



Townsville Cinema Group 2010

One of Australia's oldest film societies Established in 1962
Screening at WARRINA CINEPLEX at 7.15 p.m. every second Thursday
Sixteen double-feature programmes (plus three bonus screenings)
Annual subscription: \$70.00 per new member Non-members: \$12.00 per screening

11 Mar



The Baader Meinhof Complex

Germany 2009 MA15+ - 150 min
A vivid history lesson depicting Germany's terrorist group, The Red Army Faction, which organized bombings, robberies, kidnappings and assassinations, in the late 1960s and '70s.

Film occupies the entire programme for the evening.
Wine & nibbles after this season opener!



25 Mar

Roman de Gare

France 2008 M - 110 min
A writer seeks unexpected characters for her next best-seller. Luckily, a serial killer just escaped from a high-security prison.



After the Wedding

(*Efter Brylluppet*)
Denmark 2007 M - 120 min
To receive a huge donation, Jacob must return to Denmark and attend the wedding of the billionaire's daughter.

8 Apr



Moon

USA 2009 PG - 123 min
Counting down the days, Sam is anxious to return to Earth. He is the only occupant of a Moon-based facility along with his computer and assistant GERTY.

Rachel Getting Married

USA 2009 M - 113 min
A woman, who has been in and out of rehab for 10 years, returns home for the weekend of her sister's wedding.



22 Apr



Séraphine

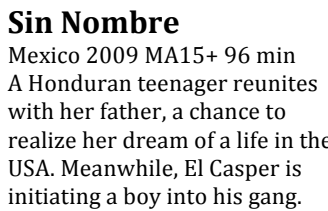
France/Belgium 2009 PG - 125 min
The tragic story of French naïve painter Séraphine de Senlis (1864-1942), a humble cleaning lady who becomes a gifted self-taught painter.



Heartbreak Hotel

Sweden 2008 M - 98 min
Elisabeth and Gudrun are two Swedish divorcées, both over 40, who meet when Elisabeth parks her car on a loading zone and is ticketed by Gudrun.

6 May



Sin Nombre

Mexico 2009 MA15+ 96 min
A Honduran teenager reunites with her father, a chance to realize her dream of a life in the USA. Meanwhile, El Casper is initiating a boy into his gang.



Still Walking

(*Aruitemo aruitemo*) Japan 2009 G 114 min
Grown children visit their elderly parents. They gather to commemorate the death of the eldest son, who drowned in an accident 15 years ago.



20 May

Amreeka

USA/Canada 2009 M - 96 min
Muna and 16-yr old son Fadi flee the hardship in Ramallah for the dream of a new life in the USA, only to encounter even more challenging obstacles.



Quiet Chaos

(*Caos calmo*) Italy 2009 MA15+ 107 min
A man saves two women from drowning. When he returns home he finds that his wife has died. Now Pietro has to take care of his daughter Claudia.

3 Jun



Tulpan

Kazakhstan/Poland/Switzerland 2009 M - 99 min
Big ears can be a real problem. On the steppes in Kazakhstan, Asa never thought about it until he considered marriage.

Her Whole Life Ahead

(*Tutta la vita davanti*) Italy 2009 M - 116 min
In an international call centre employees spend their days on the phone trying to sell a miraculous kitchen robot.



17 Jun

Cold Souls

USA 2009 M - 101 min
Paul is paralysed by anxiety over his interpretation of Uncle Vanya. Then he stumbles upon a company promising to alleviate suffering by extracting souls.



Departures

(*Okuribito*) Japan 2009 M - 130 min
Suddenly left jobless, a cellist decides to go back to his hometown to start over. He answers an ad to discover that the job is actually for an "encoffineer".



1 Jul
15 Jul
29 Jul
12 Aug
26 Aug
9 Sep
23 Sep
7 Oct



\$9.99
Australia 2009 M - 74 min
A stop motion animation film based on the short stories of Etgar Keret: A booklet alters the life of an unemployed, 28 year old who still lives at home.



Blessed
Australia 2009 MA15+ 113 min
In Melbourne we follow the misadventures of six children. When dawn breaks, we share the same 24 hours with the children's mothers.



The French Kissers
(*Les beaux gosses*)
France 2009 MA15+ 90 min
Hervé & Camel are obsessed with girls, but they really have no idea how to handle them. Aurore has eyes for Hervé.

Genova
UK 2009 M - 112 min
After a man's wife suddenly dies, he moves with his two daughters to Italy to start a new life and teach English. Genova will change all three of them.



Disgrace
Australia 2009 M - 119 min
A professor in post-apartheid South Africa seduces one of his students, and is dismissed. He takes refuge on his daughter's farm in the Eastern Cape.



The Girlfriend Experience
USA 2009 M - 78 min
Five days in the life of Chelsea, an ultra high-end Manhattan call girl who offers more than just sex to her clients.



The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo
(*Män som hatar kvinnor*)
Sweden/Denmark/Germany 2009 MA15+ 152 min
Thriller based on Stieg Larsson's first Millennium novel about a journalist and a troubled but resourceful computer hacker unravelling a dark and appalling family history.
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Prime Mover
Australia 2010 M - 99 min
A long haul truckie finds that the reality of his existence is far removed from his youthful dreams of owning and driving his own prime mover.



Wake in Fright
Australia 1971 M - 104 min
A teacher arrives in a rough outback town planning an overnight stay, but one night stretches to five as he plunges towards his own destruction.

The September Issue
USA 2009 M - 91 min
A doco chronicling Vogue editor-in-chief Anna Wintour's preparations for the 2007 fall-fashion issue. "If fashion is a religion, this is the bible."



Mother (*Madeo*)
Korea 2009 MA 129 min
In a small town, a 27-yr man still lives with his protective mother. Nothing prepares her for his arrest, charged with the brutal murder of a schoolgirl.



Suddenly (*Underbara älskade*) Sweden 2008 M - 96 min
A father and son survive a car accident that claims the life of the mother and youngest son; Lasse struggles with depression and son Jonas isolates himself.



A Town called Panic
(*Panique au village*)
France 2009 PG - 75 min
Toys Cowboy, Indian and Horse travel to the centre of the earth, trek across tundra and discover an underwater universe.



Mademoiselle Chambon
France 2009 M - 101 min
While picking up his son from school one day, Jean meets his son's teacher; his organized life is stirred by her attractiveness.

Soul Kitchen
Germany 2010 MA15+ 96 min
In Hamburg, German-Greek chef Zinos disturbs the peace in his locals-only restaurant by hiring a more talented chef. Special Jury Prize at the 2009 Venice Film Festival.



21 Oct, 4 Nov & 18 Nov Bonus screenings (TBA)

All film bookings are confirmed by the distributors, but are subject to change.
The Townsville Cinema Group reserves the right to alter its programmes and bonus screening dates, if necessary.

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