

MOVIE MUSEUM

FEBRUARY 2008

COMING ATTRACTIONS

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY
<p>Happy Chinese New Year! RATATOUILLE (2007) <i>animation in widescreen</i> voiced by Patton Oswalt, Ian Holm, Lou Romano, Brian Dennehy, Peter O'Toole, Janeane Garofalo, Brad Garrett, Will Arnett.</p> <p>Written and Co-Directed by Brad Bird</p> <p>12:30, 3, 5:30 & 8pm 7</p>	<p>THE ASSASSINATION OF JESSE JAMES BY THE COWARD ROBERT FORD (2007) <i>in widescreen</i> with Brad Pitt, Mary-Louise Parker, Brooklyn Proulx, Casey Affleck, Sam Rockwell, Sam Shepard.</p> <p>Directed and Co-written by Andrew Dominik.</p> <p>1, 4 & 7pm 8</p>	<p>Hawaii Premiere! THE KING OF KONG: A FISTFUL OF QUARTERS (2008) <i>in widescreen</i> In this acclaimed doc, a science teacher challenges a hot sauce tycoon for the Donkey Kong world title.</p> <p>Directed by Seth Gordon.</p> <p>2, 4, 6 & 8pm 9</p>	<p>ACROSS THE UNIVERSE (2007) <i>in widescreen</i> with Evan Rachel Wood, Jim Sturgess, Joe Anderson, Dana Fuchs, Martin Luther, T.V. Carpio, Joe Cocker, Bono, Salma Hayek, Eddie Izzard.</p> <p>Directed by Julie Taymor.</p> <p>12:30, 3, 5:30 & 8pm 10</p>	<p>Oahu Premiere! IRA AND ABBY (2006) <i>in widescreen</i> Chris Messina, Fred Willard, Jason Alexander, Robert Klein, Jennifer Westfeldt, Frances Conroy, Maddie Corman.</p> <p>Directed by Robert Cary.</p> <p>2, 4, 6 & 8pm 11</p>
<p>Happy Valentine's Day! VALENTÍN (2002-Argentina/Netherlands/France/Italy/Spain) <i>in Spanish with English subtitles & in widescreen</i> with Rodrigo Noya, Carmen Maura, Julieta Cardinali, Alejandro Agresti.</p> <p>Written and Directed by Alejandro Agresti.</p> <p>2, 4, 6 & 8pm 14</p>	<p>BECOMING JANE (2007-UK) <i>in widescreen</i> with Anne Hathaway, James McAvoy, Julie Walters, James Cromwell, Maggie Smith, Joe Anderson, Jessica Ashworth, Lucy Cohu, Laurence Fox.</p> <p>Directed by Julian Jarrold.</p> <p>12:30, 3, 5:30 & 8pm 15</p>	<p>Oahu Premiere! IRA AND ABBY (2006) <i>in widescreen</i> Chris Messina, Fred Willard, Jason Alexander, Robert Klein, Jennifer Westfeldt, Frances Conroy, Maddie Corman.</p> <p>Directed by Robert Cary.</p> <p>2, 4, 6 & 8pm 16</p>	<p>BECOMING JANE (2007-UK) <i>in widescreen</i> with Anne Hathaway, James McAvoy, Julie Walters, James Cromwell, Maggie Smith, Joe Anderson, Jessica Ashworth, Lucy Cohu, Laurence Fox.</p> <p>Directed by Julian Jarrold.</p> <p>12:30, 3, 5:30 & 8pm 17</p>	<p>Presidents' Day THE ASSASSINATION OF JESSE JAMES BY THE COWARD ROBERT FORD (2007) <i>in widescreen</i> with Brad Pitt, Mary-Louise Parker, Brooklyn Proulx, Casey Affleck, Sam Rockwell, Sam Shepard.</p> <p>Directed and Co-written by Andrew Dominik.</p> <p>1, 4 & 7pm 18</p>
<p>AWAY FROM HER (2006-Canada) <i>in widescreen</i> with Gordon Pinsent, Julie Christie, Olympia Dukakis, Stacey LaBerge, Deabba Dezmari, Alberta Watson.</p> <p>Directed and Co-written by Sarah Polley.</p> <p>2, 4, 6 & 8pm 21</p>	<p>ACROSS THE UNIVERSE (2007) <i>in widescreen</i> with Evan Rachel Wood, Jim Sturgess, Joe Anderson, Dana Fuchs, Martin Luther, T.V. Carpio, Joe Cocker, Bono, Salma Hayek, Eddie Izzard.</p> <p>Directed by Julie Taymor.</p> <p>12:30, 3, 5:30 & 8pm 22</p>	<p>AMERICAN GANGSTER (2007) <i>in widescreen</i> with Denzel Washington, Russell Crowe, Chiwetel Ejiofor, Josh Brolin, Carla Gugino, RZA, Yul Vazquez.</p> <p>Directed by Ridley Scott.</p> <p>1, 4 & 7pm 23</p>	<p>Oscar Sunday AWAY FROM HER (2006-Canada) <i>in widescreen</i> with Gordon Pinsent, Julie Christie, Olympia Dukakis, Stacey LaBerge, Deabba Dezmari, Alberta Watson.</p> <p>Directed and Co-written by Sarah Polley.</p> <p>12:30 & 2:30pm Only 24</p>	<p>Hawaii Premiere! AMERICANIZING SHELLEY (2007) <i>in widescreen</i> with Namrata Singh Gujral, Beau Bridges, Brad Raider, Ron Reaco Lee, Phillip Rhys, Wil Wheaton, Ajay Mehta.</p> <p>Directed by Lorraine Senna.</p> <p>2, 4, 6 & 8pm 25</p>
<p>DEATH AT A FUNERAL (2007-USA/Germany/UK/Netherlands) <i>in widescreen</i> with Matthew Macfadyen, Keely Hawes, Andy Nyman, Ewen Bremner, Simon Smith, Rupert Graves, Peter Dinklage.</p> <p>Directed by Frank Oz.</p> <p>2, 4, 6 & 8pm 28</p>	<p>L'APPARTEMENT <i>aka The Apartment</i> (1996-France/Spain/Italy) <i>in French/English/Japanese with English subtitles & in widescreen</i> with Romane Bohringer, Vincent Cassel, Jean-Phillipe Ecoffey, Monica Bellucci.</p> <p>Written and Directed by Gilles Mimouni</p> <p>12:30, 3, 5:30 & 8pm 29</p>	<p>MICHAEL CLAYTON (2007) <i>in widescreen</i> with George Clooney, Tom Wilkinson, Tilda Swinton, Michael O'Keefe, Sydney Pollack, Denis O'Hare, Julie White, Wai Chan.</p> <p>Written and Directed by Tony Gilroy.</p> <p>12:30, 3, 5:30, 8pm Mar 1</p>	<p>DEATH AT A FUNERAL (2007-USA/Germany/UK/Netherlands) <i>in widescreen</i> with Matthew Macfadyen, Keely Hawes, Andy Nyman, Ewen Bremner, Simon Smith, Rupert Graves, Peter Dinklage.</p> <p>Directed by Frank Oz.</p> <p>2, 4, 6 & 8pm Mar 2</p>	<p>Hawaii Premiere! THE SECRET LIFE OF WORDS (2005-Spain) <i>in widescreen</i> with Sarah Polley, Tim Robbins, Sverre Anker Ousdal, Javier Cámara, Danny Cunningham, Julie Christie, Eddie Marsan.</p> <p>Written and Directed by Isabel Coixet.</p> <p>12:30, 3, 5:30, 8pm Mar 3</p>

\$5 General Admission / \$4 Members
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All films will be presented
with digital sound.

RATATOUILLE (2007) **110m **** D:** Brad Bird (THE INCREDIBLES), Jan Pinkava. Voiced by Patton Oswalt, Ian Holm, Lou Romano, Brian Dennehy, Peter O'Toole, Janeane Garofalo, Brad Garrett, Will Arnett. Remy (Oswalt) is a rat. But unlike his family, who happily wallows in garbage, Remy is obsessed with fine food, and wants to be a chef. When fate lands him in the restaurant kitchen of Chef Gusteau (Garrett), Remy finds an unlikely collaborator in Linguini (Romano), the garbage boy. Manipulating Linguini like a marionette, Remy astounds Paris with his culinary brilliance. Superb animation, terrific humor and an engaging story make this a film that is truly for all ages. Nominated for (an amazing) five Oscars including Best Animated Feature and Best Screenplay, RATATOUILLE has won numerous international film awards. Happy Year of the Rat!

THE ASSASSINATION OF JESSE JAMES BY THE COWARD ROBERT FORD (2007) **160m *** ½ D:** Andrew Dominik. Brad Pitt, Mary Louise Parker, Brooklyn Proulx, Dustin Bollinger, Casey Affleck (GONE BABY GONE), Sam Rockwell, Sam Shepard. In this fascinating revisionist western, a harrowing psychological game is played between charismatic outlaw Jesse James (Pitt) and Robert Ford (Affleck), the gang member who idolizes him. Affleck's unsettling portrayal of Ford earned him an Oscar nomination, along with brilliant cinematographer Roger Deakins (who's also nominated this year for lensing the great NO COUNTRY FOR OLD MEN). Rated R.

THE KING OF KONG: A FISTFUL OF QUARTERS (2008) **79m *** D:** Seth Gordon. Billy Mitchell, Steve Wiebe, Walter Day. In this wildly entertaining documentary, two Donkey Kong champions square off for the Guinness World Record. Billy Mitchell, a hot sauce mogul, has been undisputed Donkey Kong champion for 25 years—he's arrogant and a little sinister. His challenger is Steve Wiebe, a nice guy who got laid off from Boeing the day he and his wife bought a new house. Wiebe, now a science teacher, uses his meager savings to go to Florida to challenge Mitchell head-on. Spectacularly strange and deadly serious, this doc will keep you at the edge of your seat. Winner Best Documentary from the Dallas-Fort Worth Film Critics Association. This movie has garnered an astounding 96% approval rating on RottenTomatoes.com! Rated PG-13.

ACROSS THE UNIVERSE (2007) **131m *** ½ D:** Julie Taymor. Evan Rachel Wood, Jim Sturgess, Joe Anderson, Dana Fuchs, Martin Luther, T.V. Carpio, Joe Cocker, Bono, Salma Hayek, Eddie Izzard. This intoxicating musical scrapbook of the '60s follows the travails of young Liverpoolian dockworker Jude (Sturgess), who travels to the US to find his estranged father. Along the way he makes friends, falls in love with teenager Lucy (Wood) and gets involved in protests against the Vietnam War. The story is driven by beloved Beatles hits that define the time and inspire Julie Taymor's inventive choreography (she directed the stage version of *The Lion King*). Nominated for an Oscar for Best Costume, ACROSS THE UNIVERSE was also nominated for a Golden Globe for Best Motion Picture – Musical or Comedy, and a Grammy for best compilation soundtrack. Rated PG-13.

IRA AND ABBY (2006) **104m *** D:** Robert Cary. Chris Messina, Jennifer Westfeldt, Fred Willard, Robert Klein, Frances Conroy, Judith Light, Maddie Corman. Nebbishy New Yorker Ira (Messina) spends so much time in his own head he can't seem to get anywhere. The son of two psychiatrists who is studying to be an analyst himself, Ira has gone through 12 years of therapy with no results. Fed up and determined to make a change, he impulsively walks into a gym to sign up for membership. There he meets a free-spirited saleswoman Abby (Westfeldt), who is as different from his Jewish neurotic nature as can be. They instantly fall in love, beginning a rollercoaster ride of a relationship. Reminiscent of Woody Allen comedies, this charmer won audience awards at the Los Angeles Film Festival and the Boston Jewish Film Festival. Rated R.

VALENTÍN (2002-Argentina/Netherlands/France/Italy/Spain) **86m *** D:** Alejandro Agresti (THE LAKE HOUSE). Rodrigo Noya, Carmen Maura (VOLVER), Julieta Cardinali, Jean Pierre Noher, Alejandro Agresti. Valentín (Noya) is 8 years old, but he's already so wise he's the only one who could solve his troubled family's problems. Mop-topped, he peers through thick glasses to analyze the silly world of grownups. His parents have divorced, and he's living with his grandmother (Maura), so Valentín decides to play cupid and talk to his dad's new girlfriend (Cardinali). This sweet little film won 7 Argentinean Film Critics Association Awards, including Best Film, and numerous international film awards. Happy Valentine's Day! Rated PG-13.

BECOMING JANE (2007-UK) **120m *** D:** Julian Jarrold. Anne Hathaway (THE DEVIL WEARS PRADA), James McAvoy (ATONEMENT), Julie Walters, James Cromwell, Maggie Smith, Joe Anderson, Jessica Ashworth, Laurence Fox. Jane Austen's (Hathaway) real-life flirtation with rebellious lawyer Tom Lefroy (McAvoy) is embellished in this witty and charming romance that evokes the beauty, simplicity and hardship of English country life. Sparks fly as Jane and Tom battle each other nimbly with words, much like the Austen characters Elizabeth Bennett and Mr. Darcy. This lyrically photographed portrait of the beloved author won a People's Choice Award. Rated PG.

AWAY FROM HER (2006-Canada) **110m **** D:** Sarah Polley (THE SECRET LIFE OF WORDS). Julie Christie (THE SECRET LIFE OF WORDS), Gordon Pinsent, Stacey LaBerge, Olympia Dukakis, Deanna Dezmari, Alberta Watson. Fiona Anderson (Christie), upon realizing she has Alzheimer's disease, decides to check into a retirement home to save her husband Grant (Pinsent) the burden of caring for her. The institution requires that family not visit Fiona for 30 days to ease her transition into her new home. Grant visits her after the 30 days to discover she not only seems to have forgotten him, but she has transferred her affections to another man. Grant experiences an epiphany despite his heartbreak and loss. Oscar nominated for Christie's sensitive portrayal of Fiona and director Polley's brilliant screenplay, this heartfelt drama is among the best of 2007. This film closed Hawaii's Varsity Theater (1939-2007) on June 17, 2007. Rated PG-13.

AMERICAN GANGSTER (2007) **157m *** ½ D:** Ridley Scott. Denzel Washington, Russell Crowe, Chiwetel Ejiofor, Josh Brolin, RZA, Ruby Dee. Frank Lucas (Washington) is a consummate New York businessman, able to make sharp deals in Southeast Asia to bring in better and cheaper product than his competitors. Soberly dressed and soft-spoken, he always takes his mother (Dee) to church on Sundays. If he weren't a heroin kingpin, he would be a business school case study of success. His antagonist is stubbornly honest Detective Roberts (Crowe) who swears to bring Lucas down despite opposition from crooked cops within his own precinct. This fascinating crime drama earned two Oscar noms: one for Dee and the other for Art Direction which vividly brings 1970s New York to life. Rated R.

AMERICANIZING SHELLEY (2007) **90m *** D:** Lorraine Senna. Namrata Singh Gujral, Beau Bridges (SORDID LIVES), Brad Raider, RonReaco Lee, Phillip Rhys, Wil Wheaton, Erin Hershey, Ajay Mehta. This contemporary "Pygmalion" comedy is set in Los Angeles, where a Hollywood player-wannabe from the deep South (Raider) is challenged by CEO Bridges to Americanize an Indian girl (Gujral) fresh from the Himalayas. Filled with Hollywood glitz and Bollywood color, this charming romantic comedy is highly entertaining. Rated PG.

DEATH AT A FUNERAL (2007-USA/Germany/UK/Netherlands) **90m *** D:** Frank Oz. Matthew Macfadyen (PRIDE & PREJUDICE), Keeley Hawes, Andy Nyman, Ewen Bremner, Alan Tudyk, Jane Asher, Rupert Graves, Peter Dinklage. Home-made hallucinogens, a scandalous family secret and a seething sibling rivalry make it impossible for the genteel participants of a funeral to proceed with decorum in this uproarious British farce. Winner of audience awards from the Locarno International Film Festival and the US Comedy Arts Festival, this hilarious blend of high wit and low slapstick will leave you gasping. Rated R.

L'APPARTEMENT aka The Apartment (1996-France/Spain/Italy) **116m *** ½ D:** Gilles Mimouni (feature film debut). Romane Bohringer, Vincent Cassel (EASTERN PROMISES), Jean-Philippe Écoffey, Monica Bellucci (SHOOT 'EM UP), Sandrine Kiberlain. This highly romantic thriller follows a man (Cassel) as he turns his life upside down when he overhears the dulcet voice of his lost great love (Bellucci) in a crowded café. Gone before he can catch her, he sets out to find her, leaving his fiancée, his luggage and his promising career behind. Filmed in bravura style by Thierry Arbogast, the camera teases and frustrates, leading the viewer on a reckless erotic chase. Winner of the BAFTA and the British Independent Film awards for the best film not in the English language, this visual marvel was also nominated for two Césars. Rated R.

MICHAEL CLAYTON (2007) **119m **** D:** Tony Gilroy. George Clooney, Tom Wilkinson, Tilda Swinton, Michael Grissom, Sydney Pollack, Wai Chan. Michael Clayton (Clooney) is a "fixer" at one of New York's largest corporate law firms. Though he's less than happy doing dirty work to clear the names of high-profile clients, he has serious debts to pay off, leaving him tied to the firm. When his close lawyer friend Edens (Wilkinson) goes berserk and jeopardizes the firm, Clayton faces the biggest challenge of his career and his life. Nominated for 7 Oscars, including Best Picture, Director and Screenplay (both Gilroy), Original Score and for Clooney, Swinton and Wilkinson. Clooney won Best Actor from the National Board of Review. Gripping, intelligent and powerful, this corporate thriller would have dominated in a "slow" Oscar year (which this isn't). Rated R.

THE SECRET LIFE OF WORDS (2005-Spain) **115m *** ½ D:** Isabel Coixet. Sarah Polley (AWAY FROM HER), Tim Robbins, Sverre Anker Ousdal, Javier Cámara, Julie Christie, Eddie Marsan. Hanna (Polley) is hearing-impaired and very timid. She's a model employee at a factory where she's worked without any time off for four years. When her boss forces her to take a month-long vacation, she decides to travel to an oil rig in Northern Ireland to care for a man suffering from severe burns (Robbins). Josef, the patient, is a decent fellow whose damaged corneas render him temporarily blind. Out of their tentative exchanges grows a life-changing relationship and the key to the mystery of Hanna's isolated existence. This drama won Goyas for Best Director, Best Film, Best Production Supervision and Best Screenplay, along with numerous other international film awards. Polley and Christie, who plays key character Inge, reunite in AWAY FROM HER (with Polley writing and directing) a year later. Suitable for audiences 13 and older.