

FILM PROGRAM



TURQUOISE



A Few Steps from Home

2020, Germany, 7 minutes
Filmmaker: Philipp Becker, Johannes Müller, El Flamingo GmbH

The idea is simple. A small mountain hut, a warm stove, and three friends. Even if the big cities of Munich and Innsbruck are almost in sight, wild mountain adventures can often be found right out the back door.



FKT

2019, Canada, 11 minutes
Filmmaker: Brice Ferré, Brice Ferré Studio

We follow Salomon-athlete Jeanelle Hazlett as she attempts to establish a Fastest Known Time (FKT) record on Mount Brunswick, British Columbia. One wrong step could mean serious injury or death.



The Ghosts Above

2019, USA, 36 minutes | Advisory: Mature subject matter
Filmmaker: Renan Ozturk, Taylor Rees, Jay Macmillan

A team sets out to solve one of the greatest mysteries in exploration: who made the first ascent of Mt. Everest. Every stereotype they know about the mountain and its people are turned on its end during this brutally honest look at one of the busiest Everest seasons in history.



The Lonely Star

2019, USA, 4 minutes
Filmmaker: Frank Pickell, Dan Pizza, Futuristic Films

An ill-fated explorer finds himself marooned on a desolate planet. Alone with his thoughts, he is caught between a sandy reality and snowy hallucinations of winters past.



24 Leeches

2020, USA, 10 minutes
Filmmaker: Aaron Peterson, Aaron Peterson Studios

24 Leeches documents a family canoe adventure to the Slate Islands of Ontario, Canada and more importantly a way of life. One part family adventure, one part environmental film, 24 Leeches is a tribute to a father's best friend and adventure partner, his 10-year-old son.



Ocean to Asgard

2020, Canada, 34 minutes | Advisory: Coarse language
Filmmaker: Heather Mosher, Heather Mosher Media

Four friends travel to Baffin Island for a forty-day human-powered adventure, featuring first ascents, paddle descents, and a surprising number of wild flamingos.



The Chairlift

2020, Canada, 12 minutes
Filmmaker: Mike Douglas, Mike Gamble, Switchback Entertainment

An ode to the often over-looked device that enabled a sport and still acts as a central pillar of ski culture to this day.