

## THE QUIRKY, THE OFFBEAT, THE UNUSUAL

Here it is - the second Twisted Celluloid Film Festival. Since it began as a semi-monthly film programme in October 2011, the Twisted Celluloid strand at Triskel Christchurch has presented the finest, the quirkiest, the most offbeat, and the most unusual retro classics and latest movies. Sometimes it's a horror film, sometimes a thriller or a comedy; whatever the genre - the films can be considered as bonafide 'cult' films, or as future 'cult' films waiting to be discovered.

We open the festival with *Love Eternal*, the new Irish film that won the Dublin Film Critics Circle Best Irish Feature award at this year's Jameson Dublin International Film Festival. We also have the Irish premieres of the wonderfully black comedy *Cheap Thrills*, and the Southern Gothic tale *The Unwanted*.

There is a retrospective of filmmaker Quentin Dupieux aka French electronic musician Mr. Oizo. Operating as cinematographer, director, editor, and writer, his work has a decidedly offbeat sense of humour that deserves to be applauded. *Wrong and Wrong Cops* will receive their Irish Premieres at the festival.

With regard to classics we have the original Evil Dead trilogy starring Bruce Campbell and directed by Sam Raimi; we are also screening a double helping of Dr. Who. These films were made in the 1960s to capitalise on the popularity of the television series and star Hammer Horror legend Peter Cushing.

**SPECIAL GUESTS:** We are delighted to welcome actor Emma Eliza Regan who will present the opening night screening of *Love Eternal*. We will also have Bret Wood, the writer/director of *The Unwanted*, taking part in a Question and Answers session.

**SHORT FILMS:** Each feature will be supported by a short film. Selected from the films submitted to this year's festival, each short has been carefully matched by a thematic or tonal connection. For the full list of short films, visit our website (listed below).

*Christopher O'Neill - Twisted Celluloid Programmer*

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## TICKET PRICES

(some films require Triskel Cinema Membership, see below for details.)

**Before 6pm:** Full €5.50, Concession €5.00 | **After 6pm:** Full €8.00, Concession €7.00

## 6 FILM DEAL

See any six films in the festival for €28

## FESTIVAL PASS

See all sixteen films in the festival for €70

## CINEMA MEMBERSHIP

Films marked as NC (not certified) require Triskel Cinema Membership. In this case, an extra 50c is applied to single tickets. Membership is included in the price of the Festival Pass and Six Film Ticket Deal.

## CREDITS:

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TWISTED CELLULOID PRESENTS

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### OPENING NIGHT FILM

## LOVE ETERNAL NC

96 min - *Ir/Lux/Ned/Jpn 2013* - Dir: *Brendan Muldowney* - Starring: *Robert de Hoog*

In this acclaimed drama a reclusive young man tries to make sense of the world, and his existence, in the only way he knows how... by getting closer to death.

**Exclusive Preview**

Thurs 15 May - 7:30pm



## RUBBER NC

82 mins - *France/Angola 2010* - Dir: *Quentin Dupieux* - Starring: *Stephen Spinella*

*Rubber* is truly like no other film you've ever seen. A thrilling, hilarious and beyond bizarre movie that's guaranteed to stop you in your tracks.

**Quentin Dupieux Retrospective**

Fri 16 May - 6:30pm



## THE UNWANTED NC

95 mins - *USA 2014* - Dir: *Bret Wood* - Starring: *Christen Orr, Hannah Fierman*

A young woman searches for the truth behind her mother's disappearance in the Southern Gothic retelling of Sheridan Le Fanu's story *Carmilla*.

**Irish Premiere**

Sat 17 May - 8.45pm



## EVIL DEAD II NC

82 mins - *USA 1987* - Dir: *Sam Raimi* - Starring: *Bruce Campbell, Sarah Berry*

After *The Evil Dead* became a worldwide success, this sequel had a bigger budget and a slicker look, but the over-the-top violence and manic visual style remain.

**Evil Dead Trilogy**

Sat 17 Feb - 11.15pm



## CHEAP THRILLS 16

88 mins - *USA 2013* - Dir: *E.L. Katz* - Starring: *Pat Healy, Ethan Embry*

Some people will do very bad things for money and two buddies are going to find out just how far they are willing to go in this jet black comedy.

**Irish Premiere**

Fri 16 May - 8.45pm



## THE EVIL DEAD NC

86 mins - *USA 1982* - Dir: *Sam Raimi* - Starring: *Bruce Campbell, Ellen Sandweiss*

See one of the most notoriously gory and gleefully fun horror pictures of the eighties uncut and digitally remastered on the big screen! A late night classic.

**Evil Dead Trilogy**

Fri 16 May - 11.15pm



## THE BORDERLANDS NC

89 mins - *UK 2013* - Dir: *Elliot Goldner* - Starring: *Sarah Annis, Lee Arnold*

Vatican investigators are sent to a remote church in the British West Country following reports of paranormal activity. It seems that something deeply sinister has been awakened.

Sat 18 May - 12 noon



## DALEKS' INVASION EARTH 2150 A.D. G

84 mins - *UK 1966* - Dir: *Gordon Flemyng* - Starring: *Peter Cushing, Bernard Cribbins*

Dr. Who and his companions travel into the future to discover that the Earth has been overrun by the Daleks with the human race enslaved.

**Dr. Who Retrospective**

Sun 18 May - 2.15pm



## 13 EERIE NC

86 mins - *Canada 2013* - Dir: *Lowell Dean* - Starring: *Katharine Isabelle, Michael Shanks*

Six forensic undergraduates arrive on a remote island, disturbing the resting place of a pack of zombie criminal convicts who systematically hunt them down, one by one.

Sat 17 May - 12 noon



## DR. WHO AND THE DALEKS G

82 mins - *UK 1965* - Dir: *Gordon Flemyng* - Starring: *Peter Cushing, Roy Castle*

Dr. Who, played by British acting legend Peter Cushing, goes up against his arch nemesis, The Daleks, in the first of two big-screen adaptations.

**Dr. Who Retrospective**

Sat 17 May - 2.15pm



## TORMENT NC

84 mins - *Canada 2013* - Dir: *Jordan Barker* - Starring: *Katharine Isabelle, Robin Dunne*

Newlyweds must confront a sadistic cult-like family who have been hiding in their remote holiday home in this gritty home invasion thriller.

**Exclusive Preview**

Sun 18 May - 4.15pm



## WRONG COPS NC

84 mins - *USA/Russia/France 2013* - Dir: *Quentin Dupieux* - Starring: *Mark Burnham*

Taking place in a Los Angeles in the not-too-distant future, *Wrong Cops* is an off the wall comedic account of unusual cops behaving very, very badly.

**Quentin Dupieux Retrospective**

Sun 18 May - 6:30pm



## THE BATTERY NC

101 mins - *USA 2012* - Dir: *Jeremy Gardner* - Starring: *Jeremy Gardner, Adam Cronheim*

This quirky film follows Ben and Mickey, two former baseball players who aimlessly travel across a desolate New England following a zombie apocalypse.

**Exclusive Preview**

Sat 17 May - 4.15pm



## WRONG NC

94 mins - *France/USA 2012* - Dir: *Quentin Dupieux* - Starring: *Jack Plotnick*

Dolph awakens one morning to find he has lost the sole love of his life – his dog, Paul. He embarks on a journey which spirals into the realm of the absurd.

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## THE CANYONS NC

99 mins - *USA 2013* - Dir: *Paul Schrader* - Starring: *Lindsay Lohan, James Deen*

This contemporary film noir from Bret Easton Ellis (author of *American Psycho*) is a tale about the dangers of sexual obsession and ambition among a group of twenty-somethings.

Sun 18 May - 8.45pm



## ARMY OF DARKNESS NC

88 mins - *USA 1993* - Dir: *Sam Raimi* - Starring: *Bruce Campbell, Embeth Davidtz*

Picking up where *Evil Dead II* left off, Ash finds himself transported back to 1300 A.D, and is forced to lead a medieval army against the demonic deadites.

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