

# Film Guide and Schedule

**Thursday, October 14** Community Room (Rm 19-147)

1:00

**Workshop** (Free Event, All Ages)

**Disney: Behind the Scenes: Imagineers**

Michael Broggie will be the festival's guest speaker this year as he shares about growing up in the Disney culture. Michael is the author of eight books on history, four of them on Disney. Michael grew up to write publicity for the company and, in fact, came up with the title for the iconic comedy, *The Love Bug*. Michael's connections to the company run deep, as Walt Disney invented the term 'Imagineer' for his father Roger.

4:00

**Chasing Childhood**

(ticketed event)

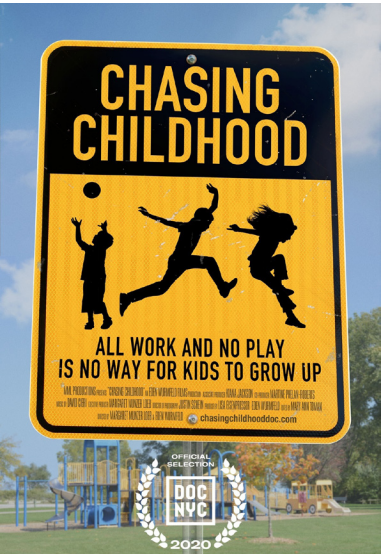
USA • 2020 • 78min • Doc. Feature

Parents with kids of all ages won't want to miss this film. In today's highly charged world of structure, stranger danger, and helicopter parenting, free play in childhood has disappeared, giving way to unprecedented anxiety and depression. Children's lives are consumed with wall-to-wall activities and constant monitoring. This film asks a central question: How can we empower our kids to become their best selves? The film offers possible solutions including "free play."

**Home From School**

USA • 16min • Narrative Short

When Naomi comes home from school and finds that her Dad is working late, she starts to deal with adult tasks while finding time to do her school work. Her best friend, Rani, is there to help her and provide emotional support for issues she is having at school and the recent loss of her mother.



**Friday, October 15** YCPAC

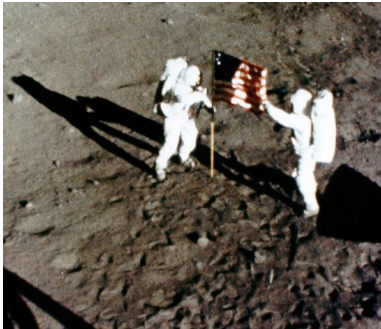
7:00

**Mission: Joy – Finding Happiness in Troubled Times**

USA • 2021 • 90min • Docu. Feature

Louie Psihoyos (Academy award 2010, *The Cove*) helms this beautiful documentary. Psihoyos is granted access to His Holiness the Dalai Lama and Archbishop Desmond Tutu. Filmed at the Dalai Lama's residence in Dharamsala, *Mission: Joy* invites into the unrepresented friendship between these two remarkable men as they share stories from their lives. The two men share a genuine affection for each other, accompanied by a lot of teasing. They share the lessons they learned from their experiences and traditions about how we can live a life with joy in the face of life's challenges. This beautiful film has been called "an antidote for our times."

7:00



**The Greatest Adventure – The Story of Man's Voyage to the Moon**

USA • 1979 • 51min • Doc. Feature

Narrated by Orson Wells and produced in 1979, currently there are only VHS copies available of this film. YC Program Director Rick Frimmer was a co-Executive Producer on the film. Rick and his co-producer William Moses went to NASA to view footage of the Apollo Mission and chose the footage included in the doc themselves. Some of these shots have not been seen in a long, long time. Join us for this very special event. Post-film discussion with Rick Frimmer.

**Tony Pierson: Driven**

USA • 2021 • 12:49min • Doc. Short

At age 63, legendary bodybuilder Tony Pearson comes out of retirement to compete one last time in Las Vegas. An inspiration for those who are still "driven" to complete their dreams no matter what their age.

**A Journey to the Moon**

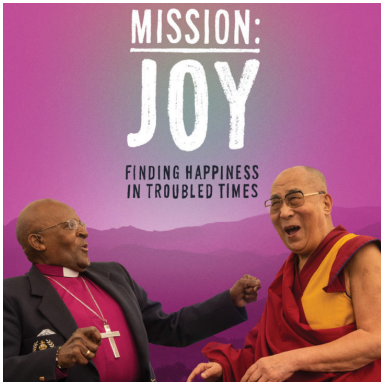
USA • 2021 • 2:30min • Animated Short

Two mice build a cardboard rocket ship to go to the moon. Why you ask? Well for the cheese of course!

**The Story Coat**

Canada • 2021 • 3:33min • Docu. Short

Our stories have many layers.... Join director Carinne Leduc as she shares about a unique way to remember someone special, a Story Coat.



**Saturday, October 16** YCPAC

4:00

**Cowboys Without Borders**

USA • 2020 • 84min • Docu. Feature

Gaston Davis, from a 6th generation ranching family, has a passion for ranching heritage and the agriculture. He decided to explore the culture of ranching and the people who work them from Montana to Argentina. What he discovers is that "The heart of the American Cowboy remains the same – they will forever serve their people on their respective frontiers."

**Farmer Lee**

USA • 2021 • 7:24min • Docu. Short

Farmer Lee has a passion for farming and producing the "healthiest, most nutritious, sexiest vegetables in the world." Join him on his farm in Ohio as he strives to take farming to the next level.

**Women of the Sea**

(Mujeres del Mar)

USA AZ & Mexico • 2020 • 6:46min • Documentary Short

A women-only oyster farming cooperative along Mexico's Gulf of California demonstrates the importance of community if we want to protect our natural resources.

7:00

**Rickshaw Girl**

Sneak Peek!

Bangladesh • 2021 • 102min • Nar.Feat.

(English)

A Bangladeshi girl bucks tradition to help her struggling family by disguising herself as a boy and driving her father's prized rickshaw for much needed extra money. Based on the acclaimed novel by Mitali Perkins.



**Mango Jam**

India • 2021 • 20min • Narrative Short

(English)

Navin and Pia are a couple with different expectations for each other. Pia expects Navien to join dancing classes with her. Navien is very hesitant.... Will he join in the fun? Or keep his sedentary ways?

**Sunday, October 17** Community Room (Rm 19-147)

1:00

**Student Films** (Free Event)

Join us for this year's winners of the Yavapai College Film & Media Arts High School Film Competition and selected films from FMA students! We will also screen two films in competition, that happen to be student films!

**Livia the Frescoed Lady**

USA • 2020 • 7min • Narrative Short

Birds are the bearers of omens in ancient Rome. When a chicken lands in Livia's lap, she knows good things are coming her way. A musical parody with lyrics inspired by *Lydia, the Tattooed Lady*. Utilizing an elastic sense of time, Livia charms all and we root for her to succeed.

**Vivian's Picture**

USA • 2020 • 16:30min • Docu. Short

Rafael Perez, the owner of Pronto's Pizzeria in California, faces COVID challenges day by day, working to keep his business afloat. It is a grind. When a young girl named Vivian gives him a picture she drew with crayon, he is inspired to keep going.

**3:00 PM Sculpture Garden**

**Gourmet Boxed Dinners**

Join us in the Sculpture Garden for a delicious dinner from Triple Creek!

(dinners and wine available for purchase)

Savory handheld pastries  
Duck Confit with Cranberry  
Beef and Smoked Gouda  
Root Vegetable and Goat Cheese  
Charcuterie of Pickled Vegetables  
& Cured Meats  
Sweet bites of Lemon Tarts &  
Chocolate dipped berries

**4:00 PM YCPAC**

**Silent Symphony: The Mark of Zorro**

USA • 1920 • 79 Min

The screening of a beautifully remastered version of *The Mark of Zorro* (1920) starring Douglas Fairbanks, with LIVE accompaniment from the Mont Alto Motion Picture Orchestra. In 1920 Douglas Fairbanks decided to create a new type of "adventure-costume picture." In *The Mark of Zorro*, Fairbanks combined his popular on-screen persona with an adventurous costume element. It was a smash success and he soon rose to become a superstar. The New Yorker says, "Douglas Fairbanks's first great acrobatic epic, from 1920, set the standard for zesty swashbucklers."

The film is accompanied – live by the Mont Alto Motion Picture Orchestra. Mont Alto has been delighting audiences from the Lincoln Center to the Telluride Film Festival and beyond. Their authentic style allows the music to speak for the film, just as it did a century ago when this film was created.

This masterfully restored print will take you back in time to when the film was first released. Experience a silent film the way it was meant to be enjoyed, in a large theatre with live accompaniment and a fantastic print!

Free after party following the film!





Tickets for the 11th Annual Prescott Film Festival are on sale now!

- Tickets can be purchased
- at the **YCPAC box office**
  - online at **ycpac.com**
  - by phone **928.776.2000** or **877.928.4253**

Tickets

- General Admission: **\$14.00**  
Student: **\$7.00**
- Silent Symphony Film: **\$27**  
student with ID: **\$15**

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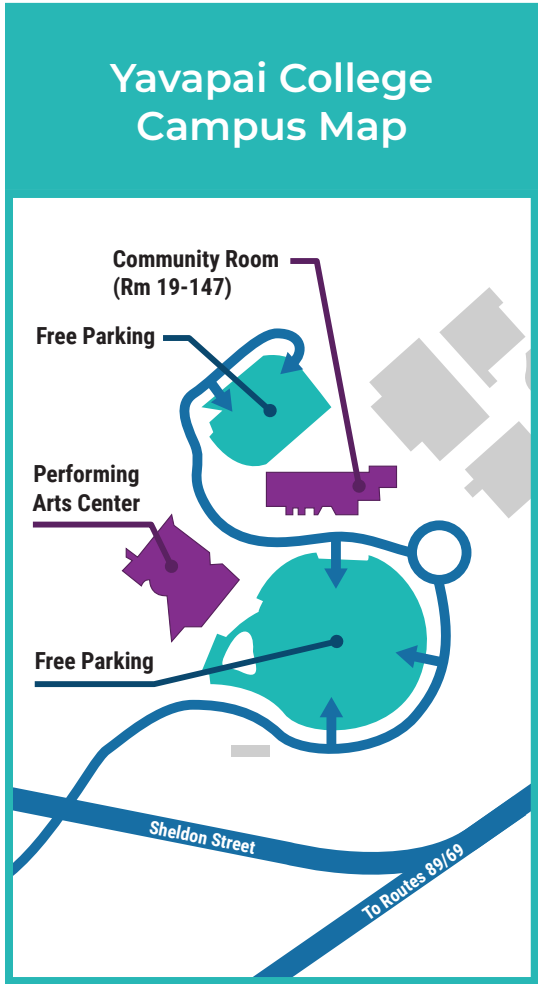
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We're Back!  
for the 11th Prescott Film Festival

Join us as we celebrate the art and craft of Independent Film this year! We start with a “soft opening” in the Community Room on the 14th with a free workshop and two unique independent films. The YCPAC re-opens after 18 months with the festival’s Opening Night Film, *Mission: Joy – Finding Happiness in Uncertain Times*. We will have an insightful post-film discussion, followed by the Opening Night After Party! In between are great indie films, foreign films and filmmaker Q&A’s. Our Closing Night will be the Silent Symphony! The Mont Alto Motion Picture Orchestra will be back and perform live accompaniment to *The Mask of Zorro*, (1920) starring Douglas Fairbanks!

It’s movie time!