

## March 9-17 Festival Tickets Are On Sale Now!

It's almost here! We couldn't be more excited about our 22nd season presenting films from around the world, along with special guests and events all week from Saturday March 9 through Sunday March 17.

In our current climate of division, MJFF's vision that great films unite us, in achieving greater understanding and respect for each other, has never been more relevant or more necessary. This year's extensive film list comprises an engaging collection of dramas, comedies and documentaries that speak to many important current topics.

Many of you have asked when you will be able to see the schedule and purchase tickets. I'm pleased to say that you'll now find everything you need to know about the 2019 Festival on our website. See below for tips on how to navigate the website so you can find the information you need to choose films and events and to buy your tickets. We've also included a preview of our opening night event.

Thank you to our sponsors, donors, foundations, board of directors and audience members for helping to make it all possible.



We look forward to seeing you at the movies in March!

Barlone Merson

P.S. I hope you can join me **this Sunday, Feb 10 at 2:00 PM** for a special free screening of <u>Olympic Pride American Prejudice</u> at the JCA in honor of Black History Month.

#### **HOW TO NAVIGATE MJFF.ORG**

To find events: when, where and what-you'll need the Festival Calendar.

Click on Festival and in the drop down, choose Festival Calendar. Or, on the home page scroll down and click on **View Schedule.** 

\*You can sort by list

Or sort by grid



\*\*You can also **sort by location or genre** and search by film title.

Each film showing has a separate event page containing all of the information pertaining to that film. If we are showing a film in more than one location, there will be separate pages for each location.

Therefore, if you only want to know about films in one city, we suggest that you start by sorting by location.

\*Click on the event title (the film name) to read more. You can then double check the location, date and time and click on *purchase tickets, which will take you directly to the ticketing site.* Tickets for events in Portland, Lewiston and Rockland are sold through Brown Paper Tickets - the purchase tickets link will take you directly there.

\*\*For events at venues in Brunswick, Waterville and Bangor, the purchase tickets link will take you to those venues. Please note that those tickets may go on sale later than Feb. 9.

If you would like to start by reading descriptions of the films, go to Festival on the top bar and in the drop down choose **Film Descriptions.** This will give you a short description, access to a trailer and reviews. Film descriptions include a link to get back to the Event Calendar.

If you have general questions, <u>Festival Policies</u> has more detailed information on ticketing AND you can download a copy of the complete 2019 schedule.

Please note that in order to purchase tickets, you must go through the Festival Calendar.

If you have questions, you can contact us by <u>email</u> or phone, 207-523-3422. Please note we are not able to process mail or phone order tickets.

# THE LAST SUIT - Trailer with English subtitles from Latido Films on Vimeo. " track="on" >



click on picture to see trailer for The Last Suit.

#### **OPENING NIGHT MARCH 9**

Festivities begin at 5:00 PM at the Portland House of Music and Events where catering will be by Bread and Butter Catering.

Mingle with other festival goers and enjoy food and drink before the opening night film: The Last Suit, a poignant dramedy from Argentina:

Abraham survived the Holocaust and has made a successful life for himself in Buenos Aires. Against the wishes

of his family, he feels compelled to travel to his former home in Poland to fulfill a promise he made nearly 70 years earlier. This is a road trip story with plenty of scenery (Madrid and Paris) and engaging, quirky characters along the way. Find out why this film has won over 10 Audience Awards (and counting) on the Festival circuit.

**Buy Opening Night Tickets** 







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