston	USA, Drama/Romance DVD, M	1h 34m	2013	Silent movie, black and white. Winner of three Academy Awards. The pinnacle of silent cinema. The evil temptress is a city woman who bewitches farmer Anses and then proposes that he drowns his wife so they can run away together. He attempts to do this on a romantic day out but backs out at the last moment. His wife escapes to the city, leaving him to chase after her. The farmer is faced with a moral dilemma, torn between two loves and with murder on his mind.
Tampopo	1985	Jûzô Itami	Ken Watanabe, Tsutomu Yamazaki, Nobuko Miyamoto	Japan, Comedy, Blu-ray, M	1h 54m	2018	A truck driver stops at a small family-run noodle shop and decides to help the fledgling business. The story is intertwined with various vignettes about the relationship of love and food.
Tangerines	2013	Zaza Urushadze	Lembit Ulfusak, Elmo Nuganen, Giorgi Nakashidze	Estonia/Georgia, Drama, War, MA15+	1h 27m	2018	A quietly profound study of the unfathomable nature of conflict... War in Georgia, Apkhazeti region in 1990. An Estonian man Ivo has stayed behind to harvest his crop of tangerines. In a bloody conflict at his door, a wounded man is left behind, and Ivo is forced to take him in.
Tell No One	2006	Guillaume Canet	Francois Cluzet, Marie-Josée Croze, Andre Dussollier	French, Crime, Drama, Mystery, Romance, DVD, MA15+	2h 11m	2017	The perfect thriller! Alex Beck misses his beloved wife Margot, who was brutally murdered eight years ago. When two bodies are found near where Margot's corpse was dumped, the police re-open the case and Alex is a prime suspect. The mystery deepens when Alex receives an email showing Margot older and alive.
Temple Grandin	2010	Mick Jackson	Claire Danes, Julia Ormond, David Strathairn	USA, Biography, DVD, PG	1h 47m	2018	Biopic of Temple Grandin, an autistic woman who has become one of the top scientists in the humane livestock handling industry... What made her different made her exceptional... Autism gave her a vision. She gave it a voice.
Ten Canoes	2006	Rolf de Heer, Peter Djigirr	Crusoe Kurddal, Jamie Gulpiilli, Richard Birrinbirin	Australian, Adventure, Comedy, Drama, DVD, M	1h 30m	2017	Be careful what you wish for... An elder realizes a young man on his first goose egg hunt is tempted to adultery with his brother's wife. He tells a story of how evil can slip in and cause immense havoc and through this storytelling the young man is guided onto a more virtuous path. A story within a story.
The 100 Year Old Man Who Climbed out the Window and	2013	Felix Herngren	Robert Gustafsson, Ivar Wiklander, David Wiberg	Norway, Adventure, Comedy, Blu-ray, M	1h 54m	2016	Delightful and hilarious! After living a long and colourful life, Allan Karlsson finds himself stuck in a nursing home. On his 100th birthday he climbs out of a window and begins an unexpected journey.
The Apartment	1960	Billy Wilder	Jack Lemmon, Shirley MacLaine, Fred MacMurray	USA, Comedy, Drama, Romance, Blu-ray, PG	2h 5m	2016	A sly look at corporate culture in 1950's America. A man hopes to improve his position at work by letting company executives use his apartment for extra-marital trysts. The complications that ensue from this arrangement create great comedy! Winner of 5 Academy Awards.
The Boat That Rocked	2009	Richard Curtis	Philip Seymour Hoffman, Bill Nighy, Nick Frost	UK, Drama, Blu-ray, M	2h 15m	2018	On air. Off shore. Out of control... A band of rogue DJ's that captivated Britain, playing the music that defined a generation and defying a government that wanted classical music, and nothing else, on the airwaves.
The Farewell Party	2014	Tal Granit, Sharon Maymon	Ze'ev Revach, Levana Finklestein, Aliza Rosen	Israel, Comedy, Drama, Romance, DVD, M	1h 35m	2017	Moving and provocative... A group of friends at a Jerusalem retirement home build a voluntary euthanasia machine to help a terminally ill friend. Rumours of the machine spread and more and more people ask for their help, creating a dilemma for the friends.
The Good the Bad and the Ugly	1966	Sergio Leone	Clint Eastwood, Eli Wallach, Lee Van Cleef	Italy/Spain, Adventure/Western Blu-ray, MA15+	2h 41m	2014	The pinnacle of Spaghetti Westerns! A bounty hunting scam joins two gunslingers in an uneasy alliance against a third in a race to find a fortune in gold. The action moves from the Wild West to the chaos of the American Civil War. Featuring a brilliant musical score by Ennio Morricone.
The Hunt	2012	Thomas Vinterberg	Mars Kikkelsen, Thomas Bo Larsen, Lasse Fogelstrom	Denmark, Drama, DVD, MA15+	1h 51m	2015	Profoundly thought-provoking psychological drama A former schoolteacher is forced to start over, having survived a tough divorce and the loss of his job. Just as things are starting to go his way, his life is shattered when an untruthful remark throws his small community into a collective state of hysteria.
The Intouchables [Copy 1 DVD]	2011	Olivier Nakache and Eric Toledano	Francois Cluzet, Omar Sy, Anne Le Ny	French, Biography, Drama, Comedy, DVD, M	1h 52m	2014	A celebration of everything that makes life worthwhile! After he becomes a quadriplegic from a paragliding accident, an aristocrat hires a young, street-smart, ex-con to be his caretaker. Uplifting, irreverent comedy about friendship, trust and human possibility. Based on a true story.
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The Kite Runner	2007	Marc Forster	Khalid Abdalla, Ahmad Khan Mahmoodzada, Atossa Leoni	Afghanistan, Drama, Blu-ray, PG	2h 8m	2013	Humanity prevails despite atrocities of war. Remarkable story about people we think we've figured out, but about whom we actually know next to nothing. Amir, a well-to-do boy from Kabul, is tormented by the guilt of abandoning his friend Hassan, the son of his father's servant. The story is set against a backdrop of tumultuous events, from the fall of the Afghan monarchy, through the Soviet Invasion, to the rise of the Taliban regime.
The Last Waltz	1978	Martin Scorsese	The Band and Friends	USA, Documentary, Music, Blu-ray, PG	1h 57m	2013	Musical celebration of the 60's and 70's. The rock documentary by which all others are measured. A celebratory record of The Band's farewell concert, shot at San Francisco's Winterland in 1976. A stage crowded with guests such as Bob Dylan, Joni Mitchell, Neil Young, Neil Diamond, Van Morrison, Emmylou Harris, Muddy Waters and the like. A fantastic way to sit back and watch the splendour of 1970's rock and roll.
The Lives of Others	2006	Florian Henckel von Donnersmarck	Ulrich Muhe, Martina Gedeck, Sebastian Koch	Germany, Drama/Thriller, DVD, MA15+	2h 18m	2014	A brilliant and terrifying depiction of the dark side of the former East Germany. Set in 1984 East Berlin. An agent of the Stasi is conducting surveillance on a writer and his lover and finds himself becoming increasingly absorbed by their lives. A beautiful and subtle portrait of how oppression can atrophy the soul and how authentic lives seek to transcend a repressive regime.
The Lunchbox	2013	Ritesh Batra	Irrfan Kahn, Nimrat Kaur, Nawazuddin Siddiqui	India, Drama, Romance, DVD, PG	1h 44m	2017	Exceptional - a rare gem! A mistaken delivery in Mumbai's famously efficient lunchbox delivery service connects a young housewife to an older man on the verge of retirement. Through notes left in the lunchbox, an unexpected friendship develops.
The Sapphires	2012	Wayne Blair	Chris O'Dowd, Debra Mailman, Jessica Mauboy	Australian, Biography/Comedy /Drama, Blu-ray, PG	1h 43m	2014	An effervescent charmer, full of heart and soul! Set in 1968. An unlikely talent scout discovers four young, talented singers and takes them from their remote Aboriginal community to entertain the troops in Vietnam. A new world opens up for the girls in this parable of self-determination.
The Third Man [copy 1 Blu-ray]	1949	Carol Reed	Orson Welles, Joseph Cotton, Alida Valli	UK, Film Noir/Mystery/Thriller , Blu-ray, PG	1h 33m	2014	An undisputed masterpiece of cinema! Pulp Novelist travels to post-war Vienna to take up a job offered to him by an old friend, only to find himself investigating his friend's mysterious death. This atmospheric thriller boasts iconic performances by Joseph Cotton and Orson Welles.
The Third Man [copy 2 DVD]				DVD			see above
The Young and Prodigious T.S. Spivet	2013	Jean-Pierre Jeunet	Helena Bonham Carter, Judy Davis, Callum Keith Rennie	France/Canada, Action Adventure, Comedy, Drama, M	1hr 45m	2019	A ten year old scientist secretly leaves his family's ranch in Montana and travels across the country aboard a freight train to receive an award at the Smithsonian Institute.
Wadja	2012	Haifaa Al-Mansour	Waad Mohammed, Reem Abdullah, Abdullrahman Al Gohani	Saudi Arabia, Comedy, Drama, DVD, PG	1h 38m	2016	A heartfelt and absorbing look at life in Saudi Arabia from a female perspective. An enterprising Saudi girl signs on for her school's Koran recitation competition as a way to raise the funds she needs to buy the green bicycle that has captured her interest. Winner of the Cinema for Peace Award at the Venice Film Festival.
What's Eating Gilbert Grape	1993	Lasse Hallstrom	Johnny Depp, Leonardo DiCaprio, Juliette Lewis	USA, Drama, DVD, PG	1h 57m	2015	Endearingly eccentric... A look at who the true heroes are. This film is a deeply tragic, yet deeply realistic tale of a complicated family stuck in a small town. Gilbert has to look after both his intellectually challenged brother and his obese mother, which gets in the way when love walks into his life. A truly wonderful performance by the young Leonardo DiCaprio.
When Pigs Have Wings	2011	Sylvain Estbal	Sasson Gabai, Baya Belal, Myriam Tekaia	Palestine, Comedy, DVD (region 2)	1h 38m	2018	When poor Palestinian fisherman Jafaar inadvertently hauls in a pig, he must try to off-load the 'unclean', forbidden animal whilst avoiding the scrutiny of Israeli soldiers, Islamic fundamentalists, and his poor long-suffering wife. Mayhem and misadventure await...
Where the Green Ants Dream	1984	Werner Herzog	Bruce Spence, Wandjuk Marika, Roy Marika	Australian, Germany, DVD, PG	1h 40m	2018	"Civilization is like a thin layer of ice upon a deep ocean of chaos and darkness" - Werner Herzog Aboriginal tribes observe their ancient legends and laws evolved over 40,000 years. Their culture is threatened when a corporation wants to mine one of their most sacred sites 'where the green ants dream'. Thus starts a revolt by the world of dreams against an impatient civilisation that seems to want everything but understands nothing.

Title	Release year	Director	Stars	Tags	Film length	SFFS Program year	Synopsis
Wish You Were Here	2012	Kieran Darcy-Smith	Joel Edgerton, Teresa Palmer, Felicity Price	Australian, Drama, Mystery, Suspense, DVD, MA15+	1h 29m	2015	Fearless, haunting, memorable... A calmly devastating exploration of how one misjudged moment in life has the potential to cause everything to fall to pieces. A man travels to Cambodia with his pregnant wife, her sister and boyfriend. After a night of partying, the boyfriend disappears without a trace. The others return to their lives, each bearing differing degrees of knowledge about what happened...
Women He's Undressed	2015	Gillian Armstrong	Darren Gilshenan, Deborah Kennedy, and a host of stars	Australian, Documentary, Biography, PG	1h 35m	2017	A documentary that explores the life of Australia's most prolific costume designer, Ory Kelly, who has largely been unrecognised in Australia and forgotten in Hollywood. He was costume designer on 282 films and winner of 3 Academy Awards
Zorba the Greek [copy 1 Blu-ray]	1964	Mihalis Kakogiannis	Alan Bates, Anthony Quinn, Irene Papas	Greece, Drama/Action/Adventure, Blu-ray, M	2h 22m	2014	Life, death, comedy, tragedy, love, hate, nastiness, compassion - this movie has it all! An uptight English writer arrives on the island of Crete and is 'adopted' by Alexis Zorba who is determined to show him that only by tasting defeat can one truly enjoy life's victories. A lusty, life-affirming movie with a career defining performance by Anthony Quinn.
Zorba The Greek [copy 2]				DVD, Classic			see above