FLICKERFEST 2023 – BEST of AUSTRALIAN SHORTS Tour Programme – East Coast



Married At First Fleet | 7m | 2022

Wri/Dir/Prod: Blythe Ashton | Wri: Dan Pavatich, Benny Eggmolesse | Prod: Darren Ashton Married at First Fleet follows a modern day 18th Century couple. Individuals matched together according to their common interests, attractiveness and lack of diseases. World Premiere



Game Face | 10m | 2022

Wri/Dir/Prod: Gillian Crosby | Prod: Greta Nash

A woman gets a fresh perspective after meeting a funny and vibrant cast of characters at a confidence workshop for cancer patients. *Australian Premiere*



The Fritz | 16m | 2022

Wri/Dir: Conor Mercury | Prod: Morgan Wright

Arriving at a party after being hit by a meteor, a nervous man (Trevor Jamieson) seeks to confront his brothers about their tumultuous past, but things don't quite go according to

plan. Also featuring Clarence Ryan and Kamahl. World Premiere



Lean | 18m | 2022

Wri: Conor Mercury | Dir: Ben Golotta | Prod: Morgan Wright

After suffering financial ruin, Robert decides to sail a handmade boat to New Zealand. Seemingly to regain the respect of his family. Seeing the lunacy of his ambitions, his son

Charlie tries to stop him. Australian Premiere



The Overthrow | 14m | 2022

Wri/Dir: Phoebe Wolfe | Prod: Lilly Bader

One sweaty Australian summer, two girls roller skate across the outback from Sydney to Parliament House in an emission-less climate change protest that tests more than their friendship. *World Premiere*



By Lucas Wilson | 15m | 2021

Wri/Dir: Daniel Berini, Marlo Kelly | Prod: Simon Jackman, Erin Moy A true story about a boy's first secret and all that comes with it.



Teacups | 7m | 2023 | Australia, Ireland

Wri/Dir/Prod: Alec Green, Finbar Watson | Prod: Alan Holly

For almost half a century, Don Ritchie would approach people contemplating suicide at the edge of a cliff, 100ft from his home. Teacups explores Don's (voiced by Hugo Weaving) surreal interactions

with hundreds of suicidal individuals & his journey to reconcile the suicide of his best friend. World Premiere



Katele (Mudskipper) | 14m | 2022

Wri/Dir: John Harvey | Wri: Walter Waia | Prod: Gillian Moody

Martha, a Torres Strait Islander woman works tirelessly in a laundromat loading machines and folding washing, ready for the collection of her boss. When a mysterious visitor

arrives, Martha is reminded of the life she has left behind. World Premiere



Wonder Down Under | 15m | 2022

Wri/Dir: Declan Arrighi | Prod: Pippa Whishaw, Declan Arrighi, Michael Gosden, Isabella Torv Barb Barrett is a superhero. Or, at least she used to be. Now she must overcome her toughest challenge yet and rejoin the workforce in her fifties. Australian Premiere

Total Runtime: 115 mins











