



**EVERYMAN**  
**BLACK SUNDAY**  
**FILM FESTIVAL**  
**2024**



# WE ARE BLACK SUNDAY

THE BLACK SUNDAY FILM FESTIVAL WAS STARTED IN LONDON BACK IN 2018 BY SCOTT LYUS OF CROSSROAD PICTURES, WITH A MISSION TO SPREAD HIS LOVE OF TRULY INDEPENDENT GENRE CINEMA TO THE WONDERFUL UK HORROR COMMUNITY.

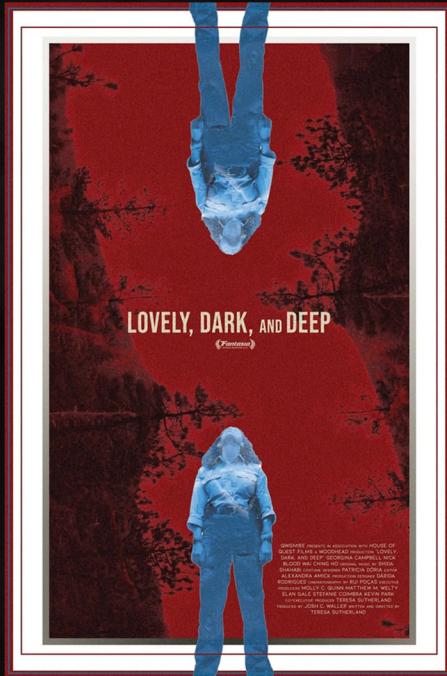
IN 2022, THE TEAM MADE THE DECISION TO UP STICKS AND MOVE BLACK SUNDAY TO ESSEX, WHERE SCOTT AND HIS CO-DIRECTOR CHRIS WERE BORN AND RAISED.

SINCE MOVING, THEY HAVE EXPANDED THE ROSTER OF BLACK SUNDAY EVENTS FROM JUST FILM SCREENINGS TO FILMMAKER NETWORKING SESSIONS TOO, TO HELP TURN ESSEX INTO THE NEXT HOTBED OF HORROR.

CULMINATING IN OUR FIRST ESSEX-BASED 3-DAY FILM FESTIVAL, TAKING PLACE AT OUR NEW HOME OF THE EVERYMAN CHELMSFORD.

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FRIDAY 26TH JANUARY - 8:00PM



ESSEX PREMIERE  
**LOVELY, DARK AND DEEP**

DIRECTOR  
TERESA SUTHERLAND

WRITER  
TERESA SUTHERLAND

CAST  
GEORGINA CAMPBELL  
NICK BLOOD  
WAI CHING HO

LENNON, A NEW BACK-COUNTRY RANGER, TRAVELS ALONE THROUGH THE DANGEROUS WILDERNESS, HOPING TO UNCOVER THE ORIGINS OF A TRAGEDY THAT HAS HAUNTED HER SINCE SHE WAS A CHILD.

SCREENING WITH SHORT FILMS:

**KNOCK KNOCK (KNOCK)**

**BLACK AS BEFORE**

**TOAST**

CHELMSFORD BREWING CO  
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ESSEX SPIRITS CO  
PRESENTS

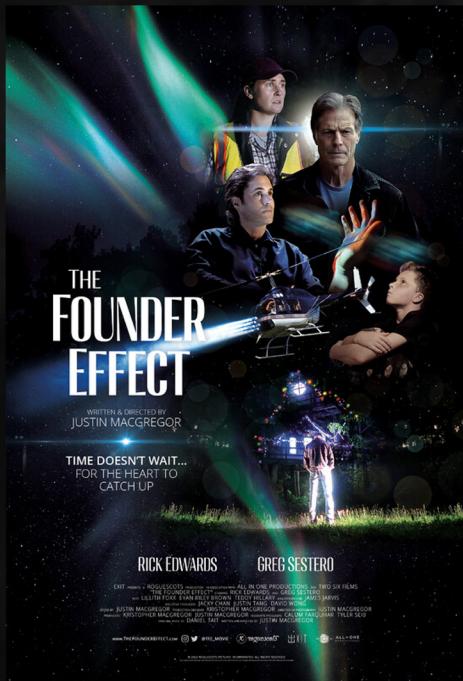
**BLACK SUNDAY  
SPICED RUM  
BLACK ALE**

**4.2%**

FESTIVAL EXCLUSIVE - VOODOO KELLER BAR  
59 NEW ST, CHELMSFORD, CM1 1NE



SATURDAY 27TH JANUARY - 10:00AM



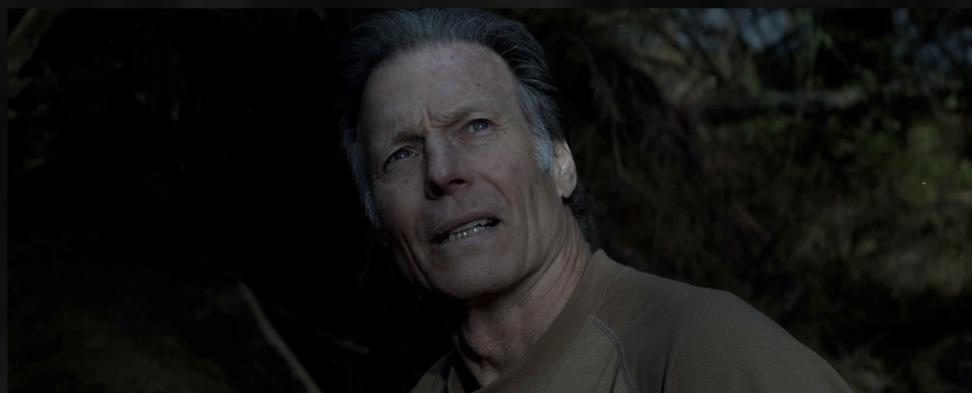
UK PREMIERE  
**THE FOUNDER EFFECT**

DIRECTOR  
JUSTIN MACGREGOR

WRITER  
JUSTIN MACGREGOR

CAST  
RICK EDWARDS  
GREG SESTERO  
LILLITH FOXX  
EVAN RILEY BROWN

WHEN A YOUNG BOY GOES MISSING IN THE TOWN OF HOPE, HIS GRANDFATHER MUST GRAPPLE WITH THEIR FAMILY HISTORY AND NAVIGATE MYSTERIOUS PHENOMENA AS HE SETS OUT ON A QUEST OF CONSCIENCE TO SAVE HIS GRANDSON FROM THE SHADOWS.



SATURDAY 27TH JANUARY - 12:30PM



UK PREMIERE  
**ABERRANCe**

DIRECTOR  
**BAATAR BATSUKH**

WRITERS  
**BAATAR BATSUKH**  
**TREVOR DOYLE**  
**BYAMBASUREN GANBAT**

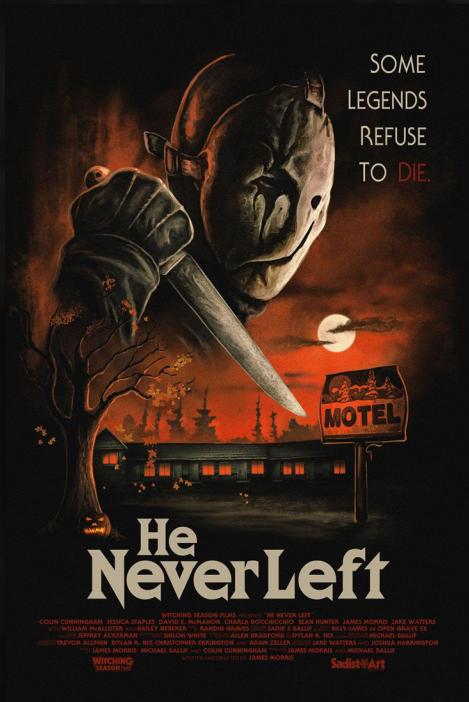
CAST  
**SUKHEE ARIUNBYAMBA**  
**BAYARSANAА PATCHULUUN**  
**BADAMTSETSEG BATMUNKH**

AN ESTRANGED COUPLE TAKES A RETREAT IN THE WOODS.  
FOREBODING NEIGHBORS, FRIVOLOUS FRIENDS, AND DARK UNSEEN  
FORCES LEAD TO A SHOCKING CONCLUSION.

SCREENING WITH SHORT FILMS:

**THE THOMPSONS**  
**DO NOT CLOSE ANYTHING**  
**DEATH DATE**

SATURDAY 27TH JANUARY - 3:00PM



ESSEX PREMIERE  
**HE NEVER LEFT**

DIRECTOR  
JAMES MORRIS

WRITERS  
JAMES MORRIS  
MICHAEL BALLIF  
COLIN CUNNINGHAM

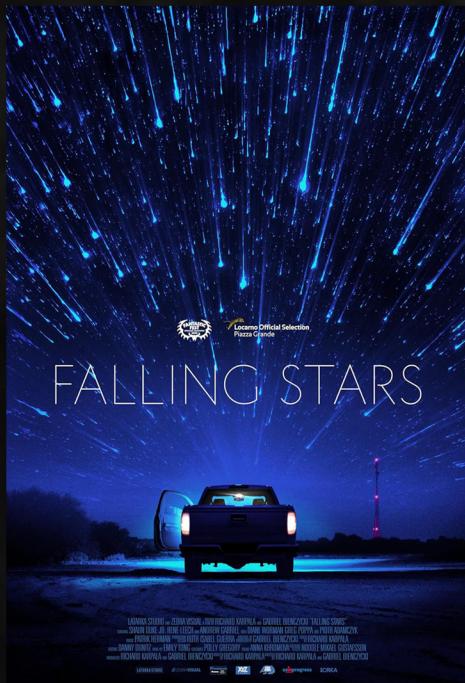
CAST  
COLIN CUNNINGHAM  
JESSICA STAPLES  
DAVID MCMAHON

AFTER HEARING STRANGE NOISES COMING FROM AN ADJOINING MOTEL ROOM, A FEDERAL FUGITIVE AND HIS GIRLFRIEND INADVERTENTLY BECOME TARGETS OF THE NOTORIOUS "PALE FACE" KILLER, WHOSE LEGEND HAS CONSUMED AND HAUNTED THE LOCAL COMMUNITY FOR DECADES.

SCREENING WITH SHORT FILMS:

SCOMPARIRE  
TRAP DOOR IN THE SUN

SATURDAY 27TH JANUARY - 6:00PM



ESSEX PREMIERE  
**FALLING STARS**

DIRECTORS

**GABRIEL BIENZYCKI**  
**RICHARD KARPALA**

WRITER

**RICHARD KARPALA**

CAST

**PIOTR ADAMCZYK**  
**ORIANNA MILNE**  
**SAMANTHA TURRET**

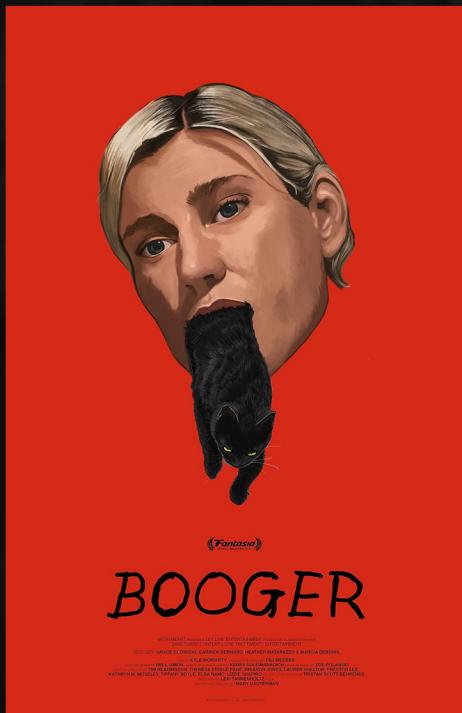
ON THE FIRST NIGHT OF HARVEST, THREE BROTHERS SET OUT FOR THE DESERT TO SEE A WITCH'S CORPSE.

SCREENING WITH SHORT FILMS:

**OLDTIMERS**

**#BOSSBABE**

SATURDAY 27TH JANUARY - 8:30PM



ESSEX PREMIERE  
**BOOGER**

DIRECTOR  
MARY DAUTERMAN

WRITER  
MARY DAUTERMAN

CAST  
GRACE GLOWICKI  
GARRICK BERNARD  
HEATHER MATARAZZO

AFTER THE DEATH OF HER BEST FRIEND IZZY, ANNA FOCUSES ALL HER ATTENTION  
ON BOOGER, THE STRAY CAT WHICH SHE AND IZZY TOOK IN.  
WHEN BOOGER BITES HER, SHE BEGINS TO UNDERGO A STRANGE TRANSFORMATION.

SCREENING WITH SHORT FILM:

**TERRA'S WALTZ**

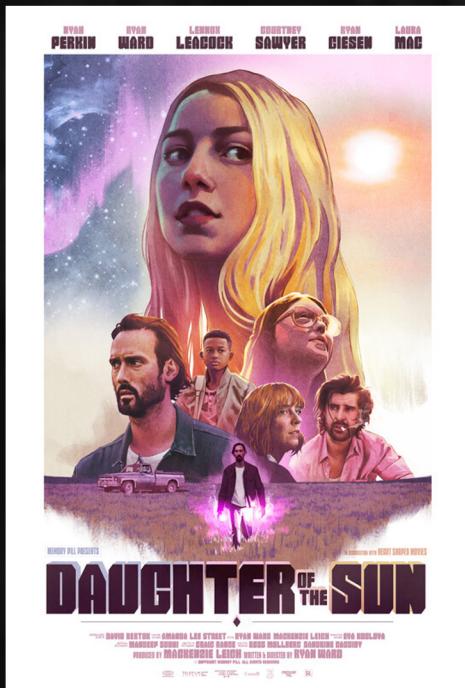
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SUNDAY 28TH JANUARY - 10:00AM



UK PREMIERE  
**DAUGHTER OF THE SUN**

DIRECTOR  
RYAN WARD

WRITER  
RYAN WARD

CAST  
NYAH PERKIN  
RYAN WARD  
LENNOX LEACOCK

A 12-YEAR-OLD GIRL LIVES LIFE ON THE RUN ALONGSIDE HER FATHER WHO HAS TOURETTE SYNDROME. DESPERATELY SEEKING A NORMAL FAMILY LIFE, SHE BEFRIENDS A GROUP OF OUTCASTS WHO WANT TO HARNESS A VOLATILE SUPERNATURAL POWER HER FATHER IS HIDING.



SUNDAY 28TH JANUARY - 12:30PM



UK PREMIERE

## MURDER BALLADS HOW TO MAKE IT IN ROCK N ROLL

DIRECTOR  
MITCHELL TOLLIDAY

WRITERS  
NEIL RICKATSON  
MITCHELL TOLLIDAY

CAST  
SIMON CALLOW  
IMOGEN WILDE  
FRAN MCATEER  
LUKE DE BELDER

SIX INTERCONNECTED STORIES TELL THE RAPID RISE AND VIOLENT FALL OF  
ROCK BAND 'STACK OF CORPSES'

SCREENING WITH SHORT FILMS:

TRIANGLE  
NZU

SUNDAY 28TH JANUARY - 3:00PM



ESSEX PREMIERE  
**FACELESS AFTER DARK**

DIRECTOR  
RAYMOND WOOD

WRITERS  
TODD JACOBS  
JENNA KANELL

CAST  
JENNA KANELL  
DANNY KANG  
DANIELLE LYN

FOLLOWING HER BREAKOUT SUCCESS IN A KILLER CLOWN HORROR FLICK, BOWIE FINDS HERSELF HELD HOSTAGE BY AN UNHINGED FAN DETERMINED TO RECREATE THE FILM'S FATAL PLOT.

SCREENING WITH SHORT FILMS:

**AMY & I**  
**THE MIDNIGHT SLEEPOVER CLUB**

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ESSEX PREMIERE

# HOW TO KILL MONSTERS

DIRECTOR  
STEWART SPARKE

WRITERS  
PAUL BUTLER  
STEWART SPARKE

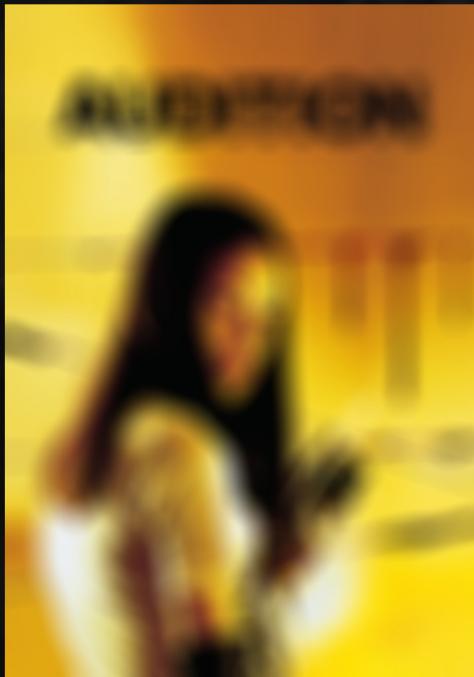
CAST  
LYNDSEY CRAIN  
ARRON DENNIS  
FENFEN HUANG

THE SOLE SURVIVOR OF A BLOOD-DRENCHED MASSACRE MUST TEAM UP WITH A RAG-TAG BUNCH OF ROOKIE COPS AND LAWBREAKERS TO DEFEND A POLICE STATION FROM AN INVASION OF MONSTERS FROM ANOTHER DIMENSION.

SCREENING WITH SHORT FILMS:

THE GIRL WITH THE HAUNTED VAGINA  
ARGH!  
THE LURE

SUNDAY 28TH JANUARY - 8:30PM



## ARROW VIDEO CULT FILM SECRET SCREENING

### DIRECTOR

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### WRITERS

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### CAST

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THE FESTIVAL COMES TO A CLOSE, AS IS NOW TRADITION, WITH THE ARROW VIDEO CULT FILM SECRET SCREENING.

WITH THIS YEAR'S CULT CLASSIC BEING ONE OF FESTIVAL DIRECTOR SCOTT LYUS FAVOURITE ASIAN HORROR FILMS OF ALL TIME.

A PERPLEXING AND ENTHRALLING MACABRE MASTERPIECE FROM 1999.

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THE INDEPENDENT  
**HORROR** SOCIETY

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Click the map to open an interactive Google map of some of our favourite spots for food and drink in the area.

<b>1</b>	Everyman Cinema	<b>7</b>	Jet Sushi
<b>2</b>	Voodoo Keller Bar	<b>8</b>	Zombreo
<b>3</b>	Tesco	<b>9</b>	Brick Lane Bagels
<b>4</b>	Fête	<b>10</b>	Black Sheep Coffee
<b>5</b>	Mowgli	<b>11</b>	Toast
<b>6</b>	Leon	On Friday and Saturday there is an outdoor market along the High Street with food trucks.	



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