

**EAST
RIDING
FILM
FESTIVAL
2017**



ABOUT

With 2017 being Hull's year as UK City of Culture, venues and independent cinemas in the East Riding came together with the aim of doing something to celebrate film across East Yorkshire. But what that something would be, was the subject of much discussion!

There are many film festivals and we knew we wanted something that would not be located in just one location or town, but spread across the marvellous venues the region has to offer. We were all passionate about film and we wanted to spread that love of film. It was soon decided that we wanted to invite people who could bring that enthusiasm to audiences over a wide spectrum of movies.

The result is the first East Riding Film Festival bringing celebrities, film-makers and those with a deep knowledge of their subject, to introduce films across the wonderful venues of the East Riding which will give film fans a deeper insight into beloved pictures.

With support gratefully received from the East Riding of Yorkshire Council and unrivalled co-operation between venues and the independent cinemas of the region, we really hope you find one classic (or even better several) presentations, that spark some fond film memories for you.



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SUNDAY 29 OCT

DOMINIC BRUNT INTRODUCES WHISTLE DOWN THE WIND

6.30pm ~ £9.50 ~ CERT PG

A 30 minute Q&A session at 6.30pm with Dominic Brunt hosted by BBC Radio Humberside's Phil White before the film screening.

Dominic has starred in many TV programmes including *Soldier Soldier*, *EastEnders*, *The Paul Merton Show* and *2.4 Children* before taking the role of Paddy with *Emmerdale*.

Dominic says, "Whistle Down the Wind, has been my favourite film for as long as I have been watching films.

"It is a beautiful study on the loss of innocence and the cynicism of the adult world versus the wonderment and faith of childhood. Its simple story has hidden depths which draw me back again and again. This beautifully shot allegorical tale never fails to make me laugh and cry. It breaks my heart and gives me hope at the same time. It is stunning and gentle and I am honoured to be presenting this very special film as part of the wonderful East Riding Film Festival 2017".



SUNDAY 12 NOV

JIMMY CRICKET INTRODUCES THE QUIET MAN

6.00pm ~ £4.50 ~ CERT U

Before the screening Jimmy will be performing a stand-up piece and discussion about his favourite film, *The Quiet Man*.

Starring John Wayne and Maureen O'Hare, *The Quiet Man* sees a retired American boxing champion trying to put tragedy behind him by returning to Innisfree, the Irish village of his birth.

£5.25 pre-ordered meal, £9.95 on the day meal.

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FRIDAY 2 FEB 2018

BRIAN BLESSED OBE INTRODUCES HENRY V

6.30pm ~ £9.50 ~ CERT 12A

An evening with Brian Blessed OBE.

A 30 minute Q&A session at 6.30pm before Brian introduces *Henry V*.

The son of a South Yorkshire coal miner, Brian Blessed was born in 1936 in Mexborough and grew up in the mining village of Goldthorpe. He trained at the Bristol Old Vic Theatre School before beginning a distinguished and varied career, which has encompassed all media. Brian is now one of this country's best known and most highly respected actors.

Henry V

Once More Unto The Breach, Dear Friends...

From Kenneth Branagh in his masterful directorial debut, comes the classic adaptation of William Shakespeare's *Henry V*, winner of an Academy Award and 2 nominations.

Once an undisciplined prince, Henry has matured into the powerful King of England and has set off on a campaign to conquer France. But with the fate of the war uncertain, Henry must come to terms with what it means to be king and rally his men victory...or to death.



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WEDNESDAY 4 OCT

CLARE GROGAN INTRODUCES GREGORY'S GIRL

7.30pm ~ Ad £10/Conc. £8 ~ CERT 12

Junction presents a special screening of Bill Forsyth's much-loved 1980 comedy.

BBC Radio Humberside's Burnsby starts the evening in conversation with Clare Grogan, who played Susan in the film, while simultaneously breaking big with her band Altered Images. After the screening, Clare and Burnsby will return for an audience Q&A.

Gregory's Girl is a quiet classic which exudes warmth and quirkiness. It will touch the heart of anyone who's loved and lost and loved again, all before the age of 16. A rare chance to see it on the big screen and, even rarer, with Clare Grogan!

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SUNDAY 15 OCT

JOHN GODBER INTRODUCES UP 'N' UNDER

7.30pm ~ £7.50 ~ CERT 12

Created for Hull Truck Theatre Company, John Godber's *Up 'n' Under* premiered at the Edinburgh Festival in 1984 where it won a Fringe First and subsequently the 1984 Laurence Olivier Award for Comedy of the Year.

Before a special screening, John Godber introduces the film version written and directed by John and released in 1998.



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FRIDAY 15 SEPT

BARBARA WASLIN-ASHBRIDGE IN CONVERSATION WITH WES BUTTERS INTRODUCES TO BARBARA, LOVE KENNETH - MY FRIENDSHIP WITH KENNETH WILLIAMS

7.30pm ~ Ad £10/Conc. £8 ~ CERT PG

Barbara Waslin-Ashbridge, of Hull, couldn't believe her luck when in 1973 she befriended the comedy actor Kenneth Williams. Having loved his work in the Carry On films and on radio and TV, the pair formed a close bond that remains immortalised in over 120 letters, of which only one appeared in the book *The Kenneth Williams Letters*, published in 1994 as a sequel to his infamous diaries.

In conversation with broadcaster and writer Wes Butters, himself a Kenneth Williams biographer, Barbara's story will be illustrated with many of her previously unseen letters, photographs and rare archive material - much of which haven't been seen since their original broadcasts.

The evening culminates in a screening of the classic film, *Carry On Camping*.



SUNDAY 1 OCT

ANDREW PENNY MBE INTRODUCES THE BRIDGE ON THE RIVER KWAI

6.30pm ~ Ad £10/Conc. £8 ~ CERT PG

Andrew Penny MBE, Musical Director of the Hull Philharmonic Orchestra and an authority on the music of Malcolm Arnold, explores the genesis of Arnold's score for this landmark film, which won the composer an Academy Award for Best Original Music Score in 1958.



SUNDAY 15 OCT

GARY HORROCKS INTRODUCES JUDY GARLAND'S A STAR IS BORN

From 1.00pm ~ Ad £10/Conc. £8 ~ CERT U

- ~ Judy memorabilia fair from 1.00pm
- ~ 2.00pm Gary Horrocks
- ~ 2.30pm *Judy Garland in London 1957*
- ~ 3.00pm Intermission
- ~ 3.30pm *A Star is Born* starring Judy Garland and James Mason.
Director: George Cukor.

Long before *La La Land*, there was Judy Garland and *A Star Is Born*. Join Beverley Film Society for an afternoon featuring The International Judy Garland Club's Gary Horrocks as he presents Hollywood with the lid off.

Includes the documentary *Judy Garland in London 1957* followed by the 1983 restoration of *A Star Is Born*, Judy's 1954 epic musical, described by Time magazine as, "the greatest one-woman show in modern movie history".

*Also forms part of Beverley Literature Festival.

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TUESDAY 24 OCT

MARK HERMAN INTRODUCES BRASSED OFF

7.00pm ~ £TBC ~ CERT 15

British classic *Brassed Off* comes to PAC this autumn for a special 21st anniversary screening followed by a Q&A session with director Mark Herman and several members of the cast.

This 1996 bittersweet comedy drama, written and directed by Mark Herman, stars Pete Postlethwaite as Danny, the devoted leader of the Grimley Colliery Band, who is determined to show the Tories 'we are not defeated'. Ewan McGregor, Stephen Tompkinson and Tara Fitzgerald are stand-outs in an impressive ensemble cast.



EAST RIDING FILM FESTIVAL ~ WHAT'S ON

DATE	FILM	SPEAKER	VENUE	TIME
Friday 15 September	To Barbara, Love Kenneth - My friendship with Kenneth Williams	Barbara Waslin-Ashbridge in conversation with Wes Butters	Parkway Cinema, Beverley	7.30pm
Sunday 1 October	The Bridge on the River Kwai	Andrew Penny MBE	Parkway Cinema, Beverley	6.30pm
Wednesday 4 October	Gregory's Girl	Clare Grogan	Junction, Goole	7.30pm
Sunday 15 October	Up 'n' Under	John Godber	North Ferriby Village Hall	7.30pm
Sunday 15 October	Judy Garland's A Star is Born	Gary Horrocks	Parkway Cinema, Beverley	From 1.00pm
Tuesday 24 October	Brassed Off	Mark Herman	Pocklington Arts Centre	7.00pm
Sunday 29 October	Whistle Down the Wind	Dominic Brunt	Bridlington Spa	6.30pm
Sunday 12 November	The Quiet Man	Jimmy Cricket	Bridlington Spa	6.00pm
Friday 2 February 2018	Henry V	Brian Blessed OBE	Bridlington Spa	6.30pm