

Oakville's Outdoor Film Series!

Films selected to commemorate the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.

Together, with Indigenous community leaders, the town, Oakville Public Library, and partners, will be presenting outdoor films that discuss our shared responsibility to care for the Earth. These films honour Indigenous culture and the contributions Indigenous people have made to preserve the land we live on today. Enjoy an evening of film and discussion about our shared journey towards Truth and Reconciliation.

This is a FREE ticketed event. Entry and activities begin at 6:30 p.m. Film presentation begins at 7 p.m. Tickets are required for all attendees. Tickets available through the Oakville Centre for Performing Arts.

Films:

Angry Inuk In her award-winning documentary, director Alethea Arnaquq-Baril joins a new tech-savvy generation of Inuit as they campaign to challenge long-established perceptions of seal hunting.

Kayak to Klemtu When a prominent Kitasoo/Xai'Xais activist passes away, his 14-year-old niece embarks on a kayak journey to take his ashes home to Klemtu. It's a race against the clock as she tries to make it back in time to give a speech protesting a proposed pipeline that would cross Indigenous land.

Beyond Climate This film takes viewers beyond the headlines and into the heart of the issues. The film holistically connects the larger patterns of climate change with the human dimension, and what it looks like across British Columbia from the top of the mountains to the depths of the oceans.

An Evening of Short Films, provided courtesy of the National Film Board of Canada Select media from Indigenous filmmakers on the specific topic of caring for the Earth will be screened and discussed with local members of the community. Titles will include *The Lake Winnipeg Project*, *Stories Are in Our Bones*, and more.

Dates:

Thursday, September 23

Bronte Athletic Park, Grounds – *Angry Inuk*

Friday, September 24

Trafalgar Park, Grounds – *Kayak to Klemtu*

Saturday, September 25

Glen Abbey, Grounds – *Beyond Climate*

Sunday, September 26

Oakville Trafalgar, Rear Grounds – *Angry Inuk*

Friday, October 1

River Oaks, Grounds – *Kayak to Klemtu*

Saturday, October 2

Iroquois Ridge, Grounds –
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Sunday, October 3

Sixteen Mile, North Park – *Beyond Climate*

In the event of inclement weather, the screenings will be moved to Queen Elizabeth Park Community and Cultural Centre. Proof of vaccination status will be required to enter recreation and culture facilities as of September 22, 2021. Attendees must follow COVID-19 health and safety protocols, as required.

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