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PROGRAMME



HYDERABAD FILM CLUB &
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presents

IRANIAN FILM FESTIVAL

in collaboration with

Consulate General of Islamic Republic of Iran, Hyderabad

At Sri Sarathi Studios Preview Theatre, Ameerpet

SCREENING SCHEDULE

13-06-2019 Thursday	6.00 p.m.	Inaugural Function followed by Screening of film BODYGUARD (2016/Action, Drama, Thriller/105 mins.) Dir. Ebrahim Hatamikia
14-06-2019 Friday	6.00 p.m.	1. AS SIMPLE AS THAT (2008/Drama/93 mins.) Dir. Reza Mirkarimi 2. AZAR, SHAHDOKHT, PAVIZ AND OTHERS (2014/Comedy, Drama/92 mins.) Dir. Nacer Khmit
15-06-2019 Saturday	6.00 p.m.	1. THE PAINTING POOL (2013/Comedy, Drama/96 mins.) Dir. Maziar Miri 2. TODAY (2014/Drama/85 mins.) Dirs. Mohsen Gharai, Afshin Hashemi
16-06-2019 Sunday	6.00 p.m.	1. SCANDAL (2013/Drama, Comedy/103 mins.) Dir. Habib Nestiri 2. BORN IN 1987 (2016/Drama, Romance, Thriller/80 m.) Dir. Majid Tavakoli

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AS SIMPLE AS THAT

(2008/Drama/93 mins.)

Director : Reza Mirkarimi
Writers : Reza Mirkarimi, Shadmehr Rastin
Stars : Hengameh Ghaziani, Mehran Kashani, Safa Aghajani

As Simple as That is a 2008 Iranian drama film directed by Reza Mirkarimi. It won the Golden George at the 30th Moscow International Film Festival. As Simple as That marks a milestone in current Iranian cinema as a rare realist depiction of a woman from the middle class.

'As Simple as That' is the touching portrait of an under-appreciated and unfulfilled woman's loneliness. Tahereh goes about her day, quietly attending to the demands of family and neighbors while her own low spirits go unnoticed. As her sense of isolation becomes more profound, even the brief glimpses of happiness she catches through her children seem to mark her search for meaning in her own life. The film captures Tahereh's emotional state with an understated finesse. Celebrated at multiple film festivals across the world, this is a film of great poignancy and beauty.

AZAR, SHAHDOKHT, PAVIZ AND OTHERS

(2014/Comedy, Drama/114 mins.)

Director : Behruz Afkhami
Writers : Behruz Afkhami, Marjan Shirmohammadi
Stars : Amirali Danaei, Azadeh Esmaeilkhani, Mehdi Fakhimzadeh

"Azar, Shahdokht, Parviz and Others" is a social drama about the double lives people lead, with the illusion Shahdokht and Parviz have to portray at odds with their life behind the scenes.

Shahdokht who is the wife of the famous actor Parviz, accidentally enters the world of cinema by being cast as an actress in Parviz's last film and becomes a serious rival for him. He becomes jealous of her and their relationship becomes sour. Until their daughter who lives in Europe is suddenly return home without a notice.

AWARDS

Winner Crystal Simorgh Fajr Film Festival for Best Film, Best Screenplay, Best Director, Best Actor in a leading role and Best Actress in a supporting Role.

BODYGUARD

(2016/Thriller, Drama/110 mins.)

Director : Ebrahim Hatamikia
Writers : Ebrahim Hatamikia
Stars : Parviz Parastui, Merila Zare'i, Babak Hamidian

A political, action, thriller film, 'Bodyguard' delivers an intriguing and exhilarating narrative. It tells the story of an old war hero assigned with the task of protecting one the country's most important assets: a young genius working at Iran's atomic agency for producing peaceful nuclear energy.

Whilst on duty, he encounters a threat from a suicide bomber. The threat is ultimately dealt with, but forces him to examine both the personal and professional ramifications of the event.

AWARDS

2016: 34TH Fajr International Film Festival - Winner Best Actor, Best Visual Effects.

2017: Vienna Independent Film Festival – Winner Best Director, Best Support Actor, Best Art Direction

BORN IN 1987

(2016/Roance, Thriller, Drama/80 mins.)

Director : Majid Tavakoli
Writers : Majid Tavakoli, Jamileh Daralshafaie
Stars : Hengameh Hamidzadeh, Pedram Sharifi, Ehsan Amani

This romantic drama tells the story of dreams and ambitions for a generation of young Iranians who often find those things difficult to come by. In this unique tale of a familiar theme, a young couple assume the role of a much wealthier couple in order to spend their days with Tehran's nouveau riche. The adventure begins with playful games that take the audience on a comic ride but it ends in horror when the young couple find themselves locked up in an apartment, facing a case of mistaken identities. At whole twisted, unpredictable, funny and thrilling, Tavakkoli's film is a masterful, beautifully acted, cleverly composed exercise in building suspense.

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SCANDAL

(2013/ Comedy, Drama/102 mins.)

Director : Masoud Dehnamaki

Writers : Masoud Dehnamaki

Stars : Akbar Abdi, Elnaz Shakerdust, Esmaeel Khalaj

"Scandal" tells the story of Haji Yusef, a cleric living among the ordinary people in a poor district of Tehran. He meets Afsaneh, an infamous woman, who is on the verge of complete moral corruption. Haji Yusef decides to help Afsaneh, but he faces some problems.

THE PAINTING POOL

(2013/Drama/96 mins.)

Director : Maziar Miri

Writers : Hamed Mohammadi

Stars : Shahab Hosseini, Negar Javaherian, Elham Korda

Maryam (Negar Javaherian) and Reza (Shahab Hosseini) try to do their best in life, but are met with several obstacles due to being mentally challenged. Their son Soheil was born without any defects and initially does not realize how his parents differ from other adults until he begins to grow older. This leads to complications when his teachers request that his mother come to school for a parent-teacher conference, as Soheil is afraid that his parents will humiliate him. As a result Soheil spends more and more time with Amirali, his teacher's son, and eventually moves in with them after his father loses his job.

AWARDS

2013: Asia Pacific Screen Awards – UNESCO award

2013: Fajr Film Festival - Crystal Simorgh - Best Set & Costume Design, Audience Award Best Film

2014: Lisboa Film Festival – Special Best Actor

2014: Sharjah International Children's Film Festival – Best Film.

TODAY

(2014/Drama/85 mins.)

Director : Reza Mirkarimi

Writers : Reza Mirkarimi,

Stars : Asiye, Soheila Golestani, Rozbeh Hesari

A taxi driver takes a young woman at a small Iranian hospital. As long as he gets there he realizes that he must take crucial decisions that may change his life. Today is a 2014 Iranian drama film. It was screened in the Contemporary World Cinema section at the 2014 Toronto International Film Festival.

AWARDS

Best Film Award Rabat International Film Festival 2014

Ecumenical Jury Prize Tallinn Black Nights Film Festival 2015

FIPRESCI Prize Tallinn Black Nights Film Festival 2015

Audience Award and Bronze Alhambra Cines del Sur 2015

Spirituality Section Award Dhaka International Film Festival 2016

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RENEWAL & ENROLMENT NOTICE - 2019

	SINGLE	COUPLE
Renewal Fee	Rs. 1000	Rs. 1500
Fresh Enrolment (Inclusive of Admission Fee)	Rs. 1200	Rs. 1700
LIFE MEMBERSHIP	Rs. 10,000	

RENEWAL OF MEMBERSHIP IS DONE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS :

1. Old Identity Card should be surrendered along with Photograph. (If Photograph is in mutilated condition, a fresh Photograph should be given).
2. Renewal form should be filled up if there is any change in address.
3. Members desirous of renewing their membership by post must do so by remitting the prescribed amount by Crossed DEMAND DRAFT drawn in favour of HYDERABAD FILM CLUB to the above address along with the present membership card indicating change of address if any.
4. Existing single members desirous of taking couple membership in 2019 should give fresh application along with 2 passport size JOINT PHOTOGRAPHS. An admission fee of Rs. 100/- will be collected for the spouse of the member.
5. Fresh enrolment will be done on production of 2 passport size photographs (single / joint) along with application and prescribed fee.

NO HALF - YEARLY MEMBERSHIP FOR FIRST HALF (JANUARY TO JUNE)
RENEWAL & ENROLMENT IS DONE ONLY ON SCREENING DAYS AT THE VENUE

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