



# Largs Film Society

## Season 2024 – 2025 programme

Screenings at 7 pm in the Valhalladrome in the Vikingar, Largs.

### 2024

**13 September; A Serious Man (US) Directors: Joel Coen & Ethan Coen** **2009** **Comedy/Drama**  
**Stars: Michael Stuhlbarg; Richard Kind; Sari Lennick** **106 mins** **IMDB 7.0**

Larry Gopnik, a Midwestern physics teacher, watches his life unravel over multiple sudden incidents. Though seeking meaning and answers amidst his turmoils, he seems to keep sinking.

**4 October; Return to Seoul (Europe), Director Davy Chou.** **2022** **Drama**  
**Stars Park Ji-Min; Oh Gwan-Rok; Guka Han** **119 mins** **IMDB 7.0**

A twenty-five-year-old French woman returns to Korea, the country she was born in before being adopted by a French couple, for the very first time. She decides to track down her biological parents, but her journey takes a surprising turn.

**25 October; Sunset Boulevard (US) Director. Billy Wilder** **1950** **Drama**  
**Stars. William Holden; Gloria Swanson; Erich Von Stroheim** **110 mins** **IMDB 8.4**

A screenwriter develops a dangerous relationship with a faded film star determined to make a triumphant return.

#### **DISCUSSION SESSION IN BARRFIELDS AFTER FILM SHOWING**

**15 November; One Life (GB): Director James Hawes** **2023** **Bio/Drama**  
**Stars Anthony Hopkins; Lena Olin; Johnny Flynn** **109 mins** **IMDB 7.5**

Sir Nicholas 'Nicky' Winton, a young London broker who, in the months leading up to World War II, rescued over 600 children from Nazi-occupied Czechoslovakia.

**6 December Belleville Rendezvous, (French) Director Sylvain Chomet** **2003** **Animation/Comedy**  
**Stars Michelle Caucheteux; Jean-Claude Donda; Michel Robin** **80 mins** **IMDB 7.7**

When her grandson is kidnapped during the Tour de France, Madame Souza and her beloved pooch Bruno team up with the Belleville Sisters--an aged song-and-dance team from the days of Fred Astaire--to rescue him.

## 2025

- 10 January**     **Nae Pasaran (UK/Chilli)** Director: Felipe Bustos Sierra     **2018**     **Documentary**  
**Stars.** Bob Fulton; Stuart Barrie; John Keenan     **96 mins**     **IMDB 7.9**  
The incredible story of the Scots who managed to ground half of Chile's Air Force, from the other side of the world, in the longest single act of solidarity against Pinochet's brutal dictatorship.
- 31 January**     **It Happened One Night (US)** : Director Frank Capra     **1934**     **Comedy**  
**Stars.** Clark Cable; Claudette Colberg; Walter Connolly     **105 mins** **IMDB 8.1**  
A rogue reporter trailing a runaway heiress for a big story joins her on a bus heading from Florida to New York and they end up stuck with each other when the bus leaves them behind at one of the stops along the way.
- 21 February**     **Perfect Days, (Japan)** Director: Wim Wenders     **2023**     **Drama**  
**Stars.** Koji Yakusho; Tokio Emoto; Arisa Nakano     **124 mins**     **IMDB 7.9**  
Hirayama cleans public toilets in Tokyo, lives his life in simplicity and daily tranquillity. Some encounters also lead him to reflect on himself.
- 14 March**     **Still Alice, (UK)** Director: Richard Glatzer; Wash Westmoreland     **2014**     **Drama**  
**Stars :** Julianne Moore; Alex Baldwin; Kirstin Stewart     **101 mins**     **IMDB 7.5**  
A linguistics professor and her family find their bonds tested when she is diagnosed with Alzheimer's Disease.
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- 4 April**     **The Banshees of Inisherin, (Irish)** Director Martin McDonagh.     **2022**     **Comedy/Drama**  
**Stars** Colin Farrell; Brendan Gleeson; Kerry Condon     **115 mins**     **IMDB 7.7**  
Two lifelong friends find themselves at an impasse when one abruptly ends their relationship, with alarming consequences for both of them.
- 25 April**     **The Birdcage, (US)** Director Mike Nichols     **1996**     **Comedy**  
**Stars:** Robin Williams; Nathane Lane; Gene Hackman     **117 mins**     **IMDB 7.2**  
A gay cabaret owner and his drag queen companion agree to put up a false straight front so that their son can introduce them to his fiancée's right-wing moralistic parents.
- 16 May**     **AGM Loving Vincent (UK)** Director DK Welshman; Hugh Welshman     **2017**  
**Animation/Drama**  
**Stars** Douglas Booth; Jerome Flynn; Robert Galaczyk     **94 mins**     **IMDB 7.8**  
In a story depicted in oil painted animation, a young man comes to the last hometown of painter Vincent van Gogh to deliver the troubled artist's final letter and ends up investigating his final days there.