

## Film Feast 2003

**Brian Clay**, *Secretary of BFFS South-West Group*, assembled this selection of 2003-4 releases which have that special quality which makes them "film society films".

Title	Country /Year	Director	Time Mins.	Distributors	
				35mm	Video/ DVD
Abouna (Our Father)	France/Chad 2002	Mahamet Saleh Haroun	84	ICA	ICA
About Schmidt	USA 2002	Alexander Payne	125	Ent	FB
Adaptation	USA 2002	Spike Jonze	114	Col	FB
All or Nothing	UK/France 2002	Mike Leigh	128	UGC	FB
Am I Beautiful	Germany 1998	Doris Dörrie	117		16mm* BFI
Ararat	Canada/Fra 2002	Atom Egoyan	115	Mom	
Auto Focus	USA 2002	Paul Schrader	105	Col	FB
Balzac and the Little Chinese Seamstress	China/France 2002	Dai Sijie	116	Soda	
Beijing Bicycle	Taiw/Fra/Ch 2002	Wang Xiaoshuai	113	MtroT	MtroT
Betty Fisher & Other Stories	Fra/Canada 2002	Claude Miller	104	Optim	BFI
Bowling for Columbine	Can/Ger/USA 2002	Michael Moore	119	Mom	NR
City of God	Brazil/Ger/Fra 2002	Fernando Meirelles	129	BV	FB
The Closet (Le Placard)	France 2001	Francis Weber	84	Optim	
Confessions of a Dangerous Mind	USA/Ger/UK 2002	George Clooney	113	BV	FB
Cool and Crazy	Sweden/Norway	Knut Erik Jensen	105	AE	BFI
Curse of the Jade Scorpion	USA/Ger 2001	Woody Allen	101	UIP	FB
The Dancer Upstairs	Spain/USA 2001	John Malkovich	133	Fox	FB
Day I Became a Woman	Iran	Marzieh Meshkini	98	Bfi	BFI
Devdas	India 2002	Sanjay Leela Bhansali	181	Eros	?
Dirty Pretty Things	USA/UK 2002	Stephen Frears	96	BV	FB
Divided We Fall	Czech 2000	Jan Hrebejk	123	Metrod	NR
Divine Intervention	Fra/Ger/ etc 2002	Elia Suleiman	93	AE	BFI
Donnie Darko	USA 2001	Richard Kelly	113	Metrod	FB
8 Women	France/Italy 2002	François Ozon	111	UGC	FB
Elling	Norway 2001	Petter Næss		City Sc	?
L'Emploi du Temps	France 2001	Laurent Cantet	134	AE	BFI

Far From Heaven	USA/Fra 2002	Todd Haynes	107	Entert	FB
Frida	USA 2002	Julia Taymor	122	BV	FB
From Hell	USA 2002	The Hughes Brothers	122	Fox	
The Girl from Paris	France 2001	Christian Carion	104	AE	BFI
L'Homme du Train	Fra/UK/Ger/Jp 2002	Patrice Leconte	90	Pathé	FB
The Hours	USA 2002	Stephen Daldry	114	BV	FB
Importance of Being Ernest	UK/USA 2001	Oliver Parker	97	BV	FB
Innocence	Australia/Belg 2000	Paul Cox	95	MatCi	?
Insomnia	USA 2002	Christopher Nolan	118	BV	FB
Intacto	Spain 2001	Juan Carlos Fresnadillo	108	Mom	
In This World	UK 2002	Michael Winterbottom	90	ICA	
Ivansxtc	USA/UK	Bernard Rose	92	MtroT	MtroT
Japon	Mexico/Spain 2002	Carlos Reygadas	122	AE	
Laissez Passer	Fra/Ger/Sp 2001	Bertrand Tavernier	170	AE	BFI
Lantana	Ger/Australia 2002	Ray Lawrence	121	Win	Win
Lawless Heart	UK 2001	Tom Hunsinger/Neil Hunter	99	Optim	BFI
L'Homme du Train	France 2002	Patrice Leconte	90	AE	FB
L.I.E.	USA 2001	Michael Cuesta	97	MtroT	MtroT
Lost in La Mancha	UK 2002	Keith Fulton & Louis Pepe	89	Opt	BFI
Lovely & Amazing	USA 2001	Nicole Holofcener	92	Metrod	FB
Ma Femme est une Actrice	France 2002	Yvan Attal	95	Pathé	FB
The Magdalene Sisters	UK/Ireland 2002	Peter Mullan	119	Mom	NR
Man Without a Past	Finland/Ge/Fr 2002	Aki Kaurismäki	96	ICA	ICA
Monster's Ball	USA 2001	Marc Forster	111	Ent	
Morvern Callar	UK/Canada	Lynne Ramsey	97	Mom	NR
The Nine Queens	Argentina 2002	Fabien Bielinsky	114	Optim	BFI
No Man's Land	BosHerz/Slov..2001	Danis Tanovic	98	Mom	NR
The Officers' Ward	France 2001	François Dupeyron	131	Optim	
Once Upon a Time in the Midlands	UK/Germany	Shane Meadows	104	Film4	FB?
The Pianist	Fra/Poletc 2002	Roman Polanski	148	Pathé	FB
Punch-drunk Love	USA 2002	Paul Thomas Anderson	95	Col	FB
The Quiet American	USA/Ger 2002	Phillip Noyce	100	BV	FB
Rabbit Proof Fence	Australia/UK 2002	Phillip Noyce	93	BV	FB

Read My Lips	France 2001	Jacues Audiard	118	Pathé	
Real Women Have Curves	USA 2002	Patricia Cardoso	90	Opt	
Respiro	Italy/France 2002	Emanuele Crialese	90	MtroT	
Solaris	USA 2002	Steven Soderbergh	98	Fox	FB
The Son	Belg/Fra 2002	J-P & L Dardenne	101	AE	BFI
Son of the Bride	Argentina/Sp 2001	Juan Jose Campanella	118	Pathé	
Spider	Canada/UK 2002	David Cronenberg	98	Helkon	NR
Sunshine State	USA 2002	John Sayles	140	Col	FB
Sweet Sixteen	UK/Ger/Sp/etc 2002	Ken Loach	88	Col	FB
Talk to Her (Habla con Ella)	Spain 2001	Pedro Almodóvar	112	Pathé	FB
Ten	Fra/Iran 2002	Abbas Kiarostami	92	ICA	ICA
To Be and to Have (Etre et Avoir)	France 2002	Nicolas Philibert	104	MtroT	
The Warrior	UK/India 2001	Asif Kapadia	86	Film4	FB
Y Tu Mamá También	USA/Mexico	Alfonso Cuarón	105	Icon	FB

Key:

- FB - Filmbank
- BFI - BFI Films
- NR - New Realm Entertainment.

*Note: This listing is not comprehensive and is intended as a guide to those new titles and re-issues likely to be of most interest to Film Societies. For availability on DVD or video for non-theatrical exhibition where there is no distributor listed, try ringing BFI or FilmBank in the first instance.*

#### 35mm Distributors:

- AE -Artificial Eye
- BV - Buena Vista
- BlueD - Blue Dolphin
- CinéF - CinéFrance
- Col - Columbia TriStar
- Enter - Entertainment
- Film4 - Film Four
- Fox - 20th Century Fox
- ICA - ICA Projects
- Icon - Icon
- Metrod - Metrodome
- MtroT - Metro Tartan
- Mom - Momentum
- Optim - Optimum
- Pathé - Pathé
- WB - Warner Brothers
- Win - Winchester Film Dist