



SHREWSBURY FILM SOCIETY

All films start 8pm

Bar open 7.30pm

We screen our films at



Fri 20 Sep 2024

Fallen Leaves

Finland, 2023, subtitles, 78 mins, cert 12



A gentle, hopeful and ultimately uplifting love story from Aki Kaurismäki, the Finnish master of deadpan comedy. Winner of the Jury Prize at the Cannes Film Festival

Fri 15 Nov 2024

Totem

Mexico, 2023, subtitles, 95 mins, cert 12



Lila Avilés, director of "The Chambermaid", creates a richly textured, deeply compassionate portrait of Mexican family life centred on a birthday party that is also a farewell ceremony

Fri 17 Jan 2025

Godland

Iceland, 2022, subtitles, 143 mins, cert 12



In the middle of the 19th century, a young Danish priest is sent to a remote Icelandic outpost to establish a church. He faces physical, spiritual and social challenges in carrying out his mission.

Fri 14 Mar 2025

Still Walking

Japan, 2008, subtitles, 114 mins, cert U



A moving portrait of the day in the life of a Japanese family, focusing on tensions between its members and the changing values of the different generations as they confront the past.

Fri 4 Oct 2024

Cairo Conspiracy

Egypt, 2022, subtitles, 120 mins, cert 12



When the Grand Imam at Egypt's most prestigious university suddenly dies, a ruthless power struggle develops and new student Tarik becomes a pawn in the power-play

Fri 29 Nov 2024

Uzak

Turkey, 2002, subtitles, 110 mins, cert 15

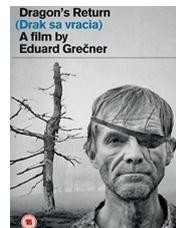


A fashionable photographer in Istanbul has his life upended by the arrival of his doozy country nephew. Director Nuri Bilge Ceylan develops a beautiful, gentle drama about human dreams and longings.

Fri 31 Jan 2025

Dragon's Return

Slovakia, 1967, subtitles, 81 mins, cert 12



A reclusive potter returns to his mountain village after years of exile and encounters a wide range of reactions in this beautifully poetic reflection on the essentials of life in a world governed by superstition.

Fri 28 Mar 2025

The Seventh Seal

Sweden, 1957, subtitles, 92 mins, cert PG



This is the definitive "art house cinema" film - endlessly discussed, widely cited, but rarely shown on the big screen. Don't miss this chance to see Ingmar Bergman's masterpiece.

Fri 18 Oct 2024

The Eight Mountains

Italy, 2022, subtitles, 147 mins, cert 12



In the remote Italian Alps, a childhood friendship between two boys blossoms into a life-long brotherhood, and is tested as the men take different paths, then finally reunite.

Fri 13 Dec 2024

The Holdovers

USA, 2023, 127 mins, cert 15



Our Christmas film is this hugely entertaining and enjoyable comedy drama, set in a New England boarding school in 1971 over the holiday break when all but a handful of staff and pupils have departed.

Fri 14 Feb 2025

Past Lives

Korea/USA, 2023, subtitles, 101 mins, cert 12

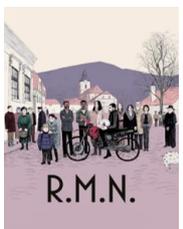


Two Korean childhood friends reunite in New York as adults for just one fateful week. Their reflections on love, destiny, and life-choices make for a compelling drama.

Fri 11 Apr 2025

R.M.N.

Romania, 2022, subtitles, 125 mins, cert 15



The local baker in a Transylvanian village close to the Romania-Hungary border hires migrants to supplement her local workforce, setting off a troubling set of consequences that soon absorb all the locals, sometimes in unexpected ways.

Fri 1 Nov 2024

Mr Klein

France, 1976, subtitles, 119 mins, cert 12

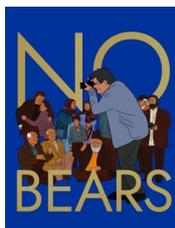


Joseph Losey's gripping political thriller, set in Paris in 1942, stars Alain Delon in one of his best roles as an art dealer whose opportunistic business unravels when a doppelgänger appears.

Fri 3 Jan 2025

No Bears

Iran, 2022, subtitles, 106 mins, cert 12



An Iranian director tries to make a film about his own country by directing a cast and crew just over the border in Turkey by remote control. Suspicions and traditions provide quite a challenge.

Fri 28 Feb 2025

1976

Chile, 2022, subtitles, 95 mins, cert 15



Three years after General Pinochet's coup, his opponents are being hunted down. When one is given refuge by a stranger, both of their lives develop along unforeseen paths.

Fri 25 Apr 2025

Rye Lane

UK, 2023, 82 mins, cert 15



A romantic comedy set in South East London, this is the story of two strangers, a chance encounter, and an entertaining series of adventures. An uplifting end to our season!

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