

EVENT & FILM GUIDE – SEPTEMBER 2026



Spa Weekend (M)

Running Time: 97 minutes

In the spirit of *Bad Moms* and *The Hangover*, *Spa Weekend* is a hilarious and heartfelt comedy about four lifelong friends who realize that somewhere between careers, relationships, families and everyday responsibilities, they have forgotten how to take care of themselves and each other.

Burned out and overdue for a break, the women escape to a luxury spa retreat for what turns out to be an unforgettable weekend dedicated to fun, laughter, and a lot of really bad decisions.

Directed by **Jon Lucas** and **Scott Moore**.
Starring **Leslie Mann**, **Isla Fisher**, **Anna Faris** and **Michelle Buteau**.

Ladies Night screening Thursday 3rd September at 7.30pm



Lomu (Ex)

Running Time: 106 minutes

The world knew the legend. Few knew the man.

Lomu is a complex and nuanced portrait of **Jonah Lomu**, the most adored son of the **Pacific**, a legendary **All Black**, who transcended the game with his immense power and unstoppable determination.

More than a sports biography, this documentary is a **Pasifika** story of identity, faith, collective responsibility and vulnerability behind legend. **Jonah Lomu** emerges not only as a revolutionary athlete, but as a deeply human figure whose legacy reshaped rugby, expanded representation, and changed who the game belongs to forever.

TICKETS

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

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

From www.eventfinda.co.nz

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& Sons (M)

Running Time: 120 minutes

It's been almost 20 years since an 'incident' tore apart the Dyer home. An incident that has a name - Andy.

Andy's the reason his world-famous father, Andrew, no longer speaks to his adult age sons, nor to his ex-wife. Andrew is a novelist best known to the world as A.N. Dyer. His first book became a best-selling instant classic, creating a cult around its elusive author. Andrew wakes up one morning convinced that he is about to die. He needs to set right the major relationships of his life and so he summons his sons to be with him.

However, when his sons arrive, laden with their own problems, Andrew does not seek their forgiveness, as they expected, instead he tells them something so wild it couldn't possibly be true.

Or could it?



Young Washington (M)

Running Time: 121 minutes

A young **George Washington** faces war, betrayal, and the impossible choices that will forge a leader.

Before becoming the first president of the **United States**, the ambitious officer tests his honour, loyalty and courage in the **Revolutionary War**.

As alliances crumble and the frontier erupts into battle, he must confront not only his enemies, but the man he's becoming.

Introducing **William Franklyn-Miller** and also starring **Golden Globe®** winner **Mary-Louise Parker** (*Weeds*), **Golden Globe®** winner **Kelsey Grammer** (*Frasier*), **Golden Globe®** nominee **Andy Serkis** (*The Lord of the Rings*, *The Batman*), and **Academy Award®** winner **Ben Kingsley** (*Schindler's List*) this film explores the courage, sacrifice, and destiny that forged a legendary leader.



Round up the girls and get ready for the perfect night out! Join us for our **September Ladies Night** featuring *Spa Weekend* — a feel-good film packed with friendship, fun, laughter and plenty of holiday chaos.

Thursday 3rd September @ 7.30pm

Tickets - \$24 in advance or \$26 on the door (*tickets include any drink and a Kapiti ice cream*)

LIVE EVENTS



Dance Force NZ Competition

Friday 4 September - Sunday 6 September 2026

The 2nd **Auckland** competition for 2026, this event is for qualifying in the **Dance Force NZ** nationals for modern, tap, ballet and troupes.



Based on the DreamWorks Animation Motion Picture and the book by William Steig

Book and Lyrics by
DAVID LINDSAY-ABAIRE

Music by
JEANINE TESORI

Originally produced on Broadway by
DreamWorks Theatricals and Neal Street Productions

Shrek The Musical

Hawkins Youth Theatre Company

Wednesday 30 September - 11am

Thursday 1 October - 11am

Friday 2 October - 11am

Saturday 3 October - 7pm

Sunday 4 October - 2pm

Wednesday 7 October - 11am

Thursday 8 October - 11am

Friday 9 October - 7pm

Saturday 10 October - 2pm

Everyone's favourite ogre is back in the hilarious stage spectacle based on the **Oscar®**-winning, smash hit film.

"Once upon a time, there was a little ogre named *Shrek*..." And thus begins the tale of an unlikely hero who finds himself on a life-changing journey alongside a wisecracking Donkey and a feisty princess who resists her rescue. Throw in a short-tempered bad guy, a cookie with an attitude and over a dozen other fairy tale misfits, and you've got the kind of mess that calls for a real hero. Luckily, there's one on hand... and his name is *Shrek*.

Tickets available from the **Hawkins Theatre** website
www.hawkinstheatre.co.nz

General Admission

Adult \$29.50

Senior/Child \$23.50

Group 8+ \$23.50

Additional booking fees may apply

If you require a wheelchair space, please contact the Hawkins Office on 09 297 7712

SEPTEMBER EVENT & FILM TIMETABLE

Wednesday 2 September	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Spa Weekend & Sons Young Washington
Thursday 3 September	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Lomu Young Washington Spa Weekend - <i>Ladies Night</i>
Friday 4 September	From 6pm	Dance Force
Saturday 5 September	From 9am	Dance Force
Sunday 6 September	From 9am	Dance Force
Wednesday 9 September	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	& Sons Spa Weekend Lomu
Thursday 10 September	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Young Washington Lomu & Sons
Saturday 12 September	From 10am	INBA 4th PRO AM International Pacific Rim Championships
Tuesday 15 September	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	& Sons Young Washington Lomu
Wednesday 16 September	10am 12.30pm 7.30pm	Lomu & Sons Spa Weekend
Thursday 17 September	11.30am 6pm	Papakura Intermediate School production - Run It Back Papakura Intermediate School production - Run It Back
Saturday 19 September	From 9am	Auckland Irish Dancing Association
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