

Beeston U3A Cinema Group Newsletter for April 2015

The meeting took place on the last Tuesday in the March 2015, at 10.30am in the White Lion. There were 12 of us including newcomers Janet (Hi Janet) and Adrian (Hi Adrian).

Last month (March)

The **Soiree** was "2001" at Adrian and Kathy's. Much-acclaimed and still good, it includes some very long passages just showing off the special effects of the day, which are not so impressive now.

Films watched included :

(at **Multiplex cinemas**)

2 nd Best Marigold	1 st film was book adaptation; 2 nd was formula written. Still enjoyable. The good actors did not have enough to do. Excellent fluff movie, scoring 5/5.
Still Alice	Great portrayal by Julianne. Terribly sad. Baldwin a bit wooden. Score 5/5
X+Y	A very good film. Raif Spall as teacher was excellent. Score 4/5.
Hamlet	Maxine Peake is brilliant. Is she male/female? It didn't matter. Score 4½/5
Suite Française	Thought provoking. But just another (improbable) love story. Score 4/5.

(at **Paradiso**)

Boyhood	Impressive. Story filmed over 12yrs, kids & adults age wonderfully. Score 4/5
Gone Girl	Overlong thriller – gripping and disturbing. Score (see Nov2014) 3½/5

Plans for April 2015

Paradiso

Fri 10th Mr Turner.

Fri 17th Imitation Game. Many people have seen this so the soiree (below) will not clash.

Fri 24th Pride.

Soirees.

Alan will show Divergent on Weds 8th, and will also show the first movie in the Bourne Trilogy on Friday 17th. Start time will be 7 for 7.30pm, at 34 Field Lane Chilwell, NG9 5FJ. email as below.

Other Movies to Watch this Month

The following movies have been nominated from the '**Broadway**' brochure:

Broadway

Tues 14th	6.00pm	'Vincent Van Gogh'
Thurs 16th	SS	'Woman in Gold' – Silver Screen 10.15 and/or 1.30
Thurs 23rd	SS	'A little chaos' – Silver Screen 10.15 and/or 1.30
Thurs 30th	1.30am	'The Falling' – Silver Screen 1.30

Mon 6th 12.00noon 'A view from the bridge' – Mark Strong in NTLive production of Arthur Miller. Probably need to book.

CineWorld

Thurs 2nd afternoon Cinderella – email you thoughts to others regarding precise time.

Cheers, Al. (alanwindsor@ntlworld.com)

AOB

The area where the Fire Station used to be will be a car park for at least two years, during which time the Council will consult on possible uses. Eventually a complex is expected to be built, that might or might not include a cinema. In the meantime, if Cinema Group can generate enough support, we could use Sergio's Movie equipment for Soirees in the function room in the White Lion.

Next meeting

The next meeting will be at the Beeston White Lion, at 10.30am on Tuesday 4th May 2015.