



CHIDHAM & HAMBROOK FILM SOCIETY

SPRING SEASON 2012



Friday Jan 27th GREAT WHITE SILENCE

Beautifully restored and remastered documentary footage of Scott's doomed trip to the South Pole can finally be seen on the big screen. The story of the expedition – which led to the deaths in 1912 of Scott and his four colleagues is one of the most poignant episodes in the history of British exploration- captured in this astonishing film record by official photographer Herbert Ponting.

He filmed almost every aspect of the expedition: the scientific work, life in camp and the local wildlife, including the preparations for the assault on the Pole - from the trials of the caterpillar track sledges to clothing and cooking equipment - giving us a real sense of the challenges faced by the expedition.



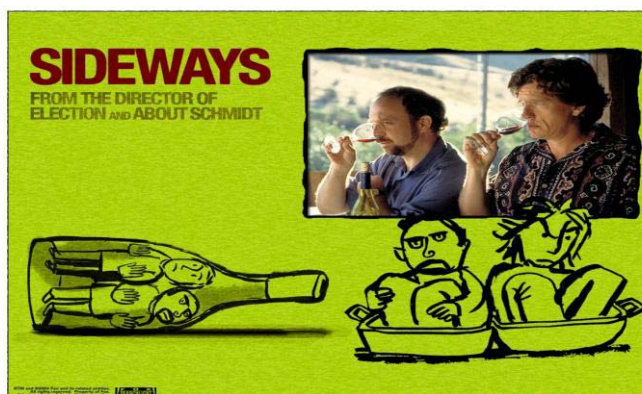
Friday Feb 24th TINKER TAILOR SOLDIER SPY

In the bleak days of the Cold War, espionage veteran George Smiley is forced from semi-retirement to uncover a Soviet agent within MI6's echelons. This new adaptation of John le Carré's novel is a brilliant study of the disenchantment, compromise and tension of the 1970s spy game .

Naturally, some episodes from the book and TV series don't make it into the film, but it's remarkable how much remains, often secured by a sly glance here or quick image there. Anyone not familiar with the book or series might find the final uncovering of the mole – a door swings open and there he is – underwhelming. But that's exactly as Le Carré had it

.It features a superb performance from Gary Oldman as Smiley along with a first-rate supporting cast, including John Hurt and Colin Firth.(cert 15)

Nominated in 10 categories for the 2012 BAFTA's



Friday Mar 23rd SIDEWAYS (cert 15)

Sideways is beautifully written and terrifically acted. This BAFTA and OSCAR winning film follows two middle aged men with not much to show but disappointment, as they embark on a week long road trip through California's wine country to celebrate one's upcoming nuptials. The pair have very different agendas. Miles wants to teach his friend about his passion for wine that has taken over his life. But all Jack is hoping for is some bedroom action with local women before he has to tie the knot Their adventures make for a brilliantly funny comedy about friendship, love, regret and the joys of wine drinking. Stars Paul Giamatti



Friday April 27th WHITE SQUALL (cert 12)

White Squall is a daring and dramatic film about the passage of a group of young boys who come of age during their adventures at sea.

It is the true story of a ship school called the "Albatross." run by the captain, Christopher "Skipper" Sheldon and his wife. In the year of 1960, the couple took aboard eight teenage boys from around the country for eight months of learning how to sail, be a crew, and respect one another. the crew goes through hard times and more laid-back times, but they must come together when a freak storm gets them in trouble in the middle of the ocean. Jeff Bridges stars in this thrilling white- knuckle adventure directed by Ridley Scott

Films shown in Chidham & Hambrook Village Hall

Doors open 7.30pm Film 8pm

Refreshments on sale

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