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# GAMBLERS

The Nika Award, Russian Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, Moscow, Russia 2008 nominated for Best Costumes

### RUSSIA 🕇

### Based on Gogol's comedy

The Gamblers. An Italian card shark is threatened by creditors and jailed. In order to raise money for play back, he heads to Russia and with the help of vodka and marked cards, seems bound for glory... until he meets some Russian colleagues who offer him a deal that may be too good to be true.



Genre: Comedy Directed by: Pavel Chukhray Cast: S. Makovetsky, S. Garmash, A. Merzlikin, Giuliano Di Capua

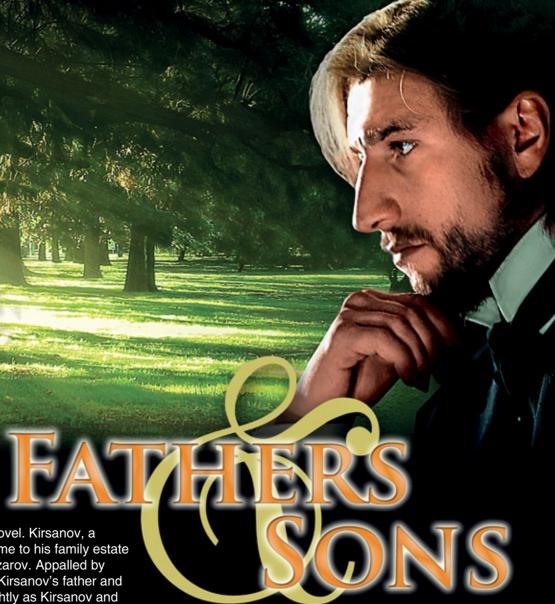


Based on Turgenev's classic novel. Kirsanov, a university graduate, returns home to his family estate with fellow medical student Bazarov. Appalled by their rejection of the old order, Kirsanov's father and uncle cling to their ideals as tightly as Kirsanov and Bazarov embrace nihilism. But when Bazarov meets femme fatale Anna at a ball, he comes face to face with passionate human emotion, and his firmly held beliefs come into question.



Genre: Classical Drama Directed by: Dunya Smirnova Cast: A. Ustyugov, N. Rogozhkina, S.Yursky, A. Smirnov, A. Vasilyev, N. Tenyakova





34th Golden Chest International TV Festival, Plovdiv, Bulgaria 2009 nominated in the TV Movies and Series category



4th Seoul International Drama Awards, South Korea 2009 nominated in the Special Prize category

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### RUSSIA 👖

The Iron Ivan. The world's strongest man, the invincible fighter of the twentieth century. Year after year, he was crowned European Champion. At 55, following victories in rings throughout the New World, Ivan Poddubny earned the title Champion of Champions. The real Iron Ivan was the flesh and blood forerunner of the all-powerful, fearless cinematic heroes whose stories would be told in the century which followed. His life encompassed no defeats, thousands of victories... and a beautiful, boundless love, worthy of such a legendary figure.

Genre: Drama Directed by: Gleb Orlov Cast: M. Porechenkov, D. Lavant, V. Ilyin, Y. Kolokolnikov, R. Madyanov, A. Mikhailov, K. Shpitza, A. Smolka, T. Tribuntsev, M. Saprykin, T. Ignashkina, P. Krylov



# RUSSIA 1

To survive the war after her husband dies, Masha has to escape from Russia to Central Asia, taking with her two children and her sorrow. A Central Asian village is no place for a single Russian woman. Masha sees only one option. She must become the third wife of Amir and give birth to his son. The future seems to be clear – until she learns that her first husband has returned...

# SON OF AMIR

#### Genre: Drama Directed by: Maxim Panfilov Cast: K. Gruszka, D. Dyuzhev, B. Yuldashev, A. Merzlikin, D. Yuldashev, N. Abdullayeva,

- A. Begmatova, A. Smoktunovskaya,
- S. Khusenova, L. Eltoyeva, Y. Leonov,
- F. Yusupova, R. Shelpakova





# THE SOUL OF A SPY

### RUSSIA 1

In spring of '41, top German espionage agent – the dreadful and elusive Wasser of the Abwehr Intelligence Service – holds the Soviet State Security Commissariat by the throat. Two mavericks, a greenhorn boxer and an experienced spy, are the NKGB's last hope for setting things right.



Genre: Action, Adventure Directed by: Alexey Andrianov Cast: F. Bondarchuk, D. Kozlovsky, V. Epiphantsev, S. Gazarov, V. Tolstoganova, K. Melnyk, A. Chipovskaya

The Golden Eagle Award, Moscow, Russia 2013 award for Best Supporting Actress

The 3rd Peloponnesian International Film Festival, Greece 2012 awards for Golden Pegasus Grand Prix, Best Production Design in a Feature Film, Best Cinematography in a Feature Film, Best Screenplay in a Feature Film, Best Director in a Feature Film

The Nika Award, Russian Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences Moscow, Russia 2013 special award for Discovery of the Year

### RUSSIA 1

A Russian Intelligence officer, Alexander Fyodorov, aka Alex Wilkie, is assigned to infiltrate the American Intelligence community in London. He must expose a 'mole' who leaks top secrets to the CIA. To prevent the entire Russian intelligence network from being exposed, 'Alex' risks his life to gain the confidence of the Americans...



Genre: Spy Action Directed by: Vladimir Bortko

Cast: A. Chernyshov, M. McDowell, L. Cunningham, M. Alexandrova, F. Bondarchuk, S. Bonnaire, K. Brodskaya, N. Gogaeva, D. Spivakovsky, A. Buldakov, A. Dzhigarkhanyan, A. Panin



On vacation, four students dig up WWII battlefield graves, unearthing books that display their own photos and names. Transported back to the 1940's, they experience the horrors of war first hand, forge long lasting relationships and endure the pain of returning home without those left behind.



Genre: Military drama Directed by: Andrey Malyukov Cast: E. Klimova, D. Kozlovsky, V. Yaglych, D. Volkostrelov, A. Terentyev

The Golden Eagle Award, Moscow, Russia 2009 award for Best Editing

BACK NINE



Glamorous seventies... the time of disco music, miniskirts, and motorcycle races! Freedom was in the air. After the school day ended, life was about friends, fighting with the kids next door, dancing, and having a good time. But when you fall in love with your elder brother's girlfriend, what do you do? You make a bet with her - and the loser has to grant winner's wish.

TRUE BILUE

STORY





Genre: Romantic Drama Directed by: Renat Davletyarov Cast: Y. Deinekin, D. Melnikova, N. Kalinin, A. Melnikov, S. Garmash, K. Babushkina, A. Merzlikin

#### RUSSIA

When their cargo plane is forced to land in Kandahar, five Russian pilots are captured by the Taliban. Forced to spend three hundred seventy eight days in hell, they face questions of loyalty and survival but no challenge is greater than the treacherous escape route home.

#### Genre: Action

Directed by: Andrey Kavun Cast: V. Mashkov, A. Baluyev, A. Panin, A. Golubev, B. Benyuk

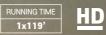
RUNNING TIME 1x99'



Rysk Filmfesival Kinorurik 2011 award for Best Russian Film



Assigned to eliminate a secret weapon storage facility at the bottom of a lake in Siberia, two agents – special subdivision "Piranha" - stumble across the "Master of Taiga", who oversees the desolate land like his own citystate. Hunted by the overlord's minions, the underestimated agents give the vicious gangs a run for their money.



Genre: Action Directed by: Andrey Kavun Cast: V. Mashkov, Y. Mironov, S. Antonova, S. Garmash, A. Merzlikin

The Golden Eagle Award, Moscow, Russia 2011 awards for Best Film, Best Actor, **Best Second Actor** 



The George Film Festival, Moscow, Russia 2011 awards for Best Russian Action, Best Russian Drama







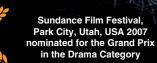






# THE ISLAND

Boris is a successful businessman. One day he wakes up in prison, unable to remember how and why he got there. His wife comes to visit him. They have a long conversation ahead. Together they recall their life...





Russian Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, Moscow, Russia 2007 award for Best Film



Fajr Film Festival, Tehran, Iran 2008 award for Best Film in the Competition of Spiritual Cinema

Venice Film Festival, Italy 2006 **Closing Night Film** 



Hiding from a terrible sin committed three decades before, Father Anatoly finds refuge in a small Orthodox monastery on a deserted island. There the ascetic suffers, praying God will forgive him for his crimes. In addition, he performs miracles for the few visitors who manage to find their way there... until one day, the tables turn and it is he who is the recipient of a miracle.



Genre: Drama Directed by: Pavel Lungin Cast: P. Mamonov, V. Sukhorukov, D. Dyuzhev, N. Usatova, Y. Kuznetsov, V. Isakova











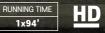


Genre: Drama Directed by: Sergey Komarov Cast: G. Kutsenko, A. Kanaris, V. Goryushin, I. Kistol, A. Sirin, G. Topolaga

### RUSSIA 🕇

Lyuba lives in an orphanage. Nearly a school graduate, she dreams of becoming a stewardess and seeing the whole world. At this time sudden news hit her. She learns that her father is alive and he is in prison for her mother's murder. The girl gets a gun and decides to kill father.

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Genre: Drama Directed by: Dmitry Meskhiev Cast: S. Garmash, M. Skuratova, S. Miloslavskaya, E. Tkachuk, N. Surkova





The story takes place in Russia in the beginning of the XX century. A young revolutionary Pavel escapes from prison with a group of other convicts, all of them are hiding in wild taiga forests in Siberia. A reward is guaranteed to anyone who catches the runaways. They get caught soon - everyone is killed except for Pavel, who once again manages to escape. He meets a mute girl who helps him. Together they set off on a long and dangerous journey.



Genre: Adventure Directed by: Rustam Mosafir Cast: E. Boyarskaya, P. Fedorov, V. Grishko, S. Isepov, A. Samoilov





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Indigo is a new generation of kids. They have more mental and spiritual abilities than others. Each of them has a gift: reading other people's thoughts, communicating with animals, breaking computer codes. Some adults want to use them, so the hunt starts. Indigo kids disappear one after another...

# RUNNING TIME

Genre: Adventure thriller Directed by: Roman Prygunov Cast: I. Yankovsky, M. Efremov, M. Shukshina, A. Tkachenko, E. Drobysheva, G. Kutsenko, A. Ricci, R. Shmakov, P. Sliva, M. Standel, P. Yasenok, P. Skvortsov, I. Mudrov

# REAL DAKOTA

A university professor moves from a big city to a small town with his wife and stepdaughter. He starts a new job as a teacher in a girls' gymnasium. Something weird is happening with the class, they seem to hide a secret. As it turns out, these girls do not play with dolls, they make a toy of human lives - and soon the teacher's life and family are jeopardized by something evil...



RUNNING TIME 1x99'



Genre: Drama, thriller Directed by: Alexander Strizhenov Cast: M. Basharov, D. Balabanova, O. Lavrentieva, I. Kupchenko, A. Kazyuchits, A. Dykhne, S. Grekov, A. Strizhenov, D. Shpuk



RUNNING TIME	HD
1x85'	

Genre: Melodrama Directed by: Ermek Amanshaev Cast: A. Babenko, B. Ajtzhanov, E. Stychkin, A. Asenov, A. Telebarisova

# Parallel -WORLDS -

This is a touching story about a charming but lonely young woman. One evening she suddenly finds a stranger on her balcony. They start a conversation, and then begin to dance. The unexpected guest accidentally finds the way to her heart... and that changes everything in her life.

Miracles always happen on Christmas Eve. One happens to Yura - he becomes invisible after falling down into a manhole. And the adventure begins!



RUNNING TIME HD 1x90'

Genre: Comedy Directed by: Sergey Komarov Cast: I. Lyubimov, E. Guseva, A. Merzlikin, G. Kutsenko, I. Rozanova, D. Astrakhan



# THE IRONY OF LOVE

Assel has everything that any girl wants: she is beautiful, she has a wealthy father and an influential fiance. But she wants more and decides to become a TV show host. She meets the show producer who offers her a bet: Assel will get the job if she seduces the first man who walks into the restaurant. To reach her goal Assel starts a dangerous game without rules.



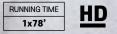
Genre: Romantic Comedy Directed by: Alexander Chernyaev Cast: A. Chadov, A.I Sagatova, E. Zholzhaksynov, I. Rozanova, O. Orlova, N. Rudova, F. Abdraimov, M. Chernyaeva, G. Kutsenko



# Russian Classics

# THREE POPLARS AT PLYUSCHIKHA

Genre: Romance Production Year: 1967



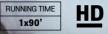
Accidental meeting of a taxi driver and a married peasant woman was very short but the only hour that they spent together was enough to feel how they were lacking simple understanding, warmth and tenderness...



### SPRING AT ZARECHNAYA STREET

A newly appointed Russian literature teacher develops a strong connection with one of her flagging students.

Genre: Melodrama Production Year: 1956



### COME TOMORROW

Young girl from the country comes to Moscow, she wants to get into the Musical College, but it is too late..., She will not give up and will do everything to get a meeting with the dean and sing for him.

Genre: Melodrama Production Year: 1963

RUNNING TIME 1x90'



## JOLLY FELLOWS

Shepherd Kostya Potekhin is mistaken for an international concert star. In a cascade of comic musical numbers, he becomes the leader of a Jazz-Band and a simple housekeeper Anyuta becomes a singer.

Genre: Musical comedy Production Year: 1934

RUNNING TIME		D
1x89'		

## CIRCUS

In the mid-1930s, the American circus actress Marion Dixon is forced to leave the United States because she has a black baby. German impresario organizes a tour for her in the USSR. Marion comes to Moscow and decides to stay there forever...

Genre: Musical comedy Production Year: 1936





## **VOLGA-VOLGA**

The action takes place on a steamboat on the iconic Volga River, as two groups of performers travel to Moscow to participate in the Moscow Musical Olympiad.

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Genre: Musical comedy Production Year: 1938



# THE FOUNDLING

Little Natasha left her home and got lost in the big city. Wandering around Moscow, she had various adventures, made many friends, who participated in her destiny, and finally came back home.

Genre: Comedy Production Year: 1939

RUNNING TIME HD 1x70'

## **ARSHIN MAL-ALAN**

Back in the day in the East a man could not see the face of his bride until they got married. Asker decides to disguise himself as a cloth salesman called "Arshin Mal-Alan". He comes into the houses, where women do not cover their faces while choosing the fabrics. This is how he can find a wife that he really likes.

Genre: Musical comedy Production Year: 1945



# LOVE AND PILOTS

Film is set in the WWII in Russia. Three pilots are the best friends and the good fighters. They are taking an oath to refrain from love until the end of the War. But soon they meet three women-pilots. One by one they give up the oath, and all three fall in love.

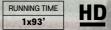
Genre: Melodrama Production Year: 1945



## WATCH OUT FOR AUTOMOBILE

Yury Detochkin is an insurance agent who also happens to be a car thief. He steals only from the crooks and gives all the money to orphanage. Ironically, his best friend is a police officer who tries to catch him...

Genre: Comedy, Detective Production Year: 1967



# FATHER OF A SOLDIER

An aging Georgian farmer embarks on a dangerous journey to find his injured son during World War II. However, his son has been sent back to the front and father soon finds himself in the midst of the battle.

Genre: Drama Production Year: 1964





# **OFFICERS**

Epic Soviet era masterpiece depicting the unshakable bonds of love, friendship and duty amid the horror of war. Two friends- both officers - are in love with the same woman. Through the Russian civil war to WWII, they fight, love and die.

Genre: Romantic Drama Production Year: 1971

RUNNING TIME	HD
1x91'	

# **ONLY OLD MEN ARE GOING TO BATTLE**

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Genre: Drama Production Year: 1973

WWII. Veteran Russian pilots teach their new recruits about life, death and love. When the older men fly into battle, will the young pilots be ready to fight - and how many will return?

RUNNING TIME	HD
1x83'	

# CINDERELLA

Filmed in 1947 and fully restored to digital quality. This sweet and wonderful fairytale will warm up your heart. Its beauty is as charming as it is fresh and somewhat nostalgic at the same time.

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Genre: Fantasy Production Year: 1947



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