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Weekday Matinee \$5 Movies & \$14 Movie/Lunch Combo Offered at The State Theatre

The Silver Screens Matinee Series Brings Movies for Seniors to Halsey Auditorium

Culpeper, VA, May 31, 2016 — Attention Piedmont region Seniors (55+) and all who love Baby Boomer generation films! The State Theatre of Culpeper (the Premier Venue of the Virginia Piedmont) is pleased to announce its launch of the [Silver Screens Matinee Series](#)! This series will offer full length movies in the beautiful, historic, and air-conditioned Halsey Auditorium, TWO Tuesdays each month at 12:30pm this summer. A movie plus lunch combo is also offered and catered by Culpeper's Grill 309 restaurant with advanced reservation through the theatre.

Silver Screens Matinee movie tickets are \$5 per person, and movie + lunch combo tickets are \$14 per person. While the movie itself is offered as a walk-up event, the movie + lunch combo ticket must be purchased in advance, no later than 12:00pm the day before. Either ticket option may be purchased online at www.culpepertheatre.org or at The State Theatre Box Office, Wednesday thru Saturday from 10am-2pm, and 1 hour prior to each event.

Silver Screens Matinee : *The Bucket List*

Tuesday, June 7, 12:30pm, Halsey Auditorium, The State Theatre

Academy Award winners Jack Nicholson and Morgan Freeman star in this comedy drama, directed by Rob Reiner, a touching, no-holds-barred adventure that shows it's never too late to live life to its fullest—The Bucket List. One man was smart enough to go to college, but has worked his entire life as a mechanic; the other owns the hospital in which they are both patients. But these two men with little time left and even less to lose, discover that life can be deeply moving and definitely hilarious.

Silver Screens Matinee : *The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel*

Tuesday, June 21, 12:30pm, Halsey Auditorium, The State Theatre

The film follows a group of British retirees (including Evelyn (Judi Dench), Muriel (Maggie Smith), Douglas (Bill Nighy), and Graham (Tom Wilkinson)) who decide to "outsource" their retirement to less expensive

and seemingly exotic India. Enticed by advertisements for the newly restored Marigold Hotel and bolstered with visions of a life of leisure; they arrive to find the palace a shell of its former self. Though the new environment is less luxurious than imagined; they are forever transformed by their shared experiences; discovering that life and love can begin again when you let go of the past.

“Come and enjoy this beautiful historic building, an air-conditioned atmosphere, and a gorgeous and comfortable theater – with a great movie to boot!” says Tara Moylan of The State Theatre. “We are thrilled to offer a selection of weekday matinee films focusing on stories for and about the Baby Boomer generation, which all will enjoy. The first up will be *The Bucket List* and the second will be *The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel* – stay tuned to see what movies The State Theatre will offer all summer long.”

Call the Box Office at (540) 829-0292 with any questions.

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The State Theatre of Culpeper

“We have your tickets waiting!”

Settled along Main Street, Culpeper, and tucked into the heart of the Virginia Piedmont, the State Theatre stands firm in its vision to “Showcase the Arts to Everyone!”, and in a way that captures the passions and interests of the entire regional community. With a rich history dating back to 1938, the State Theatre has been renovated, preserved and enhanced, and today boasts a beautiful 493-seat live theatre, with contemporary and restored historic features, and is listed on the State and National Registers of Historic Places. The State Theatre is home to more than 150 educational and entertaining events every year, for all ages and all walks of life, and strives to bring the arts to every resident of the Virginia Piedmont in an inclusive, accessible and sustainable way! For more information, visit www.culpepertheatre.org or on Facebook at www.facebook.com/StateTheatreFoundation/events.