

# Friends Friday Films

WINTER 2026



The Friends of  
Greenwich Library



7pm

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### **The Naked Gun (2025)**

Liam Neeson and Pamela Anderson star in this ridiculously funny send-up of police procedural mysteries, wherein a straight-faced cop (Neeson) must fight to solve one major case to keep his department from getting shuttered. Come start off the new year with some big, broad laughs as the zany gags fly hard and fast. Rated PG-13. 1h25m.

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### **The Life of Chuck (2025)**

Tom Hiddleston, Mark Hamill and Chiwetel Ejiofor star in the story of a young man experiencing the wonder of love, the heartbreak of loss, and the multitudes contained within us all. Based on a poignant novella by Stephen King, the life-affirming film spins a unique tale that encourages us to reflect on how each life contains a universe all its own. Rated PG-13. 1h50m.

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### **Eleanor the Great (2025)**

June Squibb stars as witty and resilient 94-year-old Eleanor in this heartfelt directorial debut from Scarlett Johansson which seeks to bring generations together in kinship. Searching for community after the loss of her best friend, Eleanor finds herself in a support group for Holocaust survivors, where she tells a tale that begins to take on a life of its own. Rated PG-13. 1h38m.

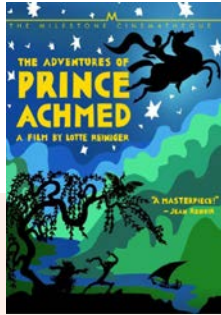
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### **Folktales (2025)**

This Sundance Film Festival favorite is a heartwarming documentary that follows the experiences of teenagers at a traditional folk school in arctic Norway. Leaving all the comforts of home and modern living, the students spend a year in the wilderness where they must get by through relying on each other and a pack of loyal sled dogs as they work to make the journey from childhood to adulthood. Unrated (family friendly). 1h45m.

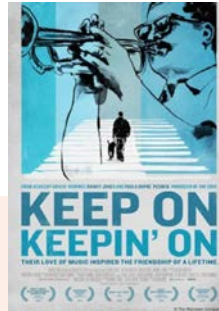
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### **The Adventures of Prince Achmed (1926)**

In conjunction with the Flinn Gallery's show "Performative Stories," we are thrilled to present this dazzling animated odyssey inspired by Arabic folklore. Told with a distinct artistic style, the silent film is packed with visual splendor in relaying Prince Achmed's epic adventures with Aladdin and other mythic characters. Don't miss the chance to see the world's oldest surviving animated feature film! Unrated (family friendly). 1h5m.

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### **Keep On Keepin' On (2014)**

After enjoying Jazzmeia Horn's performance at the Peterson Music Concert on February 2, keep your love of jazz going with this sweet documentary film about legendary trumpeter Clark Terry who played with the likes of Count Basie and Duke Ellington. Many of the famous musicians taught by Terry such as Quincy Jones appear in the film – an ode to his career, which also depicts his bond with a blind pianist prodigy he is mentoring. Come celebrate Black History Month with this cinematic love letter to passing on a passion from generation to generation. Rated R for some language. 1h24m.

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### **The Wedding Banquet (2006)**

Just in time for Valentine's Day, join us for this romantic comedy of errors starring *SNL*'s Bowen Yang, Oscar nominee Lily Gladstone and Oscar winner Youn Yuh-jung. Unhappy with the prospect of returning to Korea to work for his family's business, an art student with a commitment-phobic boyfriend proposes a green card marriage to his lesbian friend – but things get complicated when his grandmother arrives to throw him an extravagant wedding. Rated R for language and some sexual material. 1h45m.

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### **Miracle (2004)**

To close out the Winter Olympics, come celebrate this rousing sports drama starring Kurt Russell. The film follows the true story of America's ice hockey team as it prepares to face the heavily-favored Soviet team at the 1980 Olympics. As the squad aims to take on insurmountable odds, their story inspires a nation in the throes of Cold War tension and shows the power we can have when we come together as a team. Rated PG. 2h15m.

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## Hamilton (2020)

We are excited to present this cinematic recording of a live theatrical production of Lin-Manuel Miranda's blockbuster Broadway show. Winner of several Tony Awards including Best Musical, the show employs myriad musical styles and a diverse cast to chart the meteoric rise and influence of founding father Alexander Hamilton. This filmed version stars the show's original cast, including Miranda, Leslie Odom Jr., Phillipa Soo, Daveed Diggs, Renée Elise Goldsberry, Jonathan Groff and Anthony Ramos. PG-13. 2h40m.

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## Wild Nights With Emily (2018)

Before you enjoy A Poet's Voice on March 10 with Marie Howe, join us to celebrate Women's History Month with this delightful comedy about one of the great American poets. Molly Shannon stars as Emily Dickinson in a story which pivots away from depictions of the poet as a solemn spinster and barrels joyfully in the opposite direction to highlight the warmth and intimacy which inspired her timeless work. Rated PG-13. 1h24m.

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## Roofman (2025)

Channing Tatum, Kirsten Dunst and Peter Dinklage star in this caper based on a true story of an escaped convict who secretly lives inside a Toys "R" Us while planning his next move. When he falls for a single mother working at the store, his double life starts to unravel and a game of cat-and-mouse begins as his past starts to close in. Rated R for language, nudity and brief sexuality. 2h5m.

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## The Fallen Idol (1948)

In this terrific thriller, a butler working in London falls under suspicion when a mysterious death occurs in the house, with the only witness being an impressionable young boy who admires him deeply. The film received Oscar nominations for its direction by Carol Reed (*Oliver*, and *The Third Man*) and its script by Graham Greene, adapting his own short story. Unrated. 1h35m.

**REEL TALK:** After the screening, stay with us for a Q&A with Robert Henrey who starred in the film as a child. Since his time in the movies, Robert has settled in Greenwich and enjoyed a long career in finance, served as an interfaith chaplain at Greenwich Hospital, and written books including his memoir "*Through Grown-Up Eyes: Living With Childhood Fame*."

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## Blue Moon (2025)

This sparkling film is set on a night where fading Broadway lyricist Lorenz Hart mourns the success of his former songwriting partner who has just revolutionized musical theater with Oscar Hammerstein and "Oklahoma!" Full of wit and

deep love for Broadway, the transportive film features a career-highlight performance from Ethan Hawke and paints a stirring portrait of artistic genius meshing with love and heartbreak as it only can in show business. Rated R for language and sexual references. 1h40m.

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*Registration for the films is strongly encouraged.*

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