TICKETING & BOOKING INFO

Opening Night: \$20 no concession

All Other Sessions: \$ 15/\$12 member + concession
Multi-film Pass: 5 Sessions for \$65/\$55 member + concession

Bookings: MCA Ticketing online: www.queerscreen.com.au

phone: 9645-1611 (9am – 4pm, Monday to Friday)

Concessions are available to Queer Screen and AFI members, Pension/Healt Care cardholders and full-time students

Advance bookings are available from Monday 16th August from MCA ticketing, tel 9645 1611, from 9am to 4pm Monday to Friday, and online 24/7 at www.queerscreen.com.au. Booking fees are \$2.40 per transaction for up to five tickets, and \$4.80 for more than five tickets.

Advance bookings will close on Thursday 9 September for Opening Night, and 2pm on Friday 10 September for all screenings after this time.

Tickets purchases will be mailed until Sunday 5th September. Tickets purchased after this date will only be available for collection from the cinema. Please remember to bring your concession ID or membership card with you.

Once the festival has opened, tickets can be purchased on the day of the screening from the cinema directly.

The Valhalla Cinema is located at 166 Glebe Point Rd, Glebe tel 9660 8050.

Please note that Film Classification conditions prohibit the admittance of people under the age of 18.

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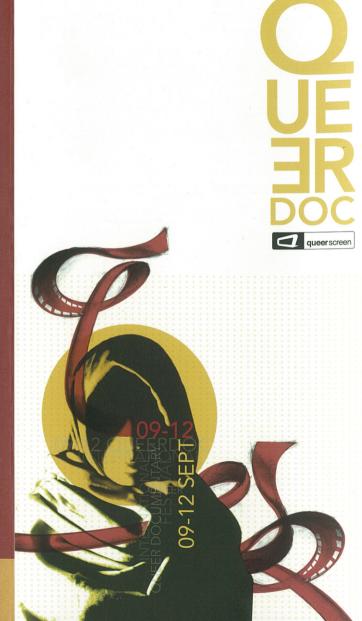
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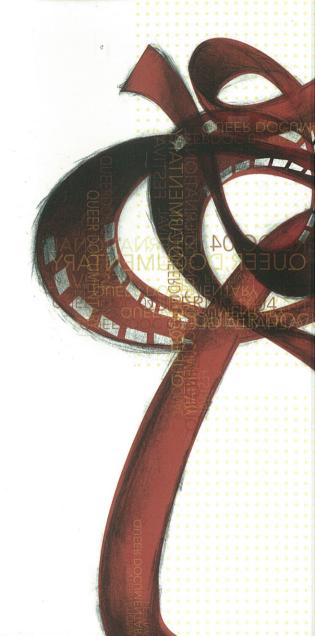
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THUR 09 SEPT OPENING NIGHT WE HAVE AN ALL-AUSTRALIAN OPENING NIGHT

8PM OPENING NIGHT

THE TASTY BUST REUNION

52 mins, Australia, 2004, video Directed by Stephen Maclean Produced by Esben Storm

"I was shocked to see a man bending over and being anally inspected by torchlight" - Robert Gould, Tasty Club patron. The story of 463 queers who were having a great time in the Tasty nightclub ten years ago, until a large contingent of Melbourne's finest cops busted in to disturb the night's festivities.

Now recognized as Australia's Stonewall, the Tasty raid brought together the queer community and resulted in a landmark ruling forcing the police to pay more than \$4.5 million in damages.

"This cheeky documentary, by turns sobering, shocking, and laugh-aloud funny recreates a terrifying night that forged an unlikely group of friends" - San Francisco International Lesbian & Gav Film Festival 2004.

TRANSGRESSION

6 mins, Australia, 2004, video Directed by Dean Francis World Premiere

A 19-year-old student at Sydney University was born male, but identifies as female. This film says as much about gender identity in 6 minutes as many films do in 90.

TOLIDOV

26 mins, Australia, 2004, video Directed by Judith Cobb World Premiere

Examines the experiences of four people in relation to their tomboy identity into and beyond adolescence.





FRI 10 SEPT





7PM DRAG KINGS ON TOUR

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80 mins, Canada/USA, 2004, video Directed by Sonia Slutsky Australian Premiere

Six drag kings take their motor home "King-dom" on a once-in-a-lifetime 3-week, 15-city "Kingdom Come Tour" across North America.

This award-winning documentary captures the lives, loves and personal liberation of these hairy, sexy kings as they face every kind of audience on the road. From some supportive parents in Milwaukee, to the furious feminists of the National Women's Music Festival, these kings teach more than a few women how to apply facial hair along the way...

Audience Award, Best Documentary, San Francisco International Lesbian and Gay Film Festival 2004 & Outfest LA 2004

THE LANCEDIAN

11 mins, 2002, USA, video Directed by Jenn Garrison

This lesbian channels N*SYNC member Lance Bass

9PM TOO HOT FOR TV THREE FILMS THAT ARE JUST TOO HOT FOR TV!

AMEDICAN FUNDOUGH

80 mins. USA/Italy. 2003. video

A well-endowed American gay man called Gelding and others willingly choose to lose their family jewels. Meet a variety of eunuchs and the 84-year-old doctor who performs the illegal operation at US\$2,000 a snip.

BIGGER

12 mins LISA 2004 vidos

Have you ever wanted to be... well... bigger? See close-ups of a man and his new enlarged penis.

ΔSSΙΛΙΔΧ

6 mins. USA 2004 video

Forget about shaving in those difficult to reach spots - try an ass wax!

Warning: This program contains nudity

SAT 11 SEPT





5PM GARDEN

85 mins, Israel, 2003, video Directed by Adi Barash & Ruthie Shatz Hebrew & Arabic with English Subtitles Australian Premiere

The Garden is a desolate neighbourhood of Tel Aviv, a known "red-light" district, and home to a mix of young gay prostitutes, illegal Palestinians, drug addicts and transsexual street workers. Teenage best friends Nino and Dudu perform sex acts for money and dabble in drug distribution. Nino, a 17-year-old Palestinian living illegally in Israel is on the run from the authorities and Dudu is an 18-year-old Arab-Israeli struggling with drug addiction.

Against the backdrop of the Arab-Israeli conflict, and the taboo on homosexuality, these two young men reveal the most intimate aspects of their lives.

SUN 12 SFPT







3PM COLONEL JIN XING: A UNIQUE DESTINY

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52 mins, France, 2001, video Directed by Sylvie Levey

The extraordinary tale of China's most emblematic and pioneering transsexual. A former colonel in the China's People's Liberation Army, world-class ballerina and China's most celebrated modern dancer, a mother and a movie star, 33-year-old Jin Xing made history as the first official transsexual in China.

LINEXPECTED BLOW: LAURA IS MY FATHER

15 min. Netherlands, 2003, video. Directed by Juul Bovenberg

MIND IF I CALL YOU SIP

28 mins, USA, 2004, video. Directed by Mary Guzman
Audience Award, Best Short Film, San Francisco International Lesbian and Gay Film Festival 2004

5PM RISE ABOVE: THE TRIBE 8 DOCUMENTARY

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80 mins, USA, 2003, video Directed by Tracy Flannigan Sydney Premiere

"Tribe 8 is a ferocious, all female, all-queer punk band from San Francisco whose members bare their breasts onstage and whose lead singer likes to pull a straight boy from the audience to give a blow job to her thick strap-on dildo... Filmmaker Tracy Flannigan gets it all in close-up, but also captures the rich and complex life stories of these women, whose lives take on political weight by virtue of sheer authenticity..." LA Weekly

Best Documentary, San Francisco International Lesbian and Gay Film Festival 2003 OUTstanding Emerging Talent Award, Los Angeleis Gay and Lesbian Film Festival 2003 Best Female Director Award, Seattle Lesbian and Gay Film Festival 2003





7PM CLOSING NIGHT

Introduced by Michael Kelly, key spokesperson for the Rainbow Sash Movement and human rights campaigner Monica Hingston.

IN GOOD CONSCIENCE: SISTER JEANNINE GRAMICK'S JOURNEY OF FAITH

82 mins, USA, 2004, video Directed by Barbara Rick Australian Premiere

Directed by Emmy award winner Barbara Rick, this is a film about a gentle revolutionary - the inspirational Sister Jeannine Gramick. In 1999, Pope John Paul the Second issued an ultimatum to an American nun who had founded a compassionate ministry to gay and lesbian Catholics: denounce homosexuality or lose everything. Stripped of her ministry and the order she had been with for over forty years, Sister Jeannine takes on the Vatican and continues speaking out about the injustices faced by the LGBTQI community.

Audience Award, Philadelphia Gay and Lesbian Film Festival 2004

ONE WEDDING AND A REVOLUTION

19 mins, USA, 2004, video. Directed by Debra Chasnoff