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Summer Nights returns to Newfields on weekends June through August

Tickets go on sale April 20 for members and April 25 for public

INDIANAPOLIS, April 18, 2023— The National Bank of Indianapolis Summer Nights Film Series returns to The Amphitheater at Newfields on weekends from June through August. This year there are a few new plot twists to the beloved summer tradition. Along with family favorites, scary thrillers, and decades-old classics, Newfields will host an Audience Vote film in partnership with Indiana Black Expo, Inc.'s Film Festival, as well as a super-secret film for the adventurous movie goer on the final date of the series.

Tickets will go on sale for members Thursday, April 20 at 11 a.m. and Tuesday, April 25 at 11 a.m. for the general public. Individual tickets are \$9 for members and \$12 for the general public, all children 5 and under get in free but a ticket must be reserved. All tickets can be purchased at discovernewfields.org.

"Supporting the Summer Nights Film Series is a way for us to give back to our city, and to support our community in an engaging and meaningful way," said Ann Merkel, Senior Vice President and Chief Market Development Officer at The National Bank of Indianapolis. "We dedicate our resources to activities that create a stronger community and enhance the quality of life for all who live here."

Guest curator and film scholar, Coye Lloyd returns this year to help select the 2023 Summer Nights lineup and introduce the films. To learn more about Lloyd and her work, please visit <u>coyelloyd.com</u>.

The 2023 lineup includes:

- Friday, June 2: <u>The Big Sleep</u> (1946, dir. Howard Hawks, 114 mins., NR)
- Friday, June 9: But I'm a Cheerleader (1999, dir. Jamie Babbit, 85 mins., R)
- Friday, June 16: *Predator* (1987, dir. John McTiernan, 107 mins., R)
- Friday, June 23: Finding Nemo (2003, dir. Andrew Stanton and Lee Unkrich, 100 mins., G)
- Friday, June 30: <u>Crazy Rich Asians</u> (2018, dir. Jon M. Chu, 120 mins., PG-13)
- Friday, July 7: Audience Vote presented with Indiana Black Expo, Inc.
- Friday, July 14: Rear Window (1954, dir. Alfred Hitchcock, 112 mins., PG)
- Saturday, July 15: <u>Desperado</u> (1995, dir. Robert Rodriguez, 104 mins., R)
- Friday, July 21: Indy Shorts International Film Festival (Oscar® Shorts)
- Saturday, July 22: <u>Indy Shorts International Film Festival</u> (Award Winners)
- Friday, July 28: Fist of Fury (1972, dir. Wei Lo, 107 mins., R)*
- Friday, August 4: *The Mummy* (1999, dir. Stephen Sommers, 124 mins., PG-13)
- Saturday, August 5: <u>Dilwale Dulhania Le Jayenge</u> (1995, dir. Aditya Chopra, 181 mins., NR)*
- Friday, August 11: To Kill a Mockingbird (1962, dir. Robert Mulligan, 129 mins., NR)
- Friday, August 18: <u>Evil Dead II</u> (1987, dir. Sam Raimi, 84 mins., R) presented with Indy Film Fest in The Virginia B. Fairbanks Art & Nature Park
- Saturday, August 19: <u>Set It Off</u> (1996, dir. F. Gary Gray, 123 mins., R) in The Virginia B. Fairbanks Art & Nature Park
- Friday, August 25: Super-Secret Film (120 min, PG)

Dates and films are subject to change. DiscoverNewfields.org will always have the most up to date information.

^{*}Film is presented in another language with English subtitles.

Tickets:

Single Film Tickets \$9 members / \$12 public / free for ages 5 & under (ticket required)

What to Bring:

Bring your chairs, blankets, pillows, umbrellas, food, and non-alcoholic beverages. You can purchase beer, wine, and snacks from our Culinary Arts team. Also, be sure to bring some sunscreen and bug spray. Newfields is currently a cashless campus; credit or debit cards are the only form of payment accepted at this time. Plan to come early to snag the perfect spot!

What Not to Bring:

Alcoholic beverages, grills, pets, knives, guns and candles taller than twelve (12) inches are not permitted.

Inclement Weather:

The National Bank of Indianapolis Summer Nights Film Series is a **rain or shine event.** In the event of inclement weather, films will be shown in The Toby at 9 p.m. Check Newfields' website and social media for updates on the weather before you head out to the movie. Ticket holders will receive an email about any changes to the scheduled film screening. If the screening is halted due to inclement weather less than 45 minutes into the screening, guests will receive a full refund.

Accessibility:

Seating for attendees with limited mobility is available upon request. Assistive Listening Devices are available upon request and each film will be presented with closed captioning (when available). Call 317-923-1331 for additional information.

Content Warning:

Because this film series spans a variety of genres and decades, these movies may contain depictions and/or treatment of people or cultures that can be interpreted from a variety of lenses. It is important to understand the content and language used in the context of the films. You can find tags for potentially triggering content for each film on our website at DiscoverNewfields.org. If you have any questions or would like to know more about a specific film, please contact us at info@discovernewfields.org.

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About Newfields:

Newfields offers dynamic experiences with art and nature for guests of all ages. The 152-acre cultural campus features art galleries, lush gardens, a historic home, performance spaces, a nature preserve and sculpture park. From inspiring exhibitions in the IMA Galleries, to concerts in The Toby, to a stroll through The Garden with a glass of something cold, guests are invited to interact with art and nature in exciting new ways. Newfields is home to the Indianapolis Museum of Art, among the ten largest and ten oldest general art museums in the nation; the Lilly House, a National Historic Landmark; The Garden, featuring 40 acres of contemporary and historic gardens, a working greenhouse and an orchard; and The Virginia B. Fairbanks Art & Nature Park, one of the largest art and nature parks in the country. The Newfields campus extends outside of Indianapolis with Miller House and Garden in Columbus, Ind.—one of the nation's most highly regarded examples of mid-century Modernist architecture. For more information, visit DiscoverNewfields.org.

About The National Bank of Indianapolis:

The National Bank of Indianapolis, founded in 1993, is locally owned and operated with 13 banking centers in the Greater Indianapolis area. The bank offers Personal and Private Banking, Wealth Management, Commercial and Nonprofit banking services with a personalized touch. The rare combination of superior personal service, local decision-making and modern technology has propelled The National Bank of Indianapolis to become the 12th largest Indiana bank in the state. More information can be found at www.NBofl.com

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