



Hill Country Film Society and Gem of the Hills Activity Center to Screen Dramey **KENDRA AND BETH**

AUSTIN, Texas (DEC. 28, 2021) – The Hill Country Film Society, 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 June 2 – 5, 2022, has partnered with [Gem of the Hills Activity Center](#) to host a screening of [KENDRA AND BETH](#) (d. Dean Peterson, U.S.) as part of Indie Film Series.

WHAT: Hill Country Film Festival alum Dean Peterson’s **KENDRA AND BETH** is a dark comedy about the only female employee working in a sausage company warehouse who forms an unlikely bond with a stranger that throws their lives into disarray, leaving them forever changed. The perfect blend of drama, humor and heart, the story follows two very different women and the strides they take in learning to care for themselves.

Information on upcoming indie screenings in the Texas Hill Country can be found on HCCFF Event page at: <http://www.hillcountryff.com/home/events/>.

WHEN: Sunday, January 9, at 6:00 p.m. Doors will open at 5:45 p.m.

WHERE: Gem of the Hills Activity Center, 2233 US Highway 281 North Blanco, Texas

COST: Free; donations will be accepted benefiting the Hill Country Film Society and Gem of the Hills.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Guests are encouraged to wear face coverings at all times unless eating or drinking. Seating will be socially distanced and guests are asked to maintain six feet of distance between other non-household guests. Hand sanitizer will be available. If a guest is experiencing a fever, coughing, sneezing, loss of smell/taste or believe they have been recently exposed to COVID-19, organizers ask you to please stay home.

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@HC_Film_Fest & Gem of the Hills to host a free screening of dark comedy **KENDRA AND BETH** on 1/9.

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 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 Gem of the Hills Activity Center

Gem of the Hills Activity Center, a 501(c)3 non-profit, was founded in Blanco, Texas, in 1984 for the purpose of establishing a facility where the adult community could gather to enrich their daily lives through programs and activities of recreation, health, fitness and general welfare. In 1995, a modern 5,600 square-foot building was completed, constructed primarily by a group of highly dedicated senior citizens. In addition to fulfilling the mission to provide space for programs and activities for senior citizens and the community, the center has become a popular site for weddings, anniversaries, family reunions, public meetings, and other gatherings. For more information visit www.gemofthehills.org.

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