Sunday Afternoon Film Series

Hosted by the Shepherd's Center in collaboration with Webster Groves Public Library



Sunday, July 8, 2-4 Twenty Feet From Stardom

Meet the unsung heroes behind the greatest music of our time, Directed by Morgan Neville (2014)

Academy Award, Best Documentary

Millions know their voices, but no one knows their names. *Twenty Feet From Stardom* shines a spotlight on the untold true story of the backup singers behind some of the greatest musical legends of the 21st century. Triumphant and heartbreaking in equal measure, the film is both a tribute to the unsung voices who brought shape and style to popular music and a reflection

on the conflicts, sacrifices and rewards of a career spent harmonizing with others. Along with rare archival footage and a peerless soundtrack, *Twenty Feet From Stardom* boasts intimate interviews with Bruce Springsteen, Stevie Wonder, Mick Jagger and Sting to name just a few.



Sunday, July 15, 2-4 Best of Enemies

Directed by Morgan Neville and Robert Gordon (2015)

Broadcast Film Critics Association, Critics Choice Award

In the summer of 1968 television news changed forever. Dead last in the ratings, ABC hired two towering public intellectuals to debate each other during the Democratic and Republican national conventions. William F. Buckley Jr. was a leading light of the new conservative movement. A Democrat and cousin to Jackie Onassis, Gore Vidal was a leftist novelist and polemicist. Vidal and Buckley believed each other's political ideologies were dangerous for America. Live and unscripted, they kept viewers riveted. Ratings for ABC

News skyrocketed, and a new era in public discourse was born.



Sunday, July 22, 2-4

Abacus: Small Enough to Jail

Directed by Steve James (2017)

Academy Award Nominee

Abacus: Small Enough to Jail tells the incredible saga of the Chinese immigrant Sung family, owners of Abacus Federal Savings of Chinatown, New York. Accused of mortgage fraud by Manhattan District Attorney Cyrus R. Vance, Jr., Abacus becomes the only U.S. bank to face criminal charges in the wake of the 2008 financial crisis. The indictment and subsequent trial forces the Sung family to defend themselves – and their bank's legacy in the Chinatown community – over the course of a five-year legal battle.

All Films Shown at Webster Groves Public Library 301 E. Lockwood, 63119 Doors open at 1:30 Films begin 2 pm



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first-come, firstserved basis

