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Monday 2 September

Ezra

Stand-up comic Max Bernal and his 11 year-old autistic son, Ezra, set off on a road trip in this vivid portrait of a family figuring out how to understand one another. Having recently blown up his career and his marriage, Max is living with his father Stan (Robert De Niro) and is profoundly at odds with his soon to be ex-wife Jenna (Rose Byrne) about how to address their son's special needs. When Ezra is expelled from yet another school, Max makes the controversial decision to take Ezra in the middle of the night, embarking on a cross-country odyssey.

"Showing a healthy disregard for mawkish clichés, Ezra unspools as an energetically paced, emotionally honest dramedy" – Jim Schembri, Jimschembri.com

US Drama 101 minutes
Director Tony Goldwyn

DINE AT TRATTORIA BENATI and ZIBROS

Trattoria Benati and Zibros are offering NFS members a 10% discount off the total amount of your bill on NFS screening days. Trattoria Benati is open for lunch and dinner on Wednesdays and for dinner on Mondays. Zibros is open for lunch and dinner on Wednesdays.

To get the discount, you must be a NFS member and show your membership card. Please note this offer is only valid on film screening days.

It is a condition of membership that members show both their cinema ticket and membership card at entry to every NFS screening.

Wednesday 11 September

How to Make Millions Before Grandma Dies

The movie centres around M a struggling game streamer and college dropout from a Thai family. M's life lies stagnant, until his grandma gets diagnosed with cancer. Inspired by how a cousin of his inherited her grandfather's house after caring for him throughout a long illness, M decides to cosy up to Amah (played by the wonderful Usha Seamkhum) in an attempt to inherit her assets after she dies.

With a strong set of characters, *How to Make Millions'* proceeds to craft numerous tear-jerking moments whose emotional punch comes from their degree of cultural relevance; many of the movie's audiences in Southeast Asia could probably see such incidents playing out in their own families.

"The well-crafted dynamics between *How to Make Millions'* characters gives the movie a strong foundation. Each family member plays a distinct yet complementary role that highlights the range of personalities that Asian families often embody" – Cinema Escapist

Thailand Drama 12 minutes
Director Pat Boonitipat

WEDNESDAY SCREENINGS: 10.00AM 2.30PM 5.00PM 7.30PM MONDAY SCREENINGS: 10:00AM & 6.30PM

SCREENING DATES FOR 2024:

September 2, 11; October 9, 14, 23; November 13, 18, 27; December 2, 11