

BRANDESTON FILM CLUB 2017

| DATE | TITLE | SYNOPSIS |
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| February 10 th | Bridget Jones's Baby | <p>Bridget's focus on single life and her career is interrupted when she finds herself pregnant, but with one hitch ... she can only be fifty percent sure of the identity of her baby's father.</p> <p>Director: Sharon Maguire Writers: Helen Fielding (screenplay), Dan Mazer (screenplay) Stars: Renée Zellweger, Gemma Jones, Jim Broadbent</p> |
| March 10 th | Sully | <p>The story of Chesley Sullenberger, an American pilot who became a hero after landing his damaged plane on the Hudson River in order to save the flight's passengers and crew.</p> <p>Director: Clint Eastwood Writers: Todd Komarnicki (screenplay), Chesley Sullenberger (book) (as Chesley 'Sully' Sullenberger) Stars: Tom Hanks, Aaron Eckhart, Laura Linney</p> |
| April 14 th | A United Kingdom | <p>Prince Seretse Khama of Botswana causes an international stir when he marries a white woman from London in the late 1940s.</p> <p>Director: Amma Asante Writer: Guy Hibbert (screenplay) Stars: David Oyelowo, Rosamund Pike, Jack Davenport</p> |
| May 12 th | The Eagle Huntress | <p>The Eagle Huntress follows Aisholpan, a 13-year-old girl, as she trains to become the first female in twelve generations of her Kazakh family to become an eagle hunter.</p> <p>Director: Otto Bell Stars: Aisholpan Nurgaiv, Daisy Ridley, Rys Nurgaiv</p> |
| June 9 th | Girl on a Train | <p>A divorcee becomes entangled in a missing person's investigation that promises to send shockwaves throughout her life.</p> <p>Director: Tate Taylor Writers: Erin Cressida Wilson (screenplay), Paula Hawkins (novel) Stars: Emily Blunt, Haley Bennett, Rebecca Ferguson</p> |
| July 14 th | The Theory of Everything | <p>A look at the relationship between the famous physicist Stephen Hawking and his wife.</p> <p>Director: James Marsh Writers: Anthony McCarten (screenplay), Jane Hawking (book) Stars: Eddie Redmayne, Felicity Jones, Tom Prior</p> |
| August 11 th | Love and Friendship | <p>Lady Susan Vernon takes up temporary residence at her in-laws' estate and, while there, is determined to be a matchmaker for her daughter Frederica -- and herself too, naturally.</p> <p>Director: Whit Stillman Writers: Jane Austen (based on her novella "Lady Susan"), Whit Stillman Stars: Kate Beckinsale, Chloë Sevigny, Xavier Samuel</p> |

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| September 8 th | A Bigger Splash | <p>The vacation of a famous rock star and a filmmaker in Italy is disrupted by the unexpected visit of an old friend and his daughter.</p> <p>Director: Luca Guadagnino</p> <p>Writers: David Kajganich (screenplay), Alain Page (story)</p> <p>Stars: Tilda Swinton, Matthias Schoenaerts, Ralph Fiennes</p> |
| October 13 th | The Dressmaker | <p>A glamorous woman returns to her small town in rural Australia. With her sewing machine and haute couture style, she transforms the women and exacts sweet revenge on those who did her wrong.</p> <p>Director: Jocelyn Moorhouse</p> <p>Writers: Rosalie Ham (novel), P.J. Hogan</p> <p>Stars: Kate Winslet, Judy Davis, Liam Hemsworth</p> |
| November 10 th | Far From The Madding Crowd 1967 | <p>Bathsheba Everdene, a willful, flirtatious, young woman, unexpectedly inherits a large farm and is romantically pursued by three very different men.</p> <p>Director: John Schlesinger</p> <p>Writers: Thomas Hardy (from the novel by), Frederic Raphael (screenplay)</p> <p>Stars: Julie Christie, Peter Finch, Alan Bates</p> |
| December 8 th | La La Land | <p>A jazz pianist falls for an aspiring actress in Los Angeles.</p> <p>Director: Damien Chazelle</p> <p>Writer: Damien Chazelle</p> <p>Stars: Ryan Gosling, Emma Stone, Rosemarie DeWitt </p> |
| January 12 th | Before I go to Sleep | <p>A woman wakes up every day, remembering nothing as a result of a traumatic accident in her past. One day, new terrifying truths emerge that force her to question everyone around her.</p> <p>Director: Rowan Joffe</p> <p>Writers: Rowan Joffe, S.J. Watson (based on the novel by)</p> <p>Stars: Nicole Kidman, Colin Firth, Mark Strong</p> |