

Supper Evening

Friday 10th May 2019

Put this date in your diaries!

Our Supper Evening film will be announced at the AGM on Monday 17 December 2018.



This is extra to the main programme as admission is by supper ticket only. Tickets will be available to members and their guests about six weeks before the event and details will be announced in due course.

Film Information

We aim to provide film notes at our screenings and information on our website at www.berkhamstedfilmsociety.co.uk

Members may also like to refer to the Internet Movie Database (IMDb) at www.uk.imdb.com for synopses, cast lists and reviews.

The programme may be subject to alteration.

Members Notes

Members of the Society are bound by the Constitution, which is available to members.

Membership is not transferable.

Berkhamsted Film Society is a member of the Berkhamsted Arts Trust.

Patron, The Rt Hon David Gauke MP

See 17 films for £35 or less!

An **annual subscription** pays for admission to all 17 films in the programme:

Single membership £35.00

Joint membership £65.00

New members pay £5.00 per person less for their first season.

Non-members are welcome

Tickets £5.00 at the door on film nights

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Season

**8.00 p.m. on film nights at
Berkhamsted Civic Centre**

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Come early for a welcoming glass of wine before our opening film!

Lady Bird Mon 17/Tues 18 Sept 2018

Humour and pathos in the turbulent bond between a mother and her teenage daughter. Lady Bird (Saoirse Ronan) fights against but is exactly like her wildly loving, deeply opinionated and strong-willed mom.

Dir: Greta Gerwig /2017/USA/Cert 15 94min

Happy End Mon 24/Tues 25 Sept 2018

A biting satire on bourgeois family values featuring a cast of top acting talent, including Isabelle Huppert, Jean-Louis Trintignant and Toby Jones. A piercing dark comedy on the blind preoccupations of middle-class angst. *Subtitles.*

Dir: Michael Haneke /2017/France/Cert 15 107min

Film Stars Don't Die in Liverpool Mon 15/Tues 16 Oct 2018

An adaptation of the memoir by British actor Peter Turner recounting his romance with Gloria Grahame, legendary star of Hollywood film noir, during the later years of her life. What starts as a vibrant affair quickly grows into a deeper relationship.

Dir: Paul McGuigan /2017/UK/Cert 15 105min

Loveless Mon 29/Tues 30 Oct 2018

A couple going through a vicious divorce are impatient to start again, to turn the page, even if it means abandoning their 12-year-old son. Until, after witnessing one of their fights, he disappears. A razor-sharp portrayal of a family and society on the precipice of collapse. *Subtitles.*

Dir: Andrey Zvyagintsev /2017/Russia/Cert 15 127min

Journey's End Mon 5/Tues 6 Nov 2018

In March 1918, an 18-year-old lieutenant arrives at the front line to join the war-weary officers of C Company, the days ticking by and tension rising as they wait for the artillery bombardment which will signal the start of a new German offensive.

Dir: Saul Dibb /2017/UK/Cert 12A 107min

A Man Called Ove Mon 19/Tues 20 Nov 2018

Heartbreaking events and heartwarming humour combine in the story of Ove, the quintessential grumpy old man who, when he has just about given up on life, develops an unlikely friendship with his new neighbours. *Subtitles.*

Dir: Hannes Holm /2015/Sweden/Cert 15 117min

Cycling with Molière Mon 10/Tues 11 Dec 2018

A warm, literate comedy, set on the glorious île de Ré. Two actors are friends, at odds with one another in every possible way except their love of Molière's The Misanthrope. Gauthier tries to convince Serge to join him in a new production. *Subtitles.*

Dir: Philippe Le Guay /2013/France/Cert 15 104min

Loving Vincent Mon 17 Dec 2018

This film will be preceded by a short AGM and seasonal mulled wine with mince pies.

In the world's first feature-length painted animation a young man sets out to investigate the mystery surrounding the death of Vincent van Gogh. A dazzling visual achievement, based on Vincent's artworks.

Dirs: D.Kobiela, H.Welchman /2017/UK, Poland/Cert 12A 94min

Churchill Mon 7/Tues 8 Jan 2019

Bravura performances from Brian Cox and Miranda Richardson reveal the terrifying personal and political anxieties which beset the great man in the days before the D-Day landings.

Dir: Jonathon Teplitzky /2017/UK/Cert PG 96min

Harmonium Mon 21/Tues 22 Jan 2019

With highly perceptive attention to character and mood, Fukada has created an explosive drama which captures the collapse of a seemingly ordinary Japanese family when an outsider enters their inner circle and repressed issues come to the surface. *Subtitles.*

Dir: Koji Fukada /2016/Japan/Cert 12A 120min

The Death of Stalin Mon 4/Tues 5 Feb 2019

The one-liners fly as fast as political fortunes fall in this uproarious, wickedly irreverent satire. When tyrannical dictator Joseph Stalin drops dead his parasitic cronies square up in a frantic power struggle to be the next Soviet leader.

Dir: Armando Iannucci /2017/UK/Cert 15 105min

The 100-Year-Old Man... Mon 18/Tues 19 Feb 2019

...Who Climbed Out of the Window and Disappeared. On his 100th birthday Allan escapes from the care home and embarks on a journey involving a suitcase stuffed with cash, wicked criminals, an elephant, and other surprises. An off-beat treat. *Subtitles.*

Dir: Felix Herngren /2013/Sweden/Cert 15 114min

Beast Mon 4/Tues 5 Mar 2019

Love story, murder mystery and psychodrama. On Jersey a rebellious and troubled woman finds herself torn between the control of her oppressive family and the allure of a roguish outsider suspected of a series of brutal killings.

Dir: Michael Pearce /2017/UK/Cert 15 107min

The Other Side of Hope Mon 18/Tues 19 Mar 2019

A wry comedy and bittersweet tale of human kindness about two mismatched outsiders - Khaled, a Syrian asylum seeker and Wikström, a middle-aged salesman fleeing a miserable marriage - whose paths cross fortuitously.

Subtitles.

Dir: Aki Kaurismaki /2017/Finland/Cert 12A 98min

Faces Places Mon 1/Tues 2 Apr 2019

Agnès Varda, pioneer filmmaker of the French New Wave, joins photographer JR on a whimsical tour of rural France, creating an ever-growing mosaic of memories through massive black-and-white posters. *Subtitles.*

Dirs: Agnès Varda, JR /2017/France/Cert 12A 89min

Frantz Mon 15/Tues 16 Apr 2019

A romance/drama with an unpredictable storyline. In the aftermath of WW1, a young German grieving for her fiancé meets a Frenchman laying flowers at his grave. As a relationship develops, each experiences complex personal conflicts with no easy answers. *Subtitles/B&W.*

Dir: Francois Ozon /2016/France/Cert 12A 114min

Call Me By Your Name Mon 29/Tues 30 Apr 2019

A powerfully affecting portrait of first love, set in the north of Italy in 1983. Elio, a precocious 17-year-old, and Oliver, a graduate student, discover the heady beauty of awakening desire over the course of a life-changing summer.

Dir: Luca Guadagnino /2017/Italy,USA/Cert 15 132min