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International Sales Catalogue
Autumn / Winter 2024

LIVE-ACTION LINE UP

SHOWTIME 7

Suspense, Thriller / Running time TBD / 2025 / Japanese / In Production

Director/Writer:

Kazutaka Watanabe
("Rohan at the Louvre", NHK drama
"Naotora: The Lady Warlord")

Starring:

Hiroshi Abe
("THERMAE ROMAE", "Still
Walking", "Godzilla 2000: Millennium")

Original Film:

"The Terror, Live"
(2013, Korea, Dir. Kim Byung-woo)

Distribution by: Shochiku Co., Ltd. & Asmik Ace, Inc.

Extremely Tense, Singular Situation

100 minutes in real time. Immersive-like nonstop entertainment.

Shinnosuke Orimoto, a former popular TV anchor who was relegated to an affiliated radio station, is broadcasting a boring program as usual. When he takes a call from a listener, the listener doesn't answer his question. As Orimoto tries to ignore and hang up the call, the listener threatens to blow up a nearby power plant. Orimoto assumes it's just a prank and hangs up. But soon after, the power plant, visible from a nearby window, explodes with a loud bang. The threat was real.

Orimoto sees the sudden threatening phone call from the culprit as a great opportunity to make a comeback as an anchor. He decides to broadcast the entire negotiation with the terrorists live. He contacts Shoji, the producer of "Showtime" the flagship TV program he used to anchor, and persuades him to let him broadcast the program himself. Orimoto connects the Showtime broadcast to the radio booth, and the call comes in again. What is the criminal's purpose? An exclusive live broadcast with the terrorist begins.



MARU

Drama, Mystery / 117min. / 2024 / Japanese / Completed

Director/Writer:

Naoko Ogigami
("Seagull Diner/Kamome Diner",
"Close-Knit", "Rilakkuma and Kaoru")

Starring:

Tsuyoshi Domoto
(A member of KinKi Kids
"The Kindaichi Case Files", "GINTAMA2")

Co-Starring:

Go Ayano
("Hard Days", "Let's Go Karaoke!",
"Tokyo Swindlers")

Music:

.ENDRECHERI./Tsuyoshi Domoto

Produced by: Asmik Ace, Inc.

Distribution by: Asmik Ace, Inc.

Are you real or fake? Are you happy or unhappy?

Welcome to the mysterious world presented by Naoko Ogigami.

Noboru Sawada, forty-four years old.

An art college graduate, not only himself but even those around him once did not doubt his talent and potential, but he has lost such feelings and now works as an assistant in the studio of a charismatic contemporary artist.

One day, he is involved in a motorcycle accident and is fired from the studio. He devotes to do the painting at his shabby apartment and draws a large "O" (circle) on a canvas. After he brings the "O" to a strange antique shop and has it installed, his life starts to be invaded by the existence of "O".



Tomorrow in the Finder

Drama / 104min. / 2024 / Japanese / Completed

Director:

Jun Akiyama
("Tokumei tantei", "Toshi densetsu no onna", "Soul at Twenty")

Writer:

Yuriko Nakai ("Saitama kazoku", "Tottemo Ghost", "Soul at Twenty")

Starring:

Sei Hiraizumi ("Soul at Twenty", "My Small Land")

Masaya Sano
a member of Ae! group

Original Manga by:

"Ashita wo tsuzuru shashinkan" by Risa Aruta (Published by KADOKAWA)

Distribution by: Asmik Ace, Inc.

**Everyone has "regrets" in our life.
There is still something we can do.**

Samejima is a quiet photographer who runs an old photo studio. Taichi is an up-and-coming photographer who is fascinated by Samejima's photograph and asks him to become his mentor by leaving behind a spectacular career. Taichi who avoids even communications with his family cannot hide his surprise at Samejima's deep involvement and careful interacts with each of his clients. Taichi is pushed around by Samejima's hard working to help people with their problems and he begins to realize what he lacks.

At the same time, he learns that Samejima and his family have "regrets" that they have been turning away from. The step toward a future without regrets which Taichi who is ever-changing takes. The unexpected miracle that follows is sure to bring tears to the eyes—.



80歳にして初主演「平泉成」×期待の次世代俳優「佐野晶哉」

平泉成、佐野晶哉、高島雅也、田中健、高橋克典、田中健、林田岬優、佐藤浩市、吉原英智子、高橋克典、田中健、林田岬優、黒木瞳、市川右太衛門

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Rohan at the Louvre

Drama, Mystery / 119min. / 2023 / Japanese / Completed

Director:

Kazutaka Watanabe (NHK taiga drama "Naotora: The Lady Warlord", NHK morning drama "Mare")

Writer:

Yasuko Kobayashi (Anime "Jojo's Bizarre Adventure" series, Anime "Rohan Kishibe")

Starring:

Issey Takahashi
"Shin Godzilla", "Whisper of the Heart"

Original Manga by:

Hirohiko Araki "Rohan at the Louvre"
(Published by: Shueisha Inc.)

Distribution by: Asmik Ace, Inc.

***A masterpiece spinoff of the legendary manga
"JOJO'S BIZARRE ADVENTURE" into live-action movie.***

Manga artist Rohan Kishibe has a special ability, to read people like book quite literally. He can read to gain information and he write into the pages to restrict peoples actions or control them.

When he was young, he heard rumors of "The darkest painting" from a woman who had a faint.

As time passed, Rohan, in the process of writing his new work, learned that the painting was in the collection of the Louvre, and he visits France for research and a faint longing for his past.

Finally, Rohan confronts the truth of the darkest and the most vicious painting ever existed.





You Made My Dawn

Romance, Drama / 100min. / 2023 / Japanese / Completed

Director/Writer:

Mai Sakai
("My Beautiful Man")

Writer:

Lee Nawon
("Tomorrow I Will Be Someone's
Girlfriend")

Starring:

Ruki Shiroiwa
(JO1)
Rinka Kumada
(Seventeen model)

Original Novel:

"Yoga aketara, ichiban ni ainiiku"
by Shiomi Natsue
(Published by Starts Publishing
Corporation)

Distribution by: Asmik Ace, Inc.

Produced by: Asmik Ace, Inc.

"The world is mine, and it is yours too."

***Heart warming love romance, capturing the world that had been
changed by COVID. Based on the bestseller young adult novel!***

Akane is an "A student" at her high school class.

Everyone in her class loves her except one person, Seiji.

Seiji is too honest and open enough to say "I don't like you" to Akane.

Still, Akane feels something different about him.

After all, Akane was pretending to be an "A student" to hide her dark past.

But being seen right through by Seiji, Akane sees the world completely differently and everything starts to change...

LIVE-ACTION **LIBRARY LINE UP**



Call Me Chihiro

Drama

Running Time: 131min.
 Production Year: 2023
 Director: Rikiya Imaizumi
 Starring: Kasumi Arimura

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xxxHOLiC

Dark Fantasy

Running Time: 110min.
 Production Year: 2022
 Director: Mika Ninagawa
 Starring: Ryunosuke Kamiki
 Ko Shibasaki
 Hokuto Matsumura

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Missing

Suspense, Thriller

Running Time: 123min.
 Production Year: 2022
 Director: Shinzo Katayama
 Starring: Jiro Sato
 Aoi Ito
 Hiroya Shimizu

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LIAR x LIAR

Love Romance, Comedy

Running Time: 117min.
 Production Year: 2021
 Director: Saiji Yakumo
 Starring: Hokuto Matsumura
 Nana Mori

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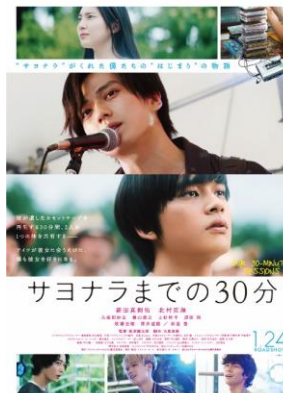


ORA, ORA BE GOIN' ALONE

Drama

Running Time: 137min.
Production Year: 2020
Director: Shuichi Okita
Starring: Yuko Tanaka
Yu Aoi

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Our 30-Minute Sessions

Drama, Music, Love Romance

Running Time: 114min.
Production Year: 2020
Director: Kentaro Hagiwara
Starring: Mackenyu Arata
Takumi Kitamura

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NO LONGER HUMAN

Drama, Love Romance

Running Time: 120min.
Production Year: 2019
Director: Mika Ninagawa
Starring: Shun Oguri
Rie Miyazawa
Erika Sawajiri
Fumi Nikaido

©2019 "No Longer Human" Film Partners



A LONG GOODBYE

Family Drama

Running Time: 127min.
Production Year: 2019
Director: Ryota Nakano
Starring: Yu Aoi
Yuko Takeuchi
Chieko Matsubara
Tutomu Yamazaki

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SIBLINGS OF THE CAPE

Drama

Running Time: 89min.
Production Year: 2019
Director: Shinzo Katayama
Starring: Yuya Matsuura,
Misa Wada,
Masayasu Kitayama

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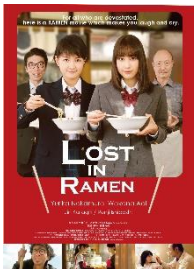


YOU, I LOVE

Love Romance

Running Time: 100min.
Production Year: 2018
Director: Yuichi Sato
Starring: Sho Hirano,
Hinako Sakurai

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Based on the original novel "UI LOVE. -UIUSHI KOI NO DANASHI-" by Yukimo Hoshimori, published by Shogakukan Inc.



Lost in Ramen

Drama

Running Time: 100min.
Production Year: 2018
Director: Yuki Kumagai
Starring: Yurika Nakamura,
Wakana Aoi

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AESOP'S GAME

Drama

Running Time: 87min.
Production Year: 2019
Director: Shinichiro Ueda
(One Cut of the Dead=Director)
Yuya Nakaizumi
(One Cut of the Dead=Assistant
Director)
Naoya Asanuma
(One Cut of the Dead=Still)

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LOUDER! Can't Hear What You're Singin', Wimp!

Comedy, Love Romance

Running Time: 106min.
Production Year: 2018
Director: Satoshi Miki
Starring: Sadao Abe,
Riho Yoshioka

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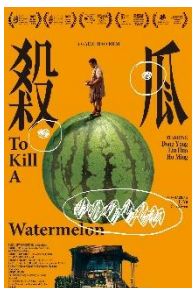


LOVE x DOC

Love Romance, Comedy

Running Time: 114min.
Production Year: 2018
Director: Osamu Suzuki
Starring: Shuhei Nomura,
Ryoko Hirotsue,
Hiroschi Tamaki

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TO KILL A WATERMELON

Drama

Running Time: 88min.
Production Year: 2017
Director: Gao Ze Hao
Starring: Dong Yong,
Hu Ming,
Liu Hua



Hello, Goodbye

Drama

Running Time: 80min.
Production Year: 2017
Director: Takeo Kikuchi
Starring: Minori Hagiwara,
Sayu Kubota,
Masako Motai

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The 100th Love with You

Love Romance

Running Time: 116min.
Production Year: 2017
Director: Sho Tsukikawa
Starring: miwa,
Kentaro Sakaguchi

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The Scythian Lamb

Suspense

Running Time: 126min.
Production Year: 2018
Director: Daihachi Yoshida
Starring: Ryo Nishikido,
Ryuhei Matsuda

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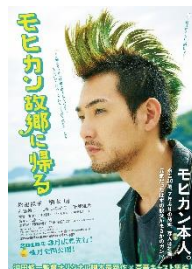


Our Meal for Tomorrow

Love Romance

Running Time: 109min.
Production Year: 2017
Director: Masahide Ichii
Starring: Yuto Nakajima,
Yuko Araki

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The Mohican Comes Home

Drama, Comedy

Running Time: 125min.
Production Year: 2016
Director: Shuichi Okita
Starring: Ryuhei Matsuda,
Akira Emoto,
Atsuko Maeda

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Crying Clown's Wedding

Love Romance, Drama

Running Time: 88min.
 Production Year: 2016
 Director: Osamu Minorikawa
 Starring: Mirai Shida,
 Ryo Ryusei

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Flightless Bird & Merry-Go-Round

Love Romance, Comedy

Running Time: 78min.
 Production Year: 2015
 Director: Yusuke Ichikawa
 Starring: Maya Okano,
 Ryo Narita

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Love & Peace

Drama, Fantasy

Running Time: 117min.
 Production Year: 2015
 Director: Sion Sono
 Starring: Hiroki Hasegawa,
 Kumiko Aso

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MAESTRO!

Drama

Running Time: 129min.
 Production Year: 2015
 Director: Syoutarou Kobayashi
 Starring: Tori Matsuzaka,
 Toshiyuki Nishida,
 miwa

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Have a Song on Your Lips

Drama

Running Time: 132min.
 Production Year: 2015
 Director: Takahiro Miki
 Starring: Yui Aragaki

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 Iwamoto Metal Co., Ltd./KDDI CORPORATION/GYAO Corporation ©2015 Eichi Nakata/ Shogakukan



A DROP OF THE GRAPEVINE

Drama

Running Time: 117min.
 Production Year: 2014
 Director: Yukiko Mishima
 Starring: Yo Oizumi

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Princess Jellyfish

Love Romance, Comedy

Running Time: 126min.
Production Year: 2014
Director: Taisuke Kawamura
Starring: Rena Nounen

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Helter Skelter

Suspense

Running Time: 127min.
Production Year: 2012
Director: Mika Ninagawa
Starring: Erika Sawajiri

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Dreams for Sale

Drama

Running Time: 137min.
Production Year: 2012
Director: Miwa Nishikawa
Starring: Takako Matsu, Sadawo Abe

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Bread of Happiness

Drama

Running Time: 114min.
Production Year: 2012
Director: Yukiko Mishima
Starring: Tomoyo Harada, Yo Oizumi

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Cheers from Heaven

Drama

Running Time: 114min.
Production Year: 2011
Director: Makoto Kumazawa
Starring: Hiroshi Abe

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Tada's Do-it-all House

Drama, Comedy

Running Time: 123min.
Production Year: 2011
Director: Tatsushi Omori
Starring: Eita, Ryuhei Matsuda

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High School Debut

Love Romance

Running Time: 93min.
Production Year: 2011
Director: Tsutomu Hanabusa
Starring: Junpei Mizobata,
Ito Ono

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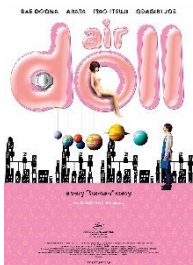


A CROWD OF THREE

Drama

Running Time: 131min.
Production Year: 2010
Director: Tatsushi Omori
Starring: Shota Matsuda,
Kengo Kora,
Sakura Ando

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AIR DOLL

Love Romance, Fantasy

Running Time: 116min.
Production Year: 2009
Director: Hirokazu Kore-eda
Starring: Bae Doona,
ARATA

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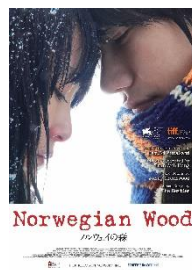


SOLANIN

Drama

Running Time: 126min.
Production Year: 2010
Director: Takahiro Miki
Starring: Aoi Miyazaki,
Kengo Kora

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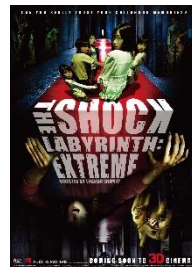


NORWEGIAN WOOD

Love Romance, Drama

Running Time: 133min.
Production Year: 2010
Director: Tran Anh Hung
Starring: Kenichi Matsuyama,
Rinko Kikuchi

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THE SHOCK LABYRINTH

Horror

Running Time: 89min.
Production Year: 2009
Director: Takashi Shimizu
Starring: Yuya Yagira,
Misako Renbutsu

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Dear Doctor

Drama

Running Time: 127min.
 Production Year: 2009
 Director: Miwa Nishikawa
 Starring: Tsurube Shofukutei,
 Eita

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HEAVEN'S DOOR

Drama

Running Time: 106min.
 Production Year: 2009
 Director: Michael Arias
 Starring: Tomoya Nagase,
 Mayuko Fukuda

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Gravity's Clowns

Drama

Running Time: 119min.
 Production Year: 2009
 Director: Junichi Mori
 Starring: Ryo Kase,
 Masaki Okada

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A man on the verge at a BLACK company

Drama, Comedy

Running Time: 104min.
 Production Year: 2009
 Director: Yuichi Satoh
 Starring: Tepei Koike

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It's on me

Drama

Running Time: 110min.
 Production Year: 2009
 Director: Yoshimitsu Morita
 Starring: Koyuki

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The Handsome Suit

Drama

Running Time: 115min.
 Production Year: 2008
 Director: Tsutomu Hanabusa
 Starring: Shosuke Tanihara,
 Muga Tsukaji

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The Witch of the West is Dead

Drama

Running Time: 115min.
Production Year: 2008
Director: Shunichi Nagasaki
Starring: Sachi Parker,
Mayu Takahashi

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Welcome to The Quiet Room

Drama, Comedy

Running Time: 118min.
Production Year: 2007
Director: Suzuki Matsuo
Starring: Yuki Uchida

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TALK, TALK, TALK

Drama, Love Romance

Running Time: 109min.
Production Year: 2007
Director: Hideyuki Hirayama
Starring: Taichi Kokubun

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SAKURAN

Drama, Love Romance

Running Time: 111min.
Production Year: 2007
Director: Mika Ninagawa
Starring: Anna Tsuchiya

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A GENTLE BREEZE IN THE VILLAGE

Love Romance

Running Time: 121min.
Production Year: 2007
Director: Nobuhiro Yamashita
Starring: Kaho,
Masaki Okada

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Honey and Clover

Love Romance

Running Time: 116min.
Production Year: 2006
Director: Masahiro Takada
Starring: Sho Sakurai,
Yu Aoi

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THE MAMIYA BROTHERS

Drama, Comedy

Running Time: 119min.
Production Year: 2006
Director: Yoshimitsu Morita
Starring: Kuranosuke Sasaki,
Muga Tsukaji

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The Professor and His Beloved Equation

Drama

Running Time: 117min.
Production Year: 2006
Director: Takashi Koizumi
Starring: Akira Terao,
Eri Fukatsu

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La Maison de Himiko

Drama

Running Time: 131min.
Production Year: 2005
Director: Isshin Inudo
Starring: Joe Odagiri,
Ko Shibasaki

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Yaji and Kita - The Midnight Pilgrims

Drama, Comedy

Running Time: 124min.
Production Year: 2005
Director: Kankuro Kudo
Starring: Tomoya Nagase,
Shichinosuke Nakamura

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Until The Lights Come Back

Drama, Love Romance

Running Time: 132min.
Production Year: 2005
Director: Takashi Minamoto
Starring: Etsushi Toyokawa

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KOI NO MON - Otakus in Love

Love Romance, Comedy

Running Time: 114min.
Production Year: 2004
Director: Suzuki Matsuo
Starring: Ryuhei Matsuda,
Wakana Sakai

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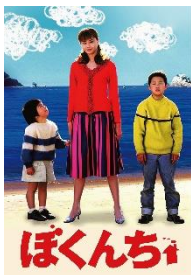


THIRTY LIES OR SO

Comedy, Suspense

Running Time: 100min.
Production Year: 2004
Director: Kentaro Otani
Starring: Kippei Shiina,
Miki Nakatani,
Satoshi Tsumabuki

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Bokunchi - My House

Drama

Running Time: 115min.
Production Year: 2003
Director: Junji Sakamoto
Starring: Arisa Mizuki,
Yuma Yamoto,
Yuki Tanaka

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Letter from the Mountain

Drama

Running Time: 128min.
Production Year: 2002
Director: Takashi Koizumi
Starring: Akira Terao,
Kanakano Higuchi

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JOSEE, THE TIGER AND THE FISH

Drama, Love Romance

Running Time: 116min.
Production Year: 2003
Director: Isshin Inudo
Starring: Satoshi Tsumabuki,
Chizuru Ikekawi

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Ping Pong

Drama

Running Time: 114min.
Production Year: 2002
Director: Fumihiko Sori
Starring: Yosuke Kubozuka

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WHEN THE RAIN LIFTS

Drama

Running Time: 91min.
Production Year: 2000
Director: Takashi Koizumi
Starring: Akira Terao,
Yoshiko Miyazaki

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ANIMATION LINE UP

ウオケガク。
2025年 劇場アニメ化!



Hyakuemu.

Drama, Sports / Running time TBA / 2025 / Japanese / In Production



Director:

Kenji Iwaisawa
("On-Gaku: Our Sound")

Character Designer/Animation Supervisor:

Keisuke Kojima ("One Punch Man")

Animation Studio: ROCK'N ROLL MOUNTAIN ("On-Gaku: Our Sound")

Based on the manga "Hyakuemu." by Uoto (Kodansha)

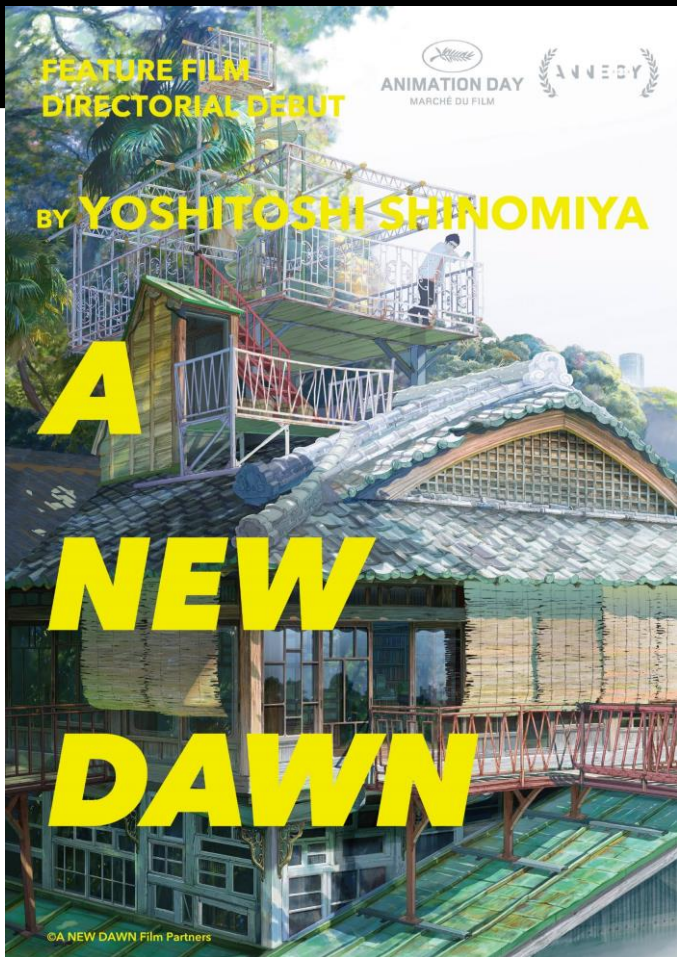
- Born to Win vs Driven to Win: Who will Cross the Finish Line First? -

The next iconic sports anime, selected for Work-in-Progress - Annecy Festival 2024!

Directed by Kenji Iwaisawa: debut feature "On-Gaku" was nominated for Annie Award!

Togashi is born to run. As a kid, he is naturally gifted and wins every 100-meter race without effort. But in sixth grade, he meets Komiya, a transfer student who is full of determination but lacks technique. In teaching him, Togashi gives Komiya a new purpose: to win no matter what.

Years pass by, Togashi and Komiya meet again as rivals on the track and reveal their true selves.



A New Dawn

Drama / Running time TBD / 2025 / Japanese / In Production

Director/Writer:

Yoshitoshi Shinomiya
("The Garden of Words", "Your Name.")

Character Design:

Utsushita (Minakata Laboratory)

Production Design:

Akiko Majima ("Your Name.")

Music:

Shuta Hasunuma

Produced by: Asmik Ace, Inc. / Miyu Productions

Distribution by: Asmik Ace, Inc.

***The feature debut of Yoshitoshi Shinomiya,
an animator on Makoto Shinkai's blockbuster "Your Name."
Selected for Annecy Animation Showcase - Cannes Animation Day 2024!!***

<SHUHARI> — A phantom firework representing the universe that his father used to create.

It has been four years since Keitaro has been holed up in a closed-down factory, chasing after an illusion of his father who vanished.

It was once part of a forest surrounded by lush greenery.

Now, due to a redevelopment project by the city, the entire area is covered with solar panels, and the only remaining greenery is around the factory.

In addition, a prefectural road is scheduled to be extended through the factory site.

Keitaro desperately desires to set off fireworks before the substitute execution of administrative action, so he appeals to his brother "Chicchii" and his childhood friend "Kaoru".

They listen to him and try to help him, but Keitaro's too reckless plan of resistance leads to a fight among them.

The memories of the past that come and go to the three, the secret of the phantom firework "SHUHARI"...

and what is the new dawn that awaits them all —?



INU-OH

Musical / 98min. / 2021 / Japanese / Completed



Director:

Masaaki Yuasa
 ("Keep Your Hands Off Eizouken!")
 ("Ping Pong the Animation")

Screenplay:

Akiko Nogi ("I am a Hero")

Character Creation:

Taiyo Matsumoto
 ("Tekkonkinkreet aka. Black & White")("Ping Pong")

Voice Actors:

Inu-oh: Avu-chan
 a member of rock band Queen Bee

Tomona: Mirai Moriyama
 ("Crying Out Love in the Center of the World")

Original Novel by:

"THE TALES OF THE HEIKE: THE INU-OH CHAPTERS" by Hideo Furukawa

Animation Production: Science SARU

The animated feature "INU-OH" is a musical ROCK OPERA about Inu-oh, a real-life Sarugaku Noh performer in 14th-century Japan.

Inu-oh was born with unique physical characteristics, and the adults cover every inch of his body with garments and make him wear a mask on his face. One day, he meets a boy named Tomona, a blind biwa player. Inu-oh tells him, "Write a biwa song about me". Tomona makes a song about Inu-oh's tangled fate and starts performing it with biwa. Inu-oh and Tomona become business partners for their survival in society and develop an inseparable friendship. Helping each other unlock their talents, they produce one hit after another and climb the ladder to stardom. And Inu-oh, who comes to mesmerize his audiences on stage, frees parts of his body one by one and achieves unequalled beauty. Why is Tomona blind? Why was Inu-oh born with unique physical characteristics? It is a story about the friendship of Inu-oh and Tomona, who dance and sing to get to the truth and break each other's curse.



PATEMA INVERTED

Fantasy / 99min. / 2013 / Japanese / Completed

Original Story/Script/Director:

Yasuhiro Yoshiura
("Time of Eve")

Character Concept:

Ryusuke Chayama
("Time of Eve")

Voice Actors:

Patema: Yukiyo Fujii
("Smile Precure!")

Age: Nobuhiko Okamoto

("Ao no Exorcist")

Animation Production: Asmik Ace, Inc.

***A world of tunnels that stretch on and on.
In these dark, cramped environs where protective clothing is everyday wear,
people are still cheerful in their modest circumstances.***

The thoughts of Patema, 14, daughter of the Chief of this underground community, are racing ahead to a world she has never seen as again today she explores the tunnels. The place she has entered, in violation of the rules of this community, lies with in what is termed "the danger zone". It is a vast open space, far larger than any she has ever seen, filled with the ghostly light reflected from tiny objects that seem to be floating up into the air. It seems to be a structure built long ago, rusted, with a broken bridge that once spanned it, and a ladder leading off into the darkness on the other side.

NASU: SUMMER IN ANDALUSIA

Drama, Sports / 47min. / 2003 / Japanese / Completed

Director/Writer:

Kitaro Kosaka
(Animation Director of Oscar®-winning
"Miyazaki's Spirited Away" and "Princess
Mononoke")

Based on the Comic by:

"Nasu" by Iou Kuroda

Voice Actors:

Yo Oizumi
Koichi Yamadera
Akio Ohtsuka

Animation Production: MADHOUSE Inc.

"Here is your mission of today: win the race!"

It is the hottest day of the summer in Andalusia, and Pepe is racing his bike in today's stage of Vuelta a Espana, Spain's biggest bicycle race. He is not really the best racer in his team, and is always supposed to help his teammate as a spoiler. During the race, he happens to hear his coach and sponsor discussing firing him. He doesn't find this amusing, but tries to just concentrate on the race and support his team.

When the race gets in the middle phase, the racers come close to a small village. It is where Pepe was born. Some of the people of the village feel Pepe has left his hometown, but for many others Pepe's success feels like their own dreams coming true. On this very day, in the church of the village, his brother Angel is getting married with local girl Carmen. She used to be Pepe's girlfriend.

All of a sudden, a small accident changes the whole race, and Pepe finds himself most close to the victory ever in his carrier. The coach tells him to win the race, and Pepe starts to try what he has never tried before. In the last 1 kilometer, a tsunami of the top racers rushes to swallow him. With all the thoughts he bears in mind, Pepe desperately pedals his bike, for what could be the chance of a lifetime...



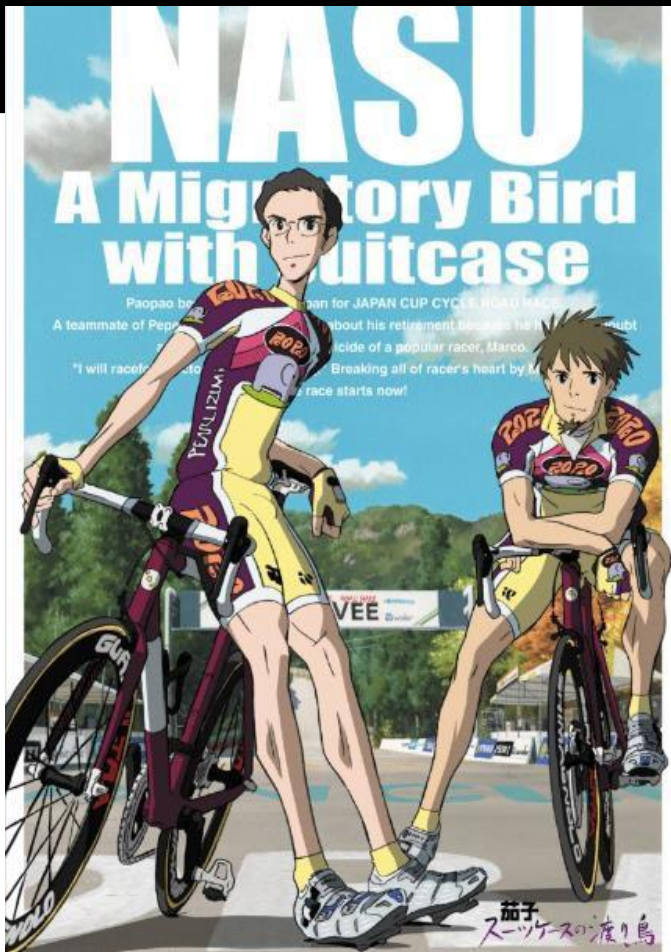
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茄子

アンダルシアの夏

原作: 黒田硫黄 監督・脚本: 高坂希太郎

声の出演: 大泉洋 小池栄子 箕利夫 音楽: 本多俊之 エンディングテーマ: 忌野清志郎



NASU: A MIGRATORY BIRD WITH SUITCASE

Drama, Sports / 54min. / 2007 / Japanese / Completed

Director/Writer:

Kitaro Kosaka
(Animation Director of Oscar®-winning
"Miyazaki's Spirited Away" and "Princess
Mononoke")

Based on the Comic by:

"Nasu" by lou Kuroda

Voice Actors:

Yo Oizumi
Koichi Yamadera
Akio Ohtsuka

Animation Production: MADHOUSE Inc.

***Four Years after "NASU: SUMMER IN ANDALUSIA"
That excitement returns!***

"I run to win. I live to win."

Pepe, Ciocci, and the other members of Team "Pao Pao Beer" come to Japan to participate in the Japan Cup Cycling Road Race, a professional race held in Utsunomiya.

Ciocci was thinking of retiring from racing after the suicide of Marco, a national hero from his hometown, which left him with doubts about his life as a racer.

With deep sadness in their hearts, they set off for the decisive battle. What will happen in the heated battle against their archrival team "GOLTINCO"...?

With the grief of Marco's death still fresh in everyone's mind, the battle is now on!



Sumikkogurashi: The Patched-Up Toy Factory in the Woods

Character / 70min. / 2023 / Japanese / Completed

Director:

Hazumu Sakuta
("Uchuu Nanchara Kotetsu-kun")

Writer:

Takashi Sumita
("Ginga Sentou Panta kun")

Narration:

Manami Honjo
("Restaurant From The Sky")

Original Character by:

San-X
("Rilakkuma")

Animation Production:

Fanworks
("Aggretsuko")

***The new edition of the beloved Sumikkogurashi movie!
Brand-new adventures with new character!***

One day, Sumikko friends find an old building at the edge of the forest. It is a toy factory.

"Let's make toys together!"

Sumikko friends start making toys on the production line as invited by the factory manager. Shirokuma, who is good with hands, uses a sewing machine, Penguin? starts inspection by a magnifying glass, and other Sumikko friends take part in toy-production by what they are good at.

At first, it is fun, but they soon become tired of making one toy after another. Then, the toy Sumikkogurashi shipped out starts moving in the town. There is something strange about the factory...



Sumikkogurashi: The Little Wizard in the Blue Moonlight

Character / 65min. / 2021 / Japanese / Completed

Director:

Takahiro Omori
("Natsume's Book of Friends" franchise)
("Durarara!!")

Writer:

Reiko Yoshida
("Violet Evergarden")
("Okko's Inn")

Narration:

Yoshihiko Inohara

Manami Honjo

("Restaurant From The Sky")

Original Character by:

San-X
("Rilakkuma")

Animation Production:

Fanworks
("Aggretsuko")

Sumikko friends are set to return for sequel to a huge hit "Sumikkogurashi: Good to be in the corner" (Part 1) in Asia, especially Japan, Taiwan and Hong Kong.

One Autumn day, Sumikko friends go camping, and they have a wonderful time until the night goes on. "Penguin?" suddenly remembers a legend story that the wizards come to town at night with a blue full moon once every five years. Then they look up at the night sky and find the blue moon there!! Meanwhile, the familiar town for Sumikko friends is enchanted.

Sumikkogurashi: Good to be in the corner

Character / 66min. / 2019 / Japanese / Completed

Director:

Mankyu
("Isobe Isobee Monogatari")

Writer:

Takashi Sumita
("Ginga Sentou Panta kun")

Narration:

Yoshihiko Inohara

Manami Honjo

("Restaurant From The Sky")

Original Character by:

San-X
("Rilakkuma")

Animation Production:

Fanworks
("Aggretsuko")



Beloved characters of "Sumikkogurashi" star in their first-ever movie, on their 7th anniversary! In the usual corner at the usual café. What's in the mysterious picture book hidden in the basement...?

One day, the Sumikko friends find an old pop-up book in the basement of their favorite Sumikko Café. When they are looking at the book, the mechanism suddenly starts moving and the Sumikko friends are sucked into the book. In the world of the book, they meet a lonely Hiyoko, who doesn't where it is from or who it is. "Let's help Hiyoko find its home!" The Sumikko friends decide to help their new friend. The journey in the world of the book begins.



A Turtle's Shell is a Human's Ribs

Character / 68min. / 2022 / Japanese / Complete

Director:

Mori · Masa ("Clammployees")

Writer:

Mori · Masa ("Clammployees")

Shinichi Tanaka

(The Movie of "The Virgin Psychics")

Voice Actors:

Hiroya Shimizu

(Live action "Tokyo Revengers", "Missing")

Hayato Isomura

("Kamen Rider Ghost", Live action

"Tokyo Revengers")

Takuya Eguchi ("SPY×FAMILY")

Moe Kamikokuryo

a member of the idol group "ANGELM"

Original Work by:

"A Turtle Shell is Human Ribs"

by Satoshi Kawasaki

(Published by SB Creative)

Animation Production:

Type ZERO

("Uma Musume Pretty Darby", "BELLE")

"Huh? A turtle's shell is actually a human's ribs?"

"The reverse-bending knee of a flamingo is a human's ankle!?"

The illustrated encyclopedia A Turtle's Shell is a Human's Ribs by Satoshi Kawasaki (SB Creative) clearly illustrates what it would be like if the human body acquired the bodily mechanics of various animals. With its outstanding animal humans, this amazing book has gathered a lot of attention and became quite a hit in Japan! And at last, it's been made into an animated movie!