

FLICKERFEST 2017 - International Short Film Festival Celebrating 26 Years 'The Home Of Great Short Film'

BEST OF AUSTRALIAN SHORTS (& Best Of xxx if relevant) @ Venue, date

Celebrating its 26th year, Flickerfest, Australia's leading Academy® Award accredited and BAFTA-recognised Short Film Festival, and the country's largest Australian & International short film competition, presents the best of shorts from Australia and around the world, handpicked from over 2400 entries.

Flickerfest screens for 10 days under the summer stars at Bondi Beach in January 2017, with selected highlights touring Australia on a 50+ venue national tour Jan-May 2017. Flickerfest remains a platform for celebrating the most entertaining and innovative short filmmaking from around the world.

Flickerfest returns to the **Venue, Date** with **Best Of Australian Shorts (& other programme/s if relevant)**, a one-off chance to see this amazing shorts before they continue their journey around the world; curated from the Flickerfest in competition screenings at Bondi, expect to experience the best in short filmmaking Australia (& the world) has on offer.

Watch the: [Flickerfest 2017 Tour trailer](http://www.vimeo.com/flickerfest/2017tourtrailer) www.vimeo.com/flickerfest/2017tourtrailer

Use relevant highlights for your screenings only from below:

FLICKERFEST 2017 Highlights

BEST OF AUSTRALIAN SHORTS include:

MESSIAH

Australia / 17 min / 2016

WRI/DIR: Damian Walshe-Howling

PROD: Joey Horvitz, Rohan Timlock

In a playful collision of cultures, a hapless Irishman and his Parisian girlfriend get more than they bargained for when they encounter a particularly mischievous stranger in the spectacular Australian wilderness.

I'M RAYMOND

Australia / 17 min / 2016

WRI/DIR: Eddy Bell

PROD: Lib Kelly, Catherine Williams

8 year old global warming alarmist Raymond Banks brings civil action against his parents, claiming loss of future income due to the worlds impending total demise. WORLD PREMIERE at Flickerfest Bondi

SPICE SISTERS

Australia / 15 min / 2016

WRI/DIR: Sheila Jayadev

PROD: Lyn Norfor

Rohini, a former Bollywood actress, is bored and restless with her life. When a popular reality cooking competition issues a call for entries, Rohini decides it's now or never to make a change. (screening out of competition)

BEST OF INTERNATIONAL 1 SHORTS Highlights include:

NOCTURNE IN BLACK

United States / 23 min / 2016

WRI/DIR: Jimmy Keyrouz

PROD: Felecia Hunter, Ellie Foubi, Marc Fadel

In a war-ravaged Middle Eastern neighbourhood, a musician struggles to rebuild his piano after it is destroyed by Jihadists.

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TIMECODE

Spain / 15 min / 2016

WRI/DIR/PROD: Juanjo Giménez | WRI: Pere Altimira

PROD: Daniel Villanueva, Arturo Méndiz

Luna and Diego are the parking lot security guards. Diego does the night shift, and Luna works by day.

NSW PREMIERE at Flickerfest Bondi

UNE TETE DISPARAIT (THE HEAD VANISHES)

Canada, France / 9 min / 2016

WRI/DIR: Franck Dion

PROD: Richard Van Den Boom, Julie Roy

Jacqueline has lost her mind a bit, but whatever, for her trip to the seaside, she has decided to take the train by herself, like a big girl!

AUSTRALIAN PREMIERE at Flickerfest Bondi

BEST OF INTERNATIONAL 2 SHORTS Highlights include:

BON VOYAGE

Switzerland / 23 min / 2016

WRI/DIR: Marc Raymond Wilkins

PROD: Joël Louis Jent

During a holiday cruise a Swiss sailing yacht encounters a sinking refugee boat.

AUSTRALIAN PREMIERE at Flickerfest Bondi

MINDENKI (SING)

Hungary / 25 min / 2016

WRI/DIR: Kristóf Deák | WRI: Bex Harvey, Christian Azzola

PROD: Anna Udvardy, Kristóf Deák

Zsófi is admitted to a famous choir but soon learns of the cruel ways of her choir director. It will take Zsófi and a new friend to teach their teacher a lesson.

AUSTRALIAN PREMIERE at Flickerfest Bondi

SHORT LAUGHS COMEDY Highlights include:

5 FILMS ABOUT TECHNOLOGY

Canada / 5min / 2016

WRI/DIR: Peter Huang

PROD: Evan Landry, Jonathan Keltz

An anthology short that takes a darkly comic look at the absurd realities of how modern technology affects our daily lives.

AUSTRALIAN PREMIERE at Flickerfest Bondi

FACON

Australia / 11min / 2015

WRI/PROD: Felicity Pickering

DIR/PROD: Joshua Dang | PROD: Barbara Ings

Tia is an avid meat eater who is strictly a vegan hipster in public. When Tia's judgmental vegan boyfriend invites himself to her family birthday party, Tia must find the courage to tell him her secret.

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TWINSBURG

United States / 16min / 2016

WRI/DIR: Joe Garrity

PROD: Kate Charlotte Hodges, Kyle Parker

In a Midwestern town founded by identical brothers, thousands convene for the world's largest gathering of twins.

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FLICKERKIDS Highlights include:

THE INSPECTOR AND THE UMBRELLA

France / 2 min / 2016

WRI/DIR: Ma ël Gourmelen

PROD: Didier Brunner, Damien Brunner

New York 1952. The day promises to be rainy, but nothing can affect our Inspector Frigg... nothing?

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DUNDER

Norway / 10 min / 2016

WRI: Endre Lund Eriksen

DIR: Endre Skandfer

PROD: Merete Korsberg

Bulder's snowball fight with his best friend Modika is interrupted when Lex steals her away to study snowflakes.

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