

2011-07-29 - Friday

06:00 Trust Me

American comedy from 2007 with Cory Pendergast, Enn Reitel, Joeanna Saylor. Director: Andrew Kazamia. (105) Danny is a twenty-something small town hustler. Joe is a middle-aged janitor with a gift for impressions. This unlikely pair has one goal: Hollywood. Not to make it big, not to see their names in lights; they want to steal from it. These two con men will immerse themselves in a world of greed. Trust Me is the satirical tale of Hollywood itself: celebrities, politics and, most importantly, scams.

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10:00 The Last Days of Emma Blank

Dutch drama from 2009 with Alex van Warmerdam, Marlies Heuer, Gene Bervoets. Director: Alex van Warmerdam. (120) In a large country home, the owner Emma Blank is very ill and is cared for by her household staff. Despite her desperate need for loving care, Emma is a steely, avaricious dictator who runs her servants to the madness. That is, until the day they discover that they stand to inherit nothing whereupon they drop their charade of caring and concern and instead plot their revenge...

12:00 Big Bad Swim

American comedy from 2006 with Paget Brewster, Jeff Branson, Jess Weixler. Director: Ishai Setton. (120) An adult swim class sets the stage for this charming comedy-drama about love, loss, and second chances. Three strangers find themselves entering deep water as they learn that life isn't always about diving right in - it's about getting your feet wet once in a while.

14:00 The Man Who Loved Yngve

Norwegian drama from 2008 with Arthur Berning, Ida Elise Broch, Ole Christoffer Ertvåg. Director: Stian Kristiansen. (100) November 1989. The Berlin wall collapses. In Stavanger Norway, Jarle Klepp has no idea that everything is about to change. So far he has got everything; the best girlfriend in the world and the world's coolest buddy. Together they will soon launch Stavanger's toughest punk band, Mathias Rust Band. But then Yngve, the new boy in class, appears.

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American drama from 2005 with Patricia Clarkson, Campbell Scott, Peter Sarsgaard. Director: Craig Lucas. (95) Robert Sandrich is a fledging screenwriter who has written a raw autobiographical script based on his boyfriend's death by AIDS-related cerebral tuberculosis. Movie producer Jeffrey and his wife, Elaine both love the screenplay, but Jeffrey is not willing to green-light the picture unless Robert changes the dead lover to a woman.

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Jordanian drama from 2007 with Nadim Sawalha, Rana Sultan, Hussein Al-Sous. Director: Amin Matalqa. (120) An aging airport janitor is mistaken for a pilot by the kids of the neighborhood. They want him to tell stories about his travels. Happy for the company and attention, he takes the children to colourful places around the world through his fictional stories and inspires them to believe in their own ambitions. It is a story of dreams, friendship, forgiveness, and sacrifice.

22:00 Reykjavik - Rotterdam

Icelandic thriller from 2008 with Baltasar Kormákur, Ingvar Eggert Sigurðsson, Lilja Nótt Þórarinsdóttir. Director: Óskar Jónasson. (90) Christopher is like fish on dry land after being fired from a freight liner. He doesn't stand much chance of being rehired, having been busted for illegal alcohol trafficking. Because of the high price of alcohol, Christopher and his mates couldn't resist earning an extra buck by smuggling some vodka each time they sailed in. Faced with serious money problems, Christopher manages with a help of a friend, to get his job back. He is determined to get all his problems behind him, once and for all.

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2011-08-08 - Monday

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04:00 When will I be Loved

American drama from 2004 with Neve Campbell, Fred Weller, Ashley Shelton. Director: James Toback. (77) Vera is an attractive and open minded young woman who is exploring her intellect and her sex life. Her hustler boyfriend Ford sees a chance to make some serious money when an Italian media mogul wants to spend \$100,000 for a night with her. Vera agrees much to Ford's surprise but she has a plan of her own.

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Australian romance from 2004 with Giovanni Ribisi, Adam Garcia, Amelia Warner. Director: Jan Sardi. (103) Angelo, an introvert young man in 1950's Australia, sends a letter with a picture of his much more handsome brother Gino to a beautiful Italian girl who then agrees to travel overseas to marry him. Upon her arrival however, she realises Angelo is not the man she thought he would be.

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American drama from 1998 with Saul Williams, Sonja Sohn, Bonz Malone. Director: Marc Levin. (99) Ray is a drug dealer who is sent to a jail in Washington D.C. There he is caught between two rival gangs, both competing for his membership.

2011-08-12 - Friday

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American action from 2002 with Rob Lowe, Sam Neill, Alicia Coppola. Director: Daniel Petrie Jr. (90) Mike Santini is a New York Cop on holiday in the Bahamas with his family when he spots high profile mobster Eddie Meyers. After arresting him, Santini discovers a surprisingly good side to his captive and, in the process of interrogation, he finds himself unusually tempted by Meyer's bribing tactics.

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British sci fi from 2003 with Tim Robbins, Samantha Morton, Om Puri. Director: Michael Winterbottom. (89) Set in a near future, the world is ruled by a totalitarian government. William is sent to Shanghai to investigate faking and stealing of "Pepelles" - a type of visas that no one can travel without, but instead he falls in love with and protects the main suspect.

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British comedy from 2000 with Chris Beattie, Greg McLane, Charlie Hardwick. Director: Mark Herman. (94) Comedy, UK. Sewell and Gerry are two troubled teenagers with complicated family situations who are trying to get £1000 together for a season ticket to see their team Newcastle United play. When shoplifting and selling old things is not getting them anywhere they move on to car theft and bank robbery and things take an unexpected turn. Director: Mark Herman (97).

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British comedy from 2000 with Chris Beattie, Greg McLane, Charlie Hardwick. Director: Mark Herman. (94) Comedy, UK. Sewell and Gerry are two troubled teenagers with complicated family situations who are trying to get £1000 together for a season ticket to see their team Newcastle United play. When shoplifting and selling old things is not getting them anywhere they move on to car theft and bank robbery and things take an unexpected turn. Director: Mark Herman (97).

2011-08-19 - Friday

06:00 Me and You and Everyone We Know

American comedy from 2005 with Miranda July, John Hawkes, Ellen Geer. Director: Miranda July. (87) A lonely artist and elder-cab driver meets a newly single salesman and father of two boys in this poetic and penetrating observation of how people struggle to connect with one another in an isolating and contemporary world. Winner of the Special Jury Prize at the Sundance Film Festival for Originality of Vision as well as the Camera d'Or in Cannes and the Producer's Award at the Independent Spirits Awards.

08:00 Look at me

French drama from 2004 with Marilou Berry, Agnès Jaoui, Jean-Pierre Bacri. Director: Agnès Jaoui. (110) Lolita is the daughter of famous and self-centred writer Étienne. Lolita spends most of her time trying to get out from under the shadow of her father and get recognition for her own talents and assets.

10:00 The Milk of Sorrow

Spanish drama from 2009 with Magaly Solier, Susi Sánchez, Efraín Solís. Director: Claudia Llosa. (105) Fausta suffers from "the milk of sorrow", an illness transmitted through mother's milk by women who have been violated or mistreated during the war of terrorism in Peru. The war has ended, but Fausta lives to remind of it because "the illness of fear" stole her soul. Now, her mother's sudden death forces her to confront her fears and the secret that is hidden inside of her: she has inserted a potato into her vagina to serve as a protective shield that repels disgusting intruders.

12:00 The Good News

Spanish drama from 2008 with Unax Ugalde, Bárbara Goenaga, . Director: Helena Taberna. (105) It is 1936 and young Father Miguel is caught in the military uprising that precipitates the Spanish Civil War. Denouncing from the pulpit the atrocities being committed in the name of the Gospel, he finds himself trying to protect his parishioners in what is considered a "red village". As he risks his own life for his faith, he finds friendship and support in Margari, a young schoolmistress, whose husband was killed by the fascists. Based on a true story.

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American drama from 2003 with Paul Giamatti, Hope Davis, Harvey Pekar. Director: Shari Springer Berman. (97) In this biographical comedy drama we meet Harvey Pekar, a file clerk who started to write comic books about the sad monotony of everyday life. The film is a mix of live-action film, animation and documentary. Awarded with the FIPRESCI Prize at the Cannes Film Festival and with the Grand Jury Prize at the Sundance Film Festival.

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2011-08-20 - Saturday

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16:00 Secretary

American comedy from 2002 with James Spader, Maggie Gyllenhaal, Jeremy Davies. Director: Steven Shainberg. (108) Lee Holloway is a bright woman in her twenties who after a short stay in a mental hospital gets a job as a secretary at a local law firm. She develops a crush on her older boss and they begin a rather bizarre relationship where Lee allows her hidden masochism to flourish which ultimately leads to self affirmation. Winner of the Special Jury Prize at the Sundance Film Festival and for Best First Screenplay at the Independent Spirit Awards.

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Canadian drama from 1980 with Burt Lancaster, Susan Sarandon, Michel Piccoli. Director: Louis Malle. (120) Lou, an aging small-town hood who runs numbers, finds his livelihood threatened in Atlantic City. Lou's life changes abruptly when he unwittingly becomes involved with Dave, a young dope dealer, and his estranged wife, Sally. A beautiful young woman from the Prairies, Sally works at the casino oyster bar where she is also taking a rigorous course in blackjack dealing. She dreams of escaping from her drab existence to the glamorous casinos of Monte Carlo. When Dave is killed, Lou and Sally are thrown together and find themselves in the middle of a real-life escapade with love, money, drugs and danger.

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02:00 This Film Is Not Yet Rated

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04:00 Just Walking

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2011-08-24 - Wednesday

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American drama from 2002 with Diane Keaton, Jennifer Jason Leigh, Maury Chaykin. Director: Bobby Roth. (90) Based on a true story. After her 18-year old son is killed in a hit and run accident, Beverly Lowry falls into deep depression. While coming to terms with the tragic loss, she forms a rather unusual friendship with a woman on death row. Their friendship takes a toll on Beverly's marriage, but it enables both women to explore their inner demons and help them overcome their problems.

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Spanish thriller from 2008 with Elena Anaya, Diego Luna, José María Yazpik. Director: Agustín Díaz Yanes. (135) Ana is a prostitute who likes money. That's why she accepts the marriage proposal of Felix, a dangerous and powerful Mexican drug trafficker who falls for her. Between the alcohol and her husband's beatings, Ana designs a dangerous plan to hit back at Felix and his gang. For this reason she calls on help from her sister Aurora, and two friends Gloria and Paloma. Together the four women are ready for revenge.

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04:00 Vampires

Swedish horror from 2008 with Jenny Lampa, Ruth Vega Fernandez, Marcus Ovnell. Director: Peter Pontikis. (75) Vera and Vanja are sisters and vampires. Every night they hit the streets in search of human blood. One night they accidentally come across the leader of an motorcycle gang, and after killing him they need to run for their lives.

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06:00 Charm School

American comedy from 2005 with John Goodman, Elden Henson, Robert Carlyle. Director: Randall Miller. (99) Frank, a widowed man consumed by his wife's death, stops at a rural highway to help a stranger entangled in a car wreck. In the last moments of his life, the stranger explains the urgency that led to his situation and asks Frank to go in his place. One man's dream becomes another man's destiny as Frank is pulled into a crazy journey that changes his life forever.

08:00 Leningrad

British drama from 2009 with Mira Sorvino, Gabriel Byrne, Elena Kovalyova. Director: Alexander Buravsky. (110) "Leningrad" is a World War II epic, inspired by true events, that tracks the heroics and sacrifices of a young British journalist, Kate Davis, during the Nazi siege of Leningrad in the winter of 1941. In the midst of this horrific siege, she becomes isolated within the famished city and separated from her lover, an American journalist named Philip Parker.

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Australian comedy from 2007 with Charlotte Gregg, Matt Zeremes, Ryan Johnson. Director: Louise Alston. (76) Anthea is 25, single, hates her job, her best friend Michael finally gets a girlfriend - and all her friends are leaving Brisbane. Should she follow the herd to Sydney or London? Is there anything worth staying for? Anthea has to find her place and herself.

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American drama from 2005 with Patricia Clarkson, Campbell Scott, Peter Sarsgaard. Director: Craig Lucas. (95) Robert Sandrich is a fledging screenwriter who has written a raw autobiographical script based on his boyfriend's death by AIDS-related cerebral tuberculosis. Movie producer Jeffrey and his wife, Elaine both love the screenplay, but Jeffrey is not willing to green-light the picture unless Robert changes the dead lover to a woman.

20:00 Love, Pain and Vice Versa

Mexican thriller from 2008 with Bárbara Mori, Tony Dalton, Leonardo Sbaraglia. Director: Alfonso Pineda Ulloa. (90) Consuelo is obsessed with a man who visits her in her dreams, but according to her friends he doesn't exist. Meanwhile Richard has been suffering from nightmares in which a young attractive woman seduces him and then tries to kill him. He swears he doesn't know her. Things then turn really upside down when the dream-like world slowly invades reality, as they come face to face in the real world with disturbing results.

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02:00 Nine Lives

American drama from 2005 with Glenn Close, Amanda Seyfried, Holly Hunter. Director: Rodrigo Garcia. (115) Nine vignettes. Nine segments. Nine women. Nine walks of life. Nine outstanding actresses. Nine obsessions. Nine stories. Nine camera shots. Nine Lives. In this star studded film, Rodrigo García has gathered the American acting elite and together they tell nine different stories of the modern American woman.

04:00 Three Kingdoms: Resurrection of the Dragon

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