



2006 SEATTLE LESBIAN & GAY FILM FESTIVAL OCTOBER 13-22

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It's a Wrap! The Seattle Lesbian & Gay Film Festival

The 2006 Seattle Lesbian & Gay Film Festival was a resounding success and Three Dollar Bill Cinema (the event producers) would like to extend a huge thank-you to all who supported this event. Gratitude goes out to our fine cast of filmmakers, visiting guests, sponsors, members, audience, volunteers, and very supportive press.

The Awards

Juried Awards

Best Narrative Feature: **WHOLE NEW THING**, directed by Amnon Buchbinder

Best New Director: **Russell P. Marleau**, for **THE CURIOSITY OF CHANCE**
Honorable Mention: **Ned Farr**, for **THE GYMNAST**

Best Documentary Feature: **PICK UP THE MIC**, directed by Alex Hinton
Honorable Mention: **CRUEL AND UNUSUAL**, directed by Janet Baus, Dan Hunt, and Reid Williams

Best Local Film: **STRAIGHT INTO GAY AMERICA**, directed by Jennifer Ting
Honorable Mention: **MOM'S APPLE PIE**, directed by Jodi Laine, Shan Ottey, and Shad Reinstein

Best Short Film: **RAPE FOR WHO I AM**, directed by Lovinsa Kavuma
Honorable Mention: **JOHN AND MICHAEL**, directed by Shira Avni
Honorable Mention: **DAVID**, directed by Roberto Fiesco

Most Innovative Short Film: **DISPOSABLE**, directed by Jo Gell, and Robyn Paterson
Honorable Mention: **guy101**, directed by Ian W. Gouldstone

Audience Awards

Favorite Narrative Feature: **A LOVE TO HIDE**, directed by Christian Faure

Favorite Documentary Feature: **BOY I AM**, directed by Sam Feder, and Julie Hollar

Favorite Local Film: **STRAIGHT INTO GAY AMERICA**, directed by Jennifer Ting

Favorite Boys' Short: **PEKING TURKEY**, directed by Michael Mew

Favorite Girls' Short: **BROOKLYN'S BRIDGE TO JORDAN**, directed by Tina Mabry



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Our Incredible Out of Town Guests!

Closing night was a veritable Who's Who! PUCCINI FOR BEGINNERS director Maria Maggenti (*The Incredibly True Adventure of Two Girls in Love*) and actor Justin Kirk (*Angels in America*, *Weeds*) were in attendance, along with a number of representatives from THE CURIOSITY OF CHANCE, including director Russell P. Marleau and actors Brett Chuckerman and Tad Hilgenbrinck. The evening's guests also included maverick film director Maurice Jamal (moderator, BLACK AND PINK) and hip-hop artist Tori Fixx (PICK UP THE MIC). And who could forget MIDNIGHT MASS: FASTER, PUSSYCAT! KILL! KILL! with star Tura Satana and hostess, Peaches Christ! Earlier in the festival we were delighted to host Jay Brannan & Peter Stickles (SHORTBUS), actor/comedian Jason Stuart and director Stewart Wade (COFFEE DATE), and director Phillip J. Bartell and actor Marco Dapper (EATING OUT 2). The Seattle Lesbian & Gay Film Festival continues to help make Seattle a destination for filmmakers and film industry representatives.

And finally, the Overwhelming Positive Feedback...

Here are just a few of the comments:

From Adam Halpern, Jewish Family Life Educator, Jewish Family Service...
"...HINEINI is continuing to have a strong impact within our community. Given the great turn-out on Monday, and the tremendous interest in the film from Beth Shalom, a Conservative synagogue in north Seattle, I think it is clear that HINEINI has truly touched our community. Thank you again for bringing such a powerful movie to Seattle."

From THE CURIOSITY OF CHANCE director, Russell P. Marleau...
"Thank you again for the wonderful time all of us associated with THE CURIOSITY OF CHANCE had at the Seattle Lesbian & Gay Film Festival...The festival was not only fun to attend, but was also exceptionally well-run. I really appreciate all the hard work that went into it and how welcomed everyone made us feel. The actual screening provided what will forever be a highlight of my life."

Visit our website for more info about year-round events
www.seattlequeerfilm.com

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