



22-24 November 2018
Dundee

36th Year
**"Inspiring outdoor
adventure"**

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Featuring
Anke Addy & Erlend Clouston
Cameron McNeish
Uisdean Hawthorn
Jenny Tough
Benedict Allen

plus
Four Film Programmes including the
Banff Mountain Film Festival World Tour
Displays and Exhibitions

Welcome to the 36th Dundee Mountain Film Festival (2018)

The Dundee Mountain Film Festival is the UK's longest continuous running mountain film festival. **"Inspiring Outdoor Adventure since 1983"** The Festival showcases an international programme of speakers, award winning films and exhibitions, held in the Abertay University, and Bonar Hall, Dundee. 2018 will present two evening programmes on 22nd and 23rd, and a full day, and evening programme on the 24th Nov, all featuring films and personal appearances. The 23rd and 24th will have a full supporting exhibition of art, photography, trade and voluntary organisations stands and displays. Be sure not to miss this outstanding opportunity to see, and hear remarkable stories of endurance, adventure, and exploration, meet friends and share the company of fellow outdoor enthusiasts.

ABERTAY UNIVERSITY, 40 Bell Street, Dundee. DD1 1HG Thursday (22nd) Eve Tickets £10

This special evening will celebrate the memory of prolific writer and poet Nan Shepherd particularly recognised for her novel "The Living Mountain" which reflects on her experiences whilst walking in the Cairngorms. Photographer Anke Addy, and journalist Erlend Clouston will illustrate, describe and discuss the legacy of Nan through their own knowledge and research into this remarkable lady.

BONAR HALL, Park Place, Dundee. DD1 4HN Friday (23rd) Eve Tickets £12

Seven of the best films from the Banff World Tour highlighting a variety of activities, some traditional some not, but all sure to excite the senses. Cameron McNeish, Scotlands ultimate hill man will reflect on over 40 years of prolific writing, presenting, and experiencing all that the mountains can offer.

BONAR HALL, Park Place, Dundee. DD1 4HN Saturday (24th) Morning Tickets £6

Wheels, boots, boards, or boats? All are linked to enjoying the outdoors, as this stimulating programme of films will illustrate. Scot, Uisdean Hawthorn has a remarkable record of winter climbing exploits, including numerous first ascents. Be inspired by descriptions of these as well as how he makes decisions and evaluates risk in these extreme environments.

BONAR HALL, Park Place, Dundee. DD1 4HN Saturday (24th) Afternoon Tickets £10

Long since seen as a dominant male activity the

challenges of the "montane" environment are nowadays enthusiastically tackled by all – proved in this emotion stirring film programme. Endurance challenger Jenny Tough will present a "world premiere" of tales from the South American leg of her expedition to run unsupported across a mountain range on every continent.

BONAR HALL, Park Place, Dundee. DD1 4HN Saturday (24th) Evening Tickets £15

The glories of enthusiasts days in the Scottish hills, the work of porters in the Andes, epics in wild unforgiving environments. Films for all. Benedict Allen - the ultimate explorer - will recount his most recent high profile trip to Papua New Guinea as well as sharing experiences of some of the most testing, but wonderfully inspiring, corners of the globe.

BONAR HALL, Park Place, Dundee. DD1 4HN Friday (23rd) Eve. Saturday (24th) All day Downstairs Foyer (Free admission)

Exhibitions of art and photography by Douglas Roulston and Anke Addy.

Ustinov Room (Free admission)

Trade and Voluntary Organisation stands will feature in the Ustinov Room catering for the interests of all outdoor activities and enthusiasts.

Upstairs Foyer (Free admission) Book sales and signings by the Speakers at the end of the programme in which they presented.

Main Sponsors



Front cover: Jenny Tough above Loch Ness - Kelvin Trautman.

Header: Kintail – Jenny Tough

Thursday Evening

22nd November

Thursday Evening Special Event

22nd November, 19.30, Tickets £10.00

Abertay University, 40 Bell Street, Dundee DD1 1HG

19.30 – **ANKE ADDY AND ERLEND CLOUSTON -**

21.30 **NAN SHEPHERD “THE LIVING MOUNTAIN”**

Nan Shepherd was a prolific writer, poet, and enthusiastic hill walker who through living in Deeside spent many days in the Cairngorms which inspired much of her work, particularly her non fiction novel “*The Living Mountain*” based on her own reflections of these mountains.

Nan’s nature writing resonated with acclaimed photographer Anke Addy’s own observations, and during 2017 she revisited many glens and mountains to capture the rich imagery of Shepherds book, resulting in a stunning series of photographs of Nan’s beloved Cairngorms.

Journalist Erlend Clouston knew Nan Shepherd “for the first 35 years of my life, and the last 35 of hers”, and subsequently became her literary executor. Anke and Erlend will celebrate Nans legacy with separate presentations followed by a joint audience participation discussion.



Nan Shepherd



Anke Addy



Erlend Clouston

Friday Evening

23rd November, Bonar Hall, DD1 4HN

Tickets £12.00

This evening's programme is presented in association with the Scottish Mountaineering Trust, and Slope Angel.

Banff Mountain Film Festival World Tour (Part 1)



19.00 **SURF THE LINE**

Film France 2016. 3 mins. Filmmaker - Hello Emotion
For The Flying Frenchies, thinking out of the box isn't a choice – it's a way of life!.

DUG OUT (Tour Edit)

Film UK 2017. 41 mins. Filmmaker - Benjamin Sadd Strong language Nudity
Ben and James travel to the Ecuadorian Amazon to learn from the indigenous community, how to build a canoe, then take that canoe on a journey. What could possibly go wrong?

JOHANNA

Film UK 2016. 4 mins. Filmmaker - Ian Derry, Archer's Mark.
For freediver Johanna Nordblad diving under the ice provides a surreal, calming environment that helps heal her injuries

KILIAN

Film Canada 2016. 14 mins. Filmmaker - Anthony Bonello
Kilian Jornet is considered the greatest mountain runner ever, but his new backyard is in Norway, where he attempts to ski and run the Seven Summits of Romsdalen in a single day.



INTERSECTION: MICAYLA GATTO

Film USA 2017. 5 mins. Filmmaker - Lacy Kemp, Juicy Studios.
Mountain biker Micayla Gatto takes the viewer into her world as a painter and athlete, riding through beautifully created masterpieces where colour and reality blends with art.

WHY

Film France 2016. 7 mins. Filmmaker - Hugo Clouzeau, We Are Hungry Nudity
A crew of French kayakers travel to Iceland where rivers plunge through bedrock gorges, and over massive waterfalls to ask the question, "Why? Why do we do this?"



IMAGINATION: TOM WALLISCH

Film Canada 2017. 5 mins. Filmmaker - Sherpas Cinema
A passenger in a car is wishing they were somewhere else. They imagine a skier on the side of the road, fingers commanding back flips and roof drops, improbable rail slides and huge airs. Well, what if the imagination came to life?

Interval 30 minutes: Exhibitions and Refreshments

21.02 – **CAMERON McNEISH – THERES ALWAYS THE HILLS**

22.14 Award winning writer and television presenter Cameron McNeish will reflect on a full life dedicated to mountaineering, hill-walking and long distance backpacking. A prolific author Cameron has for over forty years written for, and edited magazines, as well as presenting television programmes about walking and climbing. In addition he has led numerous treks to the Greater Ranges of the world, all of which has resulted in him meeting many of the greatest characters of the mountaineering world. The ups and downs of this wealth of experiences will be candidly recalled in Camerons own inimitable style.



Saturday Morning

24th November, Bonar Hall, DD1 4HN

Tickets £6.00

This mornings programme is presented in association with The Grampian Club

09.30 GREEN KAYAK CHALLENGE

Film UK 2017. 4 mins. Director - Stefan Morrocco.

Find a 50-year-old handcrafted kayak stored in Alyth since the 1960s, but still in good shape, then take it down the Tay - longest river in Scotland. Challenging!.

RAMSAYS ROUND

Film UK 2017. 21 mins. Directors Claire Macleod, Dave Macleod.

Ultra-marathon runner Alicia Hudelson embarks upon one of Scotland's toughest long distance challenges - 24 Scottish mountains, 28,000 feet of ascent, in 24 hours.



BREAKING FREE

Film UK 2018. 17 mins. Director - Stefan Morrocco.

Skiers in Scottish backcountry explore how they process and manage perceived and actual risk and how they use this time to break free from the modern digital world.

ONE OFF THE BUCKET LIST

Film UK 2018. 11mins.

Director - Murray Wilkie.

2018 saw some of the best summer weather in years, so the time to head for Ben Nevis in perfect conditions and set about lightening the bucket list.



WOMEN UP

Film UK, 2017. 3 mins. Director – Katrina Brown

A moving account of one woman's courageous journey from confirmed 'non-sporty girl' to mountain bike outdoor adventure-lover.

Interval 30 minutes: Exhibitions and Refreshments

THE IRVINE BUTTERFIELD MEMORIAL LECTURE

11.05 – UISDEAN HAWTHORN –
12.19 THE CUILLIN RIDGE TO INDIA.

Scot Uisdean is best known for his winter climbing and Alpine exploits including the first winter ascent in the Cairngorms of the Messiah, a mighty grade X. Abroad his activities have included the North Face of Mount Alberta, Hyper Couloir and Divine Providence on Mont Blanc, and the American Direct on the Dru, as well as new routes in Alaska and India. Uisdean will not only describe, the expedition to the India Himalaya in September 2018, and his recent remarkable winter traverse of the Cuillin Ridge, but delve into how he makes decisions and evaluates risk in these extreme environments.



Saturday Afternoon

24th November, Bonar Hall, DD1 4HN

Tickets £10.00

The Banff Mountain Film Festival World Tour (Part 2).

BANFF
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WORLD TOUR

14.00 **ICE CALL - BACKYARDS PROJECT - SAM FAVRET**

Film France 2016. 3 mins. Filmmaker - PVS Company.

Try to keep up with freerider Sam Favret as he gives us a new perspective of the mythical Mer de Glace, at the heart of Mont-Blanc.

THE FROZEN ROAD

Film UK 2017. 24 mins Filmmaker - Ben Page

Ben Page sought an adventure in the Canadian Arctic, but travelling in such an environment was a long way from the romanticisms of a Jack London novel.

WHERE THE WILD THINGS PLAY

Film USA 2017. 4 mins. Filmmaker - Krystle Wright

It's asked why there aren't more females enjoying adventure activities. Well lets find out where the wild things do play.

EDGES

Film USA 2016. 9 mins. Filmmaker - Katie Stjernholm, Balcony Nine Media

At the splendid age of 90, Yvonne Dowlen has been ice skating for as long as she can remember. Edges is a celebration of a life lived well.

DREAMRIDE 2

Film USA 2017. 6 mins. Filmmaker - Mike Hopkins, Juicy Studios Website:

Cycle along as we traverse volcanic fields, explore hidden lava caves, and race down rivers of ice. Poetic, artistic, inspiring.

STUMPED

Film USA 2017. 25 mins. Filmmakers - Cedar Wright & Taylor Keating

Strong language

Maureen Beck has never let the fact that she is missing her lower left arm hold her back from climbing. She doesn't want to be considered a good one-armed climber, or even a good female climber. . . she just wants to be a plain good climber.



Interval 30 minutes: Exhibitions and Refreshments

15.51 – **JENNY TOUGH – GO FIND AN ADVENTURE**

17.02

Described as an endurance and adventure challenger Jenny Tough has completed a range of expeditions and extreme challenges across six continents. In 2016 she set herself the mighty objective to run, solo and unsupported, across a mountain range on every continent, in a series of six world first expeditions. Having run across Kyrgyzstan and Morocco and most recently South America Jenny is now half way towards her goal. By sharing enthralling tales of this South American "leg" of her massive undertaking, Jenny hopes to encourage others to go out and find their own adventures. An unmissable "world premiere" presentation.



Saturday Evening

24th November Bonar Hall DD1 4HN

Tickets £15.00

This evening's programme is presented in association with Tiso, and the Dundee Mountain Club.



19.00 A NORDIC SKATER

Film Lithuania 2018. 5 mins. Director - Paulius Neverbickas

This is the very first film about the little known sport of Nordic skating - a Scandinavian style cross-country ice skating on frozen lakes and fjords.

GONJ(Bee)

Film Iran 2017. 8 mins. Director - Arman Gholipourdashtaki

Three mountaineers in their quest for an elixir. Intriguing.

CARRIED AWAY - A PORTERS STORY

Film UK 2017. 17 mins. Director - Olly Pemberton

This film showcases the amazing work that Peruvian porters do on the Inca Trail by highlighting that they are so much more than a means to carry a bag through the beauty of the South American Andes.



URUCA 2

Film Canada 2017. 8 mins. Director -

Erick Grigorovski

Two friends are back on a remote spire in the middle of glaciers to face all the challenges of alpine climbing - wet or frozen rock, frigid ever changing weather, and vivid inner demons!

LA GRAVE

Film Switzerland 2018. 18 mins. Director Etienne Mérel

Discover this ski freeriding area, almost mythical with its holy reputation; and awe-inspiring location amongst wild dangerous terrain, representing a very special type of freedom.

RIGHT TO ROAM

Film UK 2017. 17 mins. Directors - David Cleeland, Alex Yoder

A weave through Scotland, exploring how personal accountability allows for universal land access, and enjoyment of the bothies that assist mountain folks to rove freely.



Interval 30 minutes: Exhibitions and Refreshments

20.53 – BENEDICT ALLEN – 22.05 ULTIMATE EXPLORER



Explorer Benedict Allen will tell the whole unvarnished truth of his most recent adventure – a solo expedition to Papua New Guinea, during which he filmed his journey to visit a community he had befriended thirty years earlier – when he hit the headlines after failing to turn up for a flight to Hong Kong, prompting his friends and family, and eventually the world media, to become concerned for his wellbeing. Benedict will recall the highs and lows of this awe-inspiring trip, as well as telling exhilarating tales from his life as an explorer, showing never before seen material from his travels across the globe.



Information and ticket details

VENUES: 22nd Nov 2018: Abertay University, 40 Bell Street, Dundee DD1 1HG
23rd, 24th Nov 18: Bonar Hall, Park Place, Dundee DD1 4HN.

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is a registered Scottish charity No SC 029267, and is a Member of the International Alliance for Mountain Film. Anyone wishing to support the Festival is invited to contact the Festival via one of the options above. There will be a prize raffle on Friday and Saturday evenings and voting for the People's Choice Film Award.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

Patron: **Chris Tiso.**

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The Festival Committee gratefully acknowledges the assistance of **Avertical World**, and **Craigdon Mountain Sports**.

DMFF reserves the right to amend the programme and no refund will be given other than in exceptional circumstances related to the Festival, at the discretion of the Festival Committee.

TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE FROM:

- **Tiso**, 22/24 Whitehall Street, Dundee, DD1 4AF
Tel 01382 221153
- **Avertical World**, 7/11 Blinshall Street, Dundee, DD1 5DF Tel 01382 201901
- **Craigdon Mountain Sports**, 25/29 Kinnoull Street, Perth, PH1 5EZ Tel 01738 631006
- **Tiso Perth Outdoor Experience**, Unit 1, Highland Gateway, Inveralmond, Perth, PH1 3EE Tel: 01738 634464
- **By post:** Application form below.
- **At the door during the Festival** (subject to availability)
- **Online** : www.dundeemountainfilm.org.uk and follow links (An admin fee will apply)

At the Saturday morning and afternoon sessions only, **children under 5 will be free, 12 and under will be half price.** These concessions only available at the door.



TICKET APPLICATION FORM

Please send this application form to:- **DMFF, 51 Pitairlie Road, Newbigging, Dundee, DD5 3RH, Tel 01382 370315.**

.....	Tickets for Thursday Evening 22nd November	£10
.....	Tickets for Friday Evening, 23rd November	£12
.....	Tickets for Saturday Morning, 24th November	£6
.....	Tickets for Saturday Afternoon, 24th November	£10
.....	Tickets for Saturday Evening, 24th November	£15
.....	Combined Friday 23rd / Saturday 24th November Ticket	£37

I enclose a cheque for £ _____ payable to **Dundee Mountain Film Festival**, along with a stamped addressed envelope (**PLEASE PRINT**).

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