



# HOMER THEATRE'S 15<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL DOCUMENTARY FILM FESTIVAL

SEPT 20 – 27, 2018

**Thurs Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>**  
**Gala: \$20 / \$15 Discount**  
**(Seniors, Children, Military)**  
*\*Gala FREE with a festival pass purchase! Details at bottom*

## GALA

### OPENING NIGHT

- 6:15pm BBQ Dinner
- Welcome to the festival
- Preview of Festival films
- Feature Presentation of **WON'T YOU BE MY NEIGHBOR?**

**Docfest Passes on Sale Sept 10<sup>th</sup>!**

### WON'T YOU BE MY NEIGHBOR?

"Love is the root of everything: all learning, all parenting, all relationships. Love or the lack of it." These are the wise and seemingly prescient words of Fred Rogers, the originator/host of public television's, Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood. Speaking to children as equals on any topic in an open and unruffled manner, he taught tolerance above all else. He was one of a kind, a man whose teachings are even more relevant today.

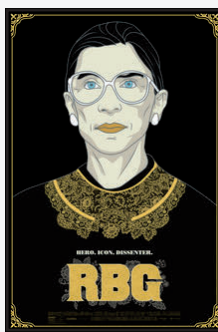


Rated PG13  
 Run Time: 1 hr, 34 min

**WINNER: BEST DOC, SEATTLE INT'L FILM FESTIVAL**  
**WINNER: PEOPLES CHOICE AWARD, BOULDER INT'L FILM FESTIVAL**

### RBG

At the age of 84, U.S. Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg has developed a breathtaking legal legacy while becoming an unexpected pop culture icon, the notorious RBG. But without a definitive Ginsburg biography, the unique personal journey of this diminutive, quiet warrior's rise to the nation's highest court has been largely unknown, even to some of her biggest fans - until now. RBG is a revelatory documentary exploring Ginsburg's exceptional life, career, and impact on our lives.

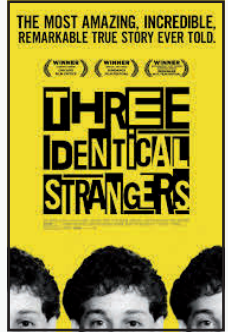


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**WINNER: BEST DOCUMENTARY, SARASOTA FILM FESTIVAL 2018 & WISCONSIN FILM FESTIVAL 2018**  
**NOMINEE: AUDIENCE AWARD, EDINBURGH INT'L FILM FESTIVAL 2018**

### THREE IDENTICAL STRANGERS

Bobby, David, and Eddy—triplets who find each other by chance in their late teens—generated heartwarming headlines in the 1980s. Their three identical smiles, moptop heads, and wide shoulders charmed the public almost as much as the circumstances of their reunification. But we soon learn an almost unbelievable story that goes much further than their exultant initial encounter.

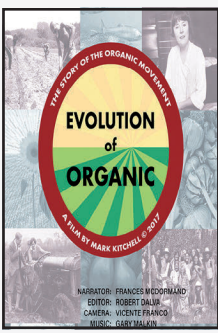


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**WINNER: AUDIENCE AWARD, BERKSHIRE INT'L FILM FESTIVAL & CHICAGO CRITICS FILM FESTIVAL 2018**  
**WINNER: SPECIAL JURY PRIZE, SUNDANCE FILM FESTIVAL 2018**

### EVOLUTION OF ORGANIC

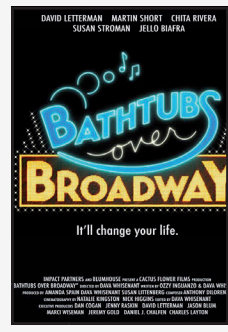
If you are a gardener, or know a gardener, or have ever been to a Farmer's market, you must see this uplifting movie. Directed by Oscar nominee Mark Kitchell and narrated by actress Frances McDormand, it traces organic farming from its counter-culture hippy roots in the 1960s to the farm-to-table of today. It tells the story of its unexpected growth and some of the missteps along the way.



Rated NR  
 Run Time: 1 hr, 17 min

### BATHTUBS OVER BROADWAY

This charming and fun musical documentary follows late night comedy writer Steve Young on his quest to find the hidden and hilarious world of Industrial Musicals. While tracking down the singers, dancers, lyricists and composers, Steve forms wonderful friendships and discovers that this musical genre, starring tractors and bathtubs was bigger than Broadway.



Rated NR  
 Run Time: 1 hr, 23 min

**"A WORLD WE NEVER KNEW EXISTED. THIS FILM HAS AN ELEMENT EVERY GREAT FILM, DOC, AND STORY NEEDS...HEART." TRIBECA FILM FESTIVAL 2018 JURY**  
**"ENDEARING. A CHRONICLE OF A SUBGENRE OF MUSICAL THEATER WHEN COMPANY LOYALTY WAS, WELL, FUN." NY TIMES**

### DARK MONEY

Dark Money, a political thriller, examines the greatest present threat to American democracy: the influence of huge amounts of untraceable money on our elections and elected officials. The film takes viewers to Montana—a frontline in the fight to preserve fair elections nationwide—to follow an intrepid local journalist working to expose the real-life impacts of the US Supreme Court's Citizens United decision. Dark Money uncovers the shocking and vital truth of how American elections are bought and sold.



Rated NR  
 Run Time: 1 hr, 39 min

**WINNER: BEST DOCUMENTARY, OMAHA FILM FESTIVAL 2018**  
**NOMINEE: GRAND JURY PRIZE, SUNDANCE FILM FESTIVAL 2018**

### THE KING

A road trip ostensibly tracing the rise and fall of Elvis Presley, The King outlines the deep fallacies in the story America tells about its greatness. Driving around the country in the singer's 1963 Rolls-Royce accompanied by an articulate array of celebrities, musicians, and political pundits, Eugene Jarecki's captivating documentary searches for a truer tale, one that might still allow for an American Dream.



Rated R  
 Run Time: 1 hr, 47 min

**NOMINEE: MUSIC MOVIES COMPETITION, CLEVELAND INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL, 2018**  
**NOMINEE: GOLDEN EYE, CANNES FILM FESTIVAL, 2017**

### ON HER SHOULDERS

The plight of the Yazidi community, who face mass extermination at the hands of ISIL extremists, is told elegantly through delicately lit interviews and the selfless lobbying of 23-year old reluctant activist, Nadia Murad. Although the toll of retelling her own harrowing story is clearly evident in her face, Murad refuses to rest lest the atrocities continue to go unnoticed by those who may be able to help.



Rated NR  
 Run Time: 1 hr, 34 min

**WINNER: DIRECTING AWARD, SUNDANCE FILM FESTIVAL 2018**  
**NOMINEE: GRAND JURY PRIZE, DALLAS INT'L FILM FESTIVAL 2018**  
**NOMINEE: AUDIENCE AWARD, HOT DOCS CANADIAN INT'L FILM FESTIVAL 2018**

### THE PICK OF THE LITTER

In Pick of the Litter, we follow five dogs from the moment they are born through the intense two-year program that will prepare them to become working guide dogs and unite with their partners. The stakes are high, and not every dog will make the cut, but those who graduate will all go on to provide life-changing services for those in need.



Rated NR  
 Run Time: 1 hr, 24 min

**WINNER: AUDIENCE AWARD, GASPARILLA & NEWPORT & OMAHA FILM FESTIVALS 2018**  
**WINNER: BEST DOCUMENTARY, SEATTLE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL 2018**

### ADMISSION

**Gala Only \$20/\$15**

With or Without Dinner

**Prime Time Movie:**

\$9 General

\$7 Discount

(military/senior 60+ /children <14)

**Matinée \$7**

(2 pm & 4 pm shows)

No HT Passes or Punchcards  
 No Bargain Monday

	FRIDAY 9/21	SATURDAY 9/22	SUNDAY 9/23	MONDAY 9/24	TUESDAY 9/25	WEDNESDAY 9/26	WEDNESDAY 9/27
2 PM	On Her Shoulders	3 Identical Strangers	Pick of the Litter	Evolution of Organic	Dark Money	Won't You Be My Neighbor?	RBG
4 PM	3 Identical Strangers	Evolution of Organic	RBG	The King	Pick of the Litter	On Her Shoulders	Bathtubs Over Broadway
6 PM	Pick of the Litter	Bathtubs Over Broadway	Won't You Be My Neighbor?	3 Identical Strangers	RBG	Evolution of Organic	Won't You Be My Neighbor?
8 PM	RBG	The King	Dark Money	Bathtubs Over Broadway	On Her Shoulders	Dark Money	The King

**FESTIVAL PASSES BEST DEAL! (all 9 movies and Gala) \$65 General \$55 Discount**

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