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### **38<sup>th</sup> Annual Fort Lauderdale International Film Festival Rolls Out the Red Carpet November 3 – 16**

(September 1, 2023) --Now in its 38<sup>th</sup> year, the Fort Lauderdale International Film Festival (FLIFF) will showcase nearly 200 films from 40 countries from November 3<sup>rd</sup> through November 16<sup>th</sup>. Named one of the top destination film festivals in the nation by *Moviemaker Magazine*, FLIFF is renowned for shining the spotlight on independent films, guest filmmakers and talent from around the globe, and an exciting lineup of parties and special events.

In addition to the films, some of the most popular events of the week are the Opening Night party at the Seminole Hard Rock Hotel, Centerpiece Film & Party, WinterFLIFF at the luxurious Villa De Palma and FLIFF On-The-Beach, a memorable evening under the stars featuring live music, giant screens, open bar and buffet.

With so many films to choose from, don't miss Opening Night, Friday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> featuring ***The Good Half***, directed by Robert Schwartzman, who will be joined on the red carpet by Brittany Snow, David Arquette, Matt Walsh and Alexandra Shipp, who appear in the film. Following the film, guests will enjoy a lavish party filled with epicurean delights, open bar and entertainment at the Seminole Hard Rock Hotel.

Another "don't-miss" film is ***The Senior***, the Centerpiece film directed by Rod Lurie and starring Emmy and Golden Globe-winning actor Michael Chiklis, both of whom will be in attendance. Mike and Eileen Flynt, the subjects of the film, will also be attending. A lively party will follow the film on Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup>.

Screenings throughout the festival take place at Savor Cinema in Fort Lauderdale, Cinema Paradiso Hollywood, NSU Art Museum, Lauderdale Performing Arts Center, Gateway Theatre, AutoNation IMAX and Seminole Hard Rock Hotel & Casino.

FLIFF offers membership opportunities with many options to choose from, whether you want to just go to the festival, or add films year 'round at Cinema Paradiso or Savor Cinema. For a complete schedule of the festival's films and special events, information on tickets, membership and sponsorship opportunities, visit [www.fliff.com](http://www.fliff.com) or call (954) 525-FILM.