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## Fall 2001

**Sept. 21 8pm**

### Amores Perros

Mexico, 2000, Color, 153 min., Rated R for violence/gore, language and sexuality, Spanish with English subtitles.

Director: Alejandro González Iñárritu

Cast: Emilio Echevarría, Gael García Bernal, Goya Toledo

A busy street intersection in Mexico City creates the pivot place for three converging stories to collide in dramatic fashion. Octavio's story involves dog fighting; Valeria deals with her modeling career and lover; and El Chivo struggles with his vagabond ways and the family he left behind. Winner of numerous Golden Ariel awards (Mexico's most prestigious film awards).

**Sept. 28 8pm**

### Following

UK, 1998, Black & White, 70 min., Rated R for language and some violence, English.

Director: Christopher Nolan

Cast: Jeremy Theobald, Alex Haw, Lucy Russell

Bill has a strange obsession. He likes to follow strangers. His bizarre hobby turns into something more engaging when Cobb, a robber with similar voyeuristic tendencies, catches him in the act. Catch this early work from the director of Memento. "Fiendishly clever!" - Toronto Star.

**October 12 8pm**

### Repulsion

UK, 1965, Black & White, 104 min., Not rated (likely R), English.

Director: Roman Polanski

Cast: Catherine Deneuve, Ian Hendry, John Fraser

Carol Ledoux is naïve and unnerved when it comes to sexual matters. When her sister leaves for vacation, Carol is left alone and quickly spirals into a maddening world of disturbing and graphic hallucinations. This is a classic horror story of the most terrifying fear - madness. "A frightening, fiercely entertaining experience that holds up to time." - SF Chronicle.

**November 9 8pm**

### Kippur

France/Israel, 2000, Color, 124 min., Not rated (12 and older recommended), Hebrew with English subtitles.

Director: Amos Gitai

Cast: Liron Levo, Tomer Russo, Uri Ran-Klausner

In 1973 during the Yom Kippur War, Egypt and Syria launched attacks in Sinai and the Golan Heights.

Weinraub and his friend Ruso begin their day like most, with quiet in the streets. This is silence is soon broken by the violence of war and the dramatic struggles of rescue crews. "Confirms Gitai as the finest filmmaker Israel has ever produced." - The Christian Science Monitor.

## **November 30 8pm**

### **The Celebration**

#### **(Festen)**

Denmark, 1998, Color, 106 min., Rated R for strong sexual content and language, Danish with English Subtitles.

Director: Thomas Vinterberg

Cast: Ulrich Thomsen, Henning Moritzen, Thomas Bo Larsen

Every family has a secret and this dark comedy reveals the most hidden ones will surface at the most inopportune times - at Dadès 60th birthday party. Winner of the jury prize at Cannes in 1998, this film (the first in the DOGME series) proves that a great story can be told without a big budget.

## **December 14 8pm**

### **Faraway, So Close**

#### **(In weiter Ferne, so nah!)**

Germany, 1993, Color, 148 min., Rated PG-13, German, French with English Subtitles.

Director: Wim Wenders

Cast: Otto Sander, Bruno Ganz, Nastassja Kinski

Using the same vehicle as in his classic Wings of Desire, Wenders brings us the story of angels relating to humans in the now unified city of Berlin. A passionate and beautiful story of humanity told with cinematic mastery.

## **January 11 8pm**

### **Beaver Trilogy**

USA, 2001, B&W and Color, 83 min., Not rated, English.

Director: Trent Harris

Cast: Groovin' Gary, Sean Penn, Crispin Glover

Have a trap-full of fun with this film that captures Gary impersonating Olivia Newton-John and then Sean Penn and Crispin Glover impersonating Gary. Trent Harris actually started filming this in 1979 and finished it when Salt Lake City neighbor Crispin Glover agreed to perform the third act. "By far the most exciting and heart-breaking piece of cinema seen in years" - Aaron Krach for Indiewire.

## **January 25 8pm**

### **Divided We Fall**

#### **(Musíme si pomáhat)**

Czech Republic, 2000, Color, 123 min., Rated PG-13 for some violence and sexual content, Czech and German with English Subtitles.

Director: Jan Hřebejk

Cast: Bolek Polívka, Csongor Kassai, Jaroslav Dusek

Josef and Marie live ordinary lives in a small Czech town until German forces take occupation of their town in the last years of WWII. They stumble upon a former Jewish neighbor, David, and they offer him refuge in their home at great danger, and with some dark comedy, resulting. Nominated for Best Foreign Film at the 2001 Academy Awards.

All films are shown at the [Battelle Auditorium](#) at 8:00 p.m.

Tickets: \$3 for adults, \$1.50 for children (12 and under). Series Passes \$13 (\$10 for Battelle Staff Association Members).

**Free refreshments after the show!**

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