

EVENT & FILM GUIDE – APRIL 2025



Tinā (M)

Running Time: 125 minutes

Struggling after the death of her daughter in the **Christchurch** earthquakes, Mareta reluctantly takes on a role as a substitute teacher at an elite private school and is surprised to find children in desperate need of guidance, inspiration, and love.



The Brutalist (R16)

Running Time: 215 minutes

Escaping post-war **Europe**, visionary architect László Toth arrives in **America** to rebuild his life, his work, and his marriage to his wife Erzsébet after being forced apart during wartime by shifting borders and regimes. On his own in a strange new country, László settles in **Pennsylvania**, where the wealthy and prominent industrialist Harrison Lee Van Buren recognizes his talent for building. But power and legacy come at a heavy cost...

This film contains an interval halfway through.



A Minecraft Movie (TBC)

Running Time: 101 minutes

Welcome to the world of **Minecraft**, where creativity doesn't just help you craft, it's essential to one's survival! Four misfits—Garrett “The Garbage Man” Garrison (**Momoa**), Henry (**Hansen**), Natalie (**Myers**) and Dawn (**Brooks**)—find themselves struggling with ordinary problems when they are suddenly pulled through a mysterious portal into the Overworld: a bizarre, cubic wonderland that thrives on imagination. To get back home, they'll have to master this world (and protect it from evil things like Piglins and Zombies, too) while embarking on a magical quest with an unexpected, expert crafter, Steve (**Black**). Together, their adventure will challenge all five to be bold and to reconnect with the qualities that make each of them uniquely creative... the very skills they need to thrive back in the real world.



Anora (R16)

Running Time: 139 minutes

Anora, a sex worker from **Brooklyn**, gets her chance at a *Cinderella* story when she meets and marries the son of an oligarch. Once the news reaches **Russia**, her fairytale is threatened as the parents set out for **New York** to get the marriage annulled.

TICKETS

In advance: Adult \$12, Senior \$10, Student/Child \$10

On the door: Adult \$15, Senior \$13, Student/Child \$13

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Bridget Jones Mad About The Boy (M)

Running Time: 125 minutes

Bridget is alone once again, widowed four years ago, when Mark was killed on a humanitarian mission in Sudan. She's now a single mother to nine-year-old Billy and four-year-old Mabel, and is stuck in a state of emotional limbo, raising her children with help from her loyal friends and even her former lover, Daniel Cleaver (**Hugh Grant**). Pressured by her Urban Family—Shazzer, Jude and Tom, her work colleague Miranda, her mother, and her gynecologist Dr. Rawlings (**Oscar® winner Emma Thompson**) — to forge a new path toward life and love, Bridget goes back to work and even tries out the dating apps, where she's soon pursued by a dreamy and enthusiastic younger man. Now juggling work, home and romance, Bridget grapples with the judgment of the perfect mums at school, worries about Billy as he struggles with the absence of his father, and engages in a series of awkward interactions with her son's rational-to-a-fault science teacher.

Ladies Night screening Friday 11 April @ 7.30pm



10 Lives (G)

Running Time: 87 minutes

A pampered cat takes for granted the lucky hand he has been dealt after he is rescued and loved by Rose, a kind-hearted and passionate student. When he loses his ninth life, fate steps in to set him on a transformative journey.



Dogman (tbc)

Running Time: 94 minutes

When a faithful police dog and his human police officer owner are injured together on the job, a harebrained but life-saving surgery fuses the two of them together and Dog Man is born. Dog Man is sworn to protect and serve—and fetch, sit and roll over.



Hard Truths (M)

Running Time: 97 minutes

Legendary filmmaker **Mike Leigh** returns to the contemporary world with a fierce, compassionate, and often darkly humorous study of family and the thorny ties that bind us. Pansy, a woman wracked by fear, tormented by afflictions, and prone to raging tirades against her husband, son, and anyone who looks her way. Meanwhile, her easygoing younger sister, is a single mother with a life as different from Pansy's as their clashing temperaments - brimming with communal warmth from her salon clients and daughters alike. This expansive film from a master dramatist takes us into the intensities of kinship, duty, and the most enduring of human mysteries: that even through lifetimes of hurt and hardship, we still find ways to love those we call family.

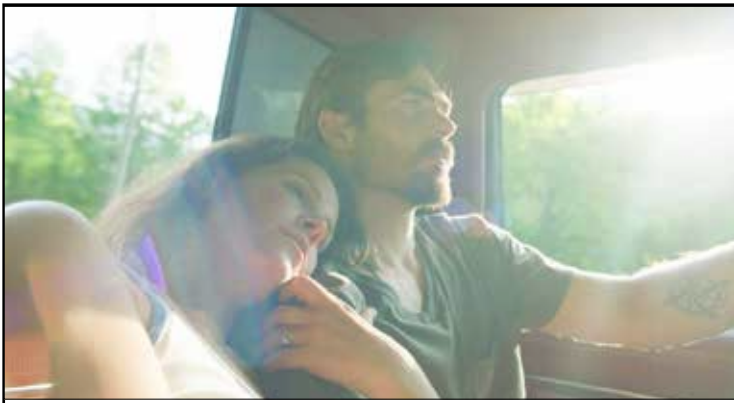


Lucky Winners (M)

Running Time: 103 minutes

The chance of winning the lottery is one in 19 million - less likely than being struck by lightning, they say. But for the characters of *Lucky Winners*, this dream quickly turns into an explosive and hilarious nightmare. This rollercoaster of a black comedy explores themes of sudden fortune and its unexpected consequences. An all-star ensemble cast brings this thrilling tale to life.

In French with English subtitles



Hazard (R16)

Running Time: 89 minutes

Hazard, directed by **Eddie Mensore**, unveils a haunting look at a mining town entangled in the grip of the opioid crisis. In this intense drama, Will, a reluctant drug dealer played by **Alex Roe**, fights to shield his family from the same devastating addiction that has ravaged their community. Despite his efforts, every choice threatens to pull him and his loved ones deeper into chaos. Co-starring **Sosie Bacon**, *Hazard* is a powerful portrayal of resilience and sacrifice, as Will must decide whether to succumb to the addiction he despises or rise above it to save his family.

Ladies Night

Ladies Night is kicking off 2025 with a relatable, flawed, and self-deprecating single woman - Bridget Jones. Back on screen for the fourth installment, *Bridget Jones: Mad About The Boy* will have you laughing and crying as she sets about looking for love in her 50's. So get the girls together to bid farwell Bridget in this final chapter . As always for one price you get your movie ticket, any drink & a **Kapiti** ice cream. If you buy your tickets early, you get them a little cheaper too!

Bridget Jones: Mad About The Boy (M)

Friday 11 April - 7.30pm

Tickets - \$24 in advance or \$26 on the door



LIVE EVENTS



New Zealand Dance Awards

Friday 4 April - Sunday 6 April 2025



Doyle Academy of Irish Dance The Easter Feis 2025

Saturday 12 April - Sunday 13 April 2025



Velocity Dance Competition

Tuesday 22 April 2025

AROUND THE WORLD IN 90 MINUTES



Around the World in 60 Minutes Operatunity

Wednesday 23 April - 11am

Embark on a global musical adventure with *Around the World in 90 Minutes*. Join our talented cast, led by **Ben, Marian**, and **Karl**, as they take you on a whirlwind journey through the captivating melodies of **Spain, France, the USA, Australia**, and even our very own Kiwiana songs. Experience diverse rhythms and enchanting harmonies from around the world, all in one unforgettable performance.

Please call **0508 266 237** or visit www.daytimeconcerts.co.nz to book tickets



Ben Ruegg - Album Launch

Saturday 3 May - 7pm

Ben Ruegg is ready to share new music with the world with his *'This Chaotic Sea'* album launch event. The set list will be wide and varied, but all original featuring an opening performance by **Thomas Coffey**.

General admission \$20 (additional fees may apply)
Tickets on sale now at www.eventfinda.co.nz

APRIL EVENT & FILM TIMETABLE

Wednesday 2 April	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Hazard Tinā Hard Truths
Thursday 3 April	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Tinā Bridget Jones: Mad About The Boy Anora
Wednesday 9 April	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Bridget Jones: Mad About The Boy Lucky Winners Hazard
Thursday 10 April	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Lucky Winners Hard Truths The Brutalist
Friday 11 April	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Tinā Anora Bridget Jones: Mad About The Boy - Ladies Night
Monday 14 April	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	Dogman A Minecraft Movie The Brutalist Tinā
Tuesday 15 April	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	10 Lives Dogman A Minecraft Movie Anora
Wednesday 16 April	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	A Minecraft Movie 10 Lives Dogman Hazard
Thursday 17 April	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	Dogman A Minecraft Movie 10 Lives Lucky Winners
Wednesday 23 April	11am	Operatunity presents Around the World in 90 Minutes
Thursday 24 April	10am 12.30pm 3pm 7.30pm	10 Lives Dogman The Brutalist A Minecraft Movie
Monday 28 April	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Lucky Winners Hazard Hard Truths
Tuesday 29 April	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Hard Truths Tinā Bridget Jones: Mad About The Boy
Wednesday 30 April	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Bridget Jones: Mad About The Boy Anora The Brutalist