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JULY 2006 SHORT FILMS

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| Sat 1 Jul | FF | 12.55am | WASP A young single mother on a housing estate enjoys the flirtations of an old flame but fears the attraction will end abruptly when he discovers she has children. Oscar winning short starring Nathalie Press and Danny Dyer. F4 Favourites short. |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | SHOOTING GALLERY LOOK A night of terror unfolds for a young woman who works in a photo developing shop. A man draws the woman into a cat and mouse game with an unhealthy interest in photography. BOY The silent, unsettling story of a young rent boy in a small rural town who discovers the truth behind a fatal hit-and-run accident. Threatened with violence, he battles to expose the driver. Haunting short film directed by Welby Ings. THE CUTTER Anthony is a garrulous teenager who wants to follow in the footsteps of his master-craftsman father. This all seems most admirable – until you realise his father is actually a contract killer. Directed by Carl Prechezer (Blue Juice) and featuring Brian Cox. THE RED WIND A man believes he must sacrifice people for the will of God. But indeed he is sacrificed by his own idea. Iranian short directed by Mohammad Ali Ghasemi. ARCADIA Reversal of the videogame syndrome in which real life means surviving the enemy attackers and the games depend on kindness and politeness. |
| Sun 2 Jul | FF | 11.55pm | SIX SHOOTER A darkly comic short film by Martin McDonagh in which a widower encounters suicide, a shoot-out and an exploding cow on an eventful train ride with a young psycho. Oscar winning short written and directed by Martin McDonagh. F4 Favourites short. |
| | | 2.25am | TAG 26 26 days after an apocalyptic catastrophe, two survivors search for other signs of life. Extremely moving short film directed by Andreas Samland. Follows SAVE THE GREEN PLANET 12.25am. |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | SHOOTING GALLERY ONE MINUTE PAST MIDNIGHT In 2059 two apathetic friends run the night shift in a 24-hour convenience store. They discuss their views on life, their fear of going out in the daytime and how the future isn't everything they thought it would be. A SENSE OF HISTORY The 23rd Earl of Leete introduces his huge country estate, and tells us his life story. A tour de force from Jim Broadbent and Mike Leigh. THE SHORT AND CURLIES Another opportunity to see Mike Leigh's bittersweet tale of suburban romance, featuring Alison Steadman and David Thewlis. |
| Mon 3 Jul | FF | 11.45pm | HOME SWEET HOME A child returns home from school after her parents have just seen a news flash informing them that their daughters School bus had been in an accident, with no-one surviving the crash. Korean horror short directed by Hye-jung Um. F4 Favourites Short. |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | SHOOTING GALLERY TRICK OF THE LIGHT Beatrice is trapped in a frustrating marriage but escapes every night into a nocturnal fantasy involving a masquerade ball and a tiger. Teresa McCann's second film, following the |

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| | | | <p>success of 'Vacuum'.</p> <p>WET AND DRY A dark comedy in which a hitherto well-preserved suburban mummy starts to fall apart. Written and directed by John McKay.</p> <p>CHRONO-PERAMBULATOR Professor Teddy Knox has built a time machine. When Neolithic skeletons are discovered in an Irish field he is determined to go back in time to find out more about them. From East Is East director Damien O'Donnell.</p> <p>OUT OF TOWN No one will help a young traveller whose foot becomes stuck in a hole at the edge of a country road. For hours, his only companion is Walkman and when, as night falls, a driver eventually stops, it is only to steal his wallet.</p> <p>HALLO FRIEND A man signs up to an amazing new computer company...but they are not what they seem.</p> | |
| Tue 4 Jul | FF | 11.40pm | <p>PASSING HEARTS The story of Daniel's poignant meeting with the family whose late son saved his life. Beautifully shot and directed, Passing Hearts was inspired by a news article. Written and directed by Johan Brisinger. F4 Favourites short.</p> | |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | <p>SHOOTING GALLERY</p> <p>OLD STREET A man finds himself trapped by the automatic barrier in an underground car park. He speaks into the voice box on the barrier and gets a response from someone who appears able to see what is going on. This person starts up a conversation, but appears more interested in chat than in letting the man depart. Stars Ray Winstone.</p> <p>BEFORE DAWN Before dawn people will rise and other people will take away their hope. This beautifully shot; award winning film was directed by Balint Kenyeres and won the FilmFour Prize at the Leeds International Film Festival 2005.</p> <p>JUMP BOY A slice of life film centring on seven 14-16 year old Asian boys - street style, rough and tough, full of humour and insight. A story about the humorous irony of black and Asian racial relationships with a tragic twist.</p> <p>OZONE The Future. Martin Dwyer goes to work, he is sent to the top floor of his futuristic building 200 floors up. He is full of dread waiting to find what it is that awaits him on the 200th Floor!</p> | |
| Wed 5 Jul | FF | 7.40pm | <p>A DIFFERENT WAR While a war is being fought in Israel a troubled young boy is fighting his own war, trying to come to terms with his sexuality in the face of his brothers mocking. A touching short from director Nadav Gal.</p> | |
| | | 9.30pm | <p>MY PARENTS A quirky short in which a young girl tries to impress her boyfriend by making her parents behave like they're still madly in love with each other. Directed by Neele Vollmar.</p> | |
| | | 12.30am | <p>TWO CARS, ONE NIGHT Two young boys sit in a car outside the pub waiting for their parents to finish their evening's drinking. In the car next to them is a young girl. In the most unlikely of places first love is found. This award-winning short was written and directed by Taika Cohen. F4 Favourites short.</p> | |
| | | 12.40am | <p>VERONIQUE A teenage lad gets on the bus and falls in love with a young teenage girl. Her name is Veronique, she's French and she's an actress, or so he tells his best friend. Is this his first true love, or just the overwrought workings of his romantic imagination?</p> | |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | <p>SHOOTING GALLERY</p> <p>A FERRET CALLED MICKEY When young Paulie's father observes him hosting a pretend tea party in the back yard, he decides that it may be time for some manly father and son activity. Directed by Barry Dignam, this short was the winner of the FILMFOUR prize at this year's London Lesbian and Gay Film Festival.</p> <p>KARMA WHEEL Quirky short film in which two brothers, with very different views of life, ride the 'Karma Wheel'. Directed by Austin Alward.</p> <p>THE SHEEP THIEF A young Indian is branded when he steals a sheep. He moves on to the next village where he finds a home with a mother and her two young sons. Eventually his secret comes out and he has to move on again. Directed by Asif Kapadia.</p> <p>BYPASS In an isolated region of rural India two 'bandits' commit a violent robbery, blow the spoils and get their come-uppance. A morality tale of deceit, greed and betrayal. Written and directed by Amit Jumar and stars Irfan Khan.</p> | |
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| | | 3.35am | THE HOST A dangerous convict calling himself John has escaped from prison. In a panic he cons his way into a random apartment where Warwick is preparing for a dinner party. Warwick accommodates him, remaining the perfect host. Directed by Nicholas Tomnay. | |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | SHOOTING GALLERY THE LITTLE DEATH Paul, a Young gay photographer, lives with his boyfriend Martial. His sister Camille persuades him to visit his dying father who he hasn't seen for a few years, but his barely conscious father doesn't recognise him. Paul becomes obsessed with photographing him unconscious in his hospital bed. WASP A young single mother on a housing estate enjoys the flirtations of an old flame but fears the attraction will end abruptly when he discovers she has children. A CONTAINER The story is set on a run-down housing estate. An empty skip appears at the end of the lane and becomes an unlikely focal point for the community. Children and adults alike use their imagination and resourcefulness to make the most of the unexpected opportunity. | |
| Fri 7 Jul | FF | 12.05am | BROTHER OF MINE "I Hate My Family. My brother is a fucking little pussy and they are going to destroy him." An extraordinarily uncomfortable film about a teenager whose anger at his divorced parents is savagely vented on his younger brother. Awarded the Silver Bear in Berlin 2002. F4 Favourites short. | |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | SHOOTING GALLERY FLIP PHONE Comedy short about three bridesmaids, driving through the countryside on their way to their friend Sarah's wedding. They make their feelings about the Groom perfectly clear with hilarious results. Directed by Daniel Kash, Flip Phone is based on a true story. BLOWING IT A romantic comedy, but only if you squint, about a couple who don't know they're in a rut and it's going to take something truly special to reawaken what they loved about each other in the first place. That something special duly arrives...Written and directed by Jeff Povey and starring Sally Phillips and Paul Kaye. SHE LOVE ME, SHE LOVES ME NOT The trials and tribulations of love sweet love! A quirky comedy from director Jamie Rafn. FRIDAY NIGHT IN A dinner table conversation with friends (in particular about her friend Jenny's great new sexual relationship) leaves Cheryl feeling sex-starved. She accepts a challenge to go out on the street and proposition the first passing man for sex. She Succeeds...Features Christopher Moynihan (Coupling) and Claire Goose (Waking the Dead). EXCURSION You wake up. That's always how it starts. You soon realise that it's going to be one of those days! IT'S NOT UNUSUAL A day in the life of a London cab driver, Shushila (Meera Syal) who is a Tom Jones fan. She has to deliver a package to the singer and her dreams might be about to come true. The film also stars John McArchie, Leslie Grantham and Suzanna Hamilton. Written and produced by Asmaa Pirzada. FLIP FLOP When Dad moves in with 'her' from next-door son David finds himself enjoying the best of both worlds. TVCC A boy prepares for a special day - buying trousers, and then flowers - all recorded on CCTV in the various establishments he visits. | |
| Sat 8 Jul | FF | 7.30pm | MY BLIND BROTHER The rivalry between two brothers reaches a fever pitch during a charity swim competition. Directed by Sophie Goodhart. | |
| | | 7.45pm | THE FISHMONGER Mr Davis buys his fish at the quayside at dawn, until Mr Leech the wholesaler tries to squeeze him out. Mr Davis is forced to resort to extreme measures to save his livelihood. Where will this battle of wills end? Stars John Henshaw and Rupert Procter. | |
| | | 9.40pm | IT'S GOOD TO TALK 1997 short comedy directed by Roger Goldby. Starring Martin Clunes and Sean Hughes in an Oscar (1998) nominated short about telephone calls. | |
| | | 11.30pm | PROCTER When Charles Procter witnesses a stranger burn to death, he doesn't expect to become part of the gruesome event. Then he discovers a video camera has captured him on the scene. | |

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| | | | But what he finds on the tape is more disturbing than the stranger's death. Unforgettable short directed by Joachin Trier. F4 Favourites short. | |
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| Sun 9 Jul | FF | 7.35pm | 2D OR NOT 2D An animated comedy by Oscar nominated director Paul Driessen about a chubby mountain girl and a chubby mountain boy being separated by a paper thin wall. The film plays with the characters and situation being 1D, 2D and 3D. Follows PORCO ROSSO 6.00pm. | |
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| | | 12.20am | BURIED Two men, serial killers, argue over who will put the rubbish out, clean the house and who will bury the latest body. A very amusing take on life as a mass murderer. Written and directed by Tim Bullock. F4 Favourites short. | |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | SHOOTING GALLERY BEING BAD A poetic snapshot in the lives of three teenagers. The present, the past and the no future played out in impressionistic strokes under the sunniest of skies. Directed by Laurence Coriat, who wrote the feature films WONDERLAND AND ME WITHOUT YOU. THE LAST POST Harrowing tale of war crimes committed by British soldiers. Directed by Dominic Santana and starring Gael Garcia Bernal who stars in THE MOTORCYCLE DIARIES. LUCKY DAY A hired-hand's joy at gaining a day's work soon diminishes when, on a remote farm, he has cause to fear for his life. THE HOLE An animation film that explores the cruel subject of drug addiction, as a man walking in the desert encounters sinister hands, which crawl from beneath the earth. Directed by Vahid Nasirian. MY OTHER WHEELCHAIR IS A PORSCHE A wheelchair bound boy finds love in unexpected places. Directed by RAVI KUMAR. | |
| Mon 10 Jul | FF | 7.40pm | MY BEAUTIFUL NEIGHBOUR A sweet moment of unrequited love for an immigrant girl who spies on the woman next door. | |
| | | 9.35pm | BAIT A single father leaves his young son 'guarding' their precious sandwiches in a bus station cafe whilst he goes for a job interview. The boy watches wide-eyed at the world around him and is taken-aback when a homeless man takes his 'bait box' of sandwiches. | |
| | | 11.50pm | M M has been training to box all her life; she is a beautiful woman who lives in a surreal world of angels and demons constantly battling for survival. A superb short film with a fusion of Mexican culture and Manga animation. Directed by Everardo Gout. F4 Favourites short. | |
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| | | 11.50pm | <p>CARLOS' BIRTHDAY Carlos, the leader of a gang of street kids, spends his time stealing from tourists, sniffing glue and playing football, always dreaming of a better life. On the day of his twelfth birthday Carlos is given a special assignment, he has to kill a man. Unforgettable short film from director José Javier Rodríguez Melcón. F4 Favourites short.</p> | |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | <p>SHOOTING GALLERY EUSTON ROAD A fast car. Two men talking in a hotel bar. Seven questions in eight minutes. It's 9pm on Euston road – you figure it out! This fast paced thriller directed by Toa Stappard stars Paul Bettany (GANGSTER NO.1, MASTER AND COMMANDER, DOGVILLE). MY BLIND BROTHER The rivalry between two brothers reaches a fever pitch during a charity swim competition. Directed by Sophie Goodhart. LEAGUE OF LEGENDS The secret organization, League of Legends, consists of legendary football players who select talented young soccer players from the streets to prove their talent with a secret test duel. In a remote factory they discover what it's all about, passion and love for The Game. Directed by Jeffrey Elmont and featuring Edgar Davids. SWIMMING In a 70s hippy commune, a young girl overcomes her fear of water and of her mother's hated boyfriend in a story exploring the darker side of peace and love..</p> | |
| Wed 12 Jul | FF | 00.40am | <p>CAMERA "I had a dream a long time ago that I was in a cinema watching a movie with an audience. And suddenly I realised I was aging rapidly, growing horribly old." Classic David Cronenberg. F4 Favourites short.</p> | |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | <p>SHOOTING GALLERY PERFECT Rankin, one of Britain's most renowned fashion and portrait photographers, moves into narrative filmmaking. His film will explore the private and abusive relationship of a couple that from the outside seem the ultimate in contemporary success. Stars Kate Ashfield (SHAUN OF THE DEAD) and Marc Warren. WHAT ABOUT ME? Intense drama about a teenage girl's addiction to heroine threatening to wreck her family. Her younger brother feels the strain ...Directed by Paul Wittingdon. TRUEL The story of a woman trapped in a bad marriage that uses her knowledge of mathematics and human behaviour to engineer a "truel-to-the-death" between her husband, her lover and a third man. The idea of the Truel - a duel with three men - is a problem from the mathematical study of Game Theory and forms the framing structure of the film. NO ANIMALS WERE HARMED A Man takes a hat out of a rabbit; then rips the head off a teddy bear - causing blood to</p> | |

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| | | | burst out of its neck. He then mutilates a sequence of toy animals in a variety of ways...moral of the story? No real animals were harmed! NEW DAWN A young woman called Maxie wakes up in hospital and rouses her visitor, her boyfriend Spinx. She is distressed at being in hospital and demands her clothes. She can't remember why she's in hospital only a row with Spinx... | |
| Thu 13 Jul | FF | 11.40pm | FAST FILM This superb Austrian short's scenes were taken from 300 different movies from over the years. No less than 65,000 paper printouts of individual images were used to make Fast Film. A remarkable reworking, animating and literal folding of Hollywood's leading actor's at their manly best. Directed By Virgil Wildrich (COPY SHOP). F4 Favourites short. | |
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| Fri 14 Jul | FF | 7.20pm | IRANIAN SHORTS THE FLYING MISTERS A documentary filmed in Bandar Azali, a town on the Caspian Sea. Three members of a rock group called The Flying Misters struggle to organise a concert in the face of government bureaucracy and their peer's ambivalence. Directed by Reza Bahraminezhad. THE HOLE An animation film that explores the cruel subject of drug addiction, as a man walking in the desert encounters sinister hands, which crawl from beneath the earth. Directed by Vahid Nasirian. | |
| | | 9.30pm | MY WRONGS 8245 - 8249 AND 117 Chris Morris writes and directs a dark comedy short about a man's descent into madness due to the depraved behaviour of his girlfriend's talking dog. | |
| | | 9.45pm | IOTA A powerful short film in which a young girl mysteriously disappears on Christmas Eve, leaving her twin sister in such a state of shock she cannot speak. A story of loss and rediscovered communication within a remote and voiceless family. Directed by Simon Dennis. | |
| | | 11.50pm | A SENSE OF HISTORY The 23rd Earl of Leete introduces his huge country estate, and tells us his life story. A tour de force from Jim Broadbent and Mike Leigh. F4 Favourites short. | |
| | | 1.50am | LEFT TURN A creepy horror short with a clear debt to 80s thriller The Hitchhiker. Julie wakes up with a sense of foreboding about the day ahead, compounded by the radio report of a young woman's murder. Driving home, she picks up an old woman whose muteness is rather unsettling. Directed by Sean Ellis. F4 Favourites short. | |
| | FFWK | 2.00am | SHOOTING GALLERY CROSS MY HEART Comedy drama about an Asian man desperate to conceal the identity of his true love from his "Aunties", as she is, horror of horrors, black. Written and directed by NFTS post-graduate Avie Luthra who is the joint-winner of the 2002 Dennis Potter script award. BLINK The story of a young couple that don't communicate very well and the arrival of Nell, their visiting circus performer, whom John has a fling with. Nell has brought with her a baby elephant that sits surreally in the kitchen (in the therapy world the elephant in the living room represents a taboo subject). Starring JAMES PUREFOY and directed by Amy Jenkins. SYRUP Bald, downtrodden George Forman gets some hair and fights back! Directed by PAUL UNWIN. VERONIQUE A teenage lad gets on the bus and falls in love with a young teenage girl. Her name is | |

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| Sun 16 Jul | FF | 11.35pm | TALKING WITH ANGELS + Introduction A beautiful, touching film about a young boy struggling to maintain a degree of normality for his family in the face of his mother's mental instability. Young Alan struggles to keep his family together. This superb short film was written and directed by Yousaf Ali Khan. Features an introduction from producer MICHAEL KNOWLES and star STEPHEN BUCKLEY. F4 Favourites short. |
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| | | 9.35pm | <p>SIMONE'S LABYRINTH We plunge into the obscure inner world of the introverted and mysterious 11 year old Simone. Directed by Ivan Sainz-Pardo Simone's Labyrinth was the winning short at the Brussels Fantasy Film Festival 2004.</p> | |
| | | 1.10am | <p>BOY The silent, unsettling story of a young rent boy in a small rural town who discovers the truth behind a fatal hit-and-run accident. Threatened with violence, he battles to expose the driver. Haunting short film directed by Welby Ings. F4 Favourites short.</p> | |
| | FFWK | 3.05am | <p>SHOOTING GALLERY TEA BREAK A man goes to work and does his job! A gruesome look at one man's daily routine. A gory fantasy tale from Sam Walker.</p> <p>DUCK CHILDREN A young girl finds herself performing a strange mechanical dance. As she tries to work out the steps she realises that all is not what it seems... Winner of the Canal+ prize at Clermont Ferrand 2002 and recipient of the International Jury commendation at Brief Encounters 2001.</p> <p>POOL SHARK A man visits his local swimming pool and gets more than he bargained for, suddenly finding himself swimming in the middle of the ocean. A quirky short from Sam Walker.</p> <p>HAROLD A country vet helps a pig give birth but both he and the farmer are surprised that it is a bright pink inflatable one. The inflatable pig, Harold, runs off to the circus where he stares longingly at a lioness called Linda,</p> <p>I MEAN IT Sometimes it pays to play away from home or does it? A short tale about infidelity.</p> <p>FUEL Three middle aged women set of in their old Morris bickering amongst themselves. They arrive at an old gas station and the owner gestures for a group of handsome Latin mechanics to scrub and clean the car for them. They drive away very happy!</p> | |
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