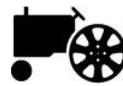




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Hill Country Film Festival and Fritztown Cinema to Screen Houston Film Commission Texas Filmmaker Showcase

Monthly Series Features Free Screening of Texas-made Short Films

AUSTIN, Texas (Jan. 8, 2019) – The Hill Country Film Society (HCFS), a non-profit organization committed to providing year-round independent film programming and education in the Texas Hill Country and host to the annual [Hill Country Film Festival](#) in Fredericksburg, Texas, on April 25-28, 2019, has partnered with [Fritztown Cinema](#) to host a screening of the Houston Film Commission's [Texas Filmmaker's Showcase](#) as part of their monthly independent film series.

WHAT: Each year, the Houston Film Commission curates an exceptional collection of Texas-made short films for the Texas Filmmaker's Showcase. HCFS and Fritztown Cinema will screen short films in the 2018 showcase which include:

ALTERNATIVE MATH (d. David Maddox)

A well-meaning math teacher finds herself trumped by a post-fact America.

AN UNCERTAIN FUTURE (d. Iliana Sosa & Chelsea Hernandez)

In Austin, Texas, two expectant mothers—one undocumented and one US citizen—must contend with increased ICE raids and mounting hostility towards immigrants under President Trump.

THE BACKUP PLAN (d. Daniel Earney)

When a down-on-his-luck single father faces eviction, he begins stealing catalytic converters to save his home.

CALLING (d. Artemis Anastasiadou)

Valeria, a Mexican American seamstress and mother of an intellectually challenged man is sexually assaulted one night by her employer. The film explores the next few hours after the event, the struggles of Valeria to take care of her son till she makes the final call.

CAROLINE (d. Celine Held & Logan George)

When plans fall through, a six-year-old is faced with a big responsibility on a hot Texas day.

THE HEIGHTS (d. Ryan Booth & Henry Proegler)

A promising musical duo tries to avoid a meltdown before the biggest show of their career.

LIQUID SOUL (d. Allen Phillips & Trampas Smith)

Heartbroken and high on huffing gasoline, a psychotic fuel tanker driver plots revenge on the girl that broke his heart, her whole family, and their dog.

Information on upcoming indie screenings at Fritztown Cinema can be found on HCFF Event page at: <http://www.hillcountryff.com/home/events/>.

WHEN: Sunday, March 3, at 5:30 p.m.

WHERE: Fritztown Cinema, 2254 Highway 87 South, Fredericksburg, Texas.

COST: Free; donations will be accepted benefiting the Hill Country Film Society and Fritztown Cinema. Seating will be first come, first serve. Doors will open at 5:15 p.m.

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@HC_Film_Fest and @FritztownCinema to present @filmhouston Filmmaker Showcase on 3/3 @ 5:30 pm as part of free indie screening series.

About Hill Country Film Society

The Hill Country Film Festival, created in 2010 to celebrate and showcase filmmakers from Texas and around the world, quickly evolved into a non-profit organization with a broader vision. The Hill Country Film Society not only hosts the annual festival, but provides year-round independent film programming in the Texas Hill Country as well as education in the art of independent film. Its mission is to encourage discovery through visual storytelling and create experiences that educate, inspire and engage. The society, a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, relies on its sponsors and members to help achieve its mission and ensure the future of film as part of a vibrant, creative culture. For more information, visit www.hillcountryff.com/film-society/.

About Hill Country Film Festival

Set in Fredericksburg, Texas, the Hill Country Film Festival (HCFF) is the vision of its director Chad Mathews, an actor, screenwriter, producer, and native Texan. Having participated in the film festival circuit, Mathews came to love the camaraderie and shared respect of those who are committed to the art of independent filmmaking. HCFF was created to celebrate and showcase filmmakers from Texas and around the world and is annually presented by the Hill Country Film Society, a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. For more information visit: www.hillcountryff.com.

About Fritztown Cinema

Newly licensed for beer and wine sales, Fritztown Cinema, owned and operated by Sloan Ruth, is welcoming movie fans to its location at 2254 Highway 87 South in Fredericksburg, Texas. For more information, visit www.fritztowncinema.com or www.facebook.com/fritztowncinema.

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