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ANNOUNCES the 5th INDIE MEME FILM FESTIVAL

April 2-5, 2020



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Austin, TX (Feb 4, 2020) --- The 5th edition of Indie Meme Film Festival is scheduled April 2-5, 2020 at the AFS Cinemas.

Over a period of 4 days, Indie Meme will showcase carefully curated, critically acclaimed, socially relevant independent features, documentaries and shorts from South Asia in an effort to engage, educate, entertain, and bring together different communities to promote cross-cultural understanding and help build a globally conscious community. IMFF 2020 will also include youth films and will have local, international, and US based filmmakers in attendance. Complete with red carpet, opening & closing night galas, audience discussions and networking events, IMFF promises to be a spectacular community event.

IMFF 2020 kicks off on Thursday, April 2nd with IMFF YOUTH - a tradition started a couple of years back, which provides a platform to young filmmakers to showcase their creative work. Indie Meme has also organised workshops to help local youth learn and refine their filmmaking skills under expert professional guidance. The grand opening and red-carpet ceremony will be held on April 3rd, 2020.

A detailed official selection of films & schedule of events will soon be announced. But for a sneak peak at the emerging curation, sharing two titles: "Sindhustan", directed by Sapna Moti Bhavnani. The film is a story of the largest migration of a culture in history told through Tattoos. Filmmakers will be in attendance. The other is "Children of the Sun" - stripped from nobility and forcibly married to an outcast by the monarchy, a noble woman fights to keep her dignity by refusing to succumb to her destiny, directed by Prasanna Vithanage.

To experience the diverse flavors of South Asian cinema in the heart of Austin, all inclusive Badges for IMFF2020 maybe purchased on https://www.indiememe.org/imff-2020

The Indie Meme all inclusive Festival Badge allows attendance at all film screenings with priority seating, access to post screening discussions, entry to the Youth screenings, and invitations to Opening & Closing Night parties with international filmmakers.

For the latest developments, visit the Indie Meme Film Festival official site ----- and follow the festival on Facebook & Twitter.

Indie Meme Social Media:

Facebook:facebook.com/indiememeTwitter:twitter.com/indiememe

Website: <u>IndieMeme.org</u>

IMFF 2020 is supported in part by the Cultural Arts Division of the City of Austin, Economic Development Department.

About Indie Meme

Indie Meme Org is a 501c(3) non-profit with a mission is to promote socially relevant independent cinema from South Asia, in an effort to influence social and cultural awareness and consciousness, and encourage and facilitate dialogue around the same.

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