

FILMS at the VID

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9th --- 5:00pm \$5.00

WINE AND CHEESE, FUN AND FUNDRAISER, SOCIAL DANCING, TRIVIA QUIZ & FOLK SONGS
co-sponsored by the Gadfly Club & KCDC Reach out Comm.

followed by FREE SHOWING: 7:00pm of "THE GOOD FIGHT"

"THE GOOD FIGHT", Prize winning 98 minute color film narrated by Studs Terkel, the movie is full of the names and images of the famous -- Lillian Hellman, Paul Robeson, Dorothy Parker and Ernest Hemingway but the stars of the film are 11 men and women who fought in Spain and are still alive to tell about it. "A FASCINATING DOCUMENTARY", says New York Newsday. "Is the one film you should be sure not to miss", reports the Nation.

Lincoln Vets, just returned from a 50th Anniversary Reunion in Spain will report on "Impressions 50 years later" and answer questions from the audience.

the GOOD FIGHT

The Abraham Lincoln Brigade in the Spanish Civil War



Produced and Directed by
- NOEL BUCKNER • MARY DORE • SAM SILLS
Narrated by STUDES TERKEL Project Historian DAVID PASKIN
Music by WENDY BLACKSTONE • BERNARDO PALOMBO A FIRST RUN FEATURES Release
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FRIDAY, NOV. 21 7:30 SHARP! "POINT OF ORDER"!!

Produced & directed by Emile De Antonio. 1964, b&w, 97 Mins. A Political documentary without narration of the Army-McCarthy Hearings of 1954. For 36 days in 1954, the Army-McCarthy Hearings brought an unusual kind of political theatre into the homes of millions of Americans - an inquisitorial spectacle played for live TV by lawyers like army counsel Joseph Welch and right wingers like Senator McCarthy. The film presents the highlights of the historic hearings abstracted from 188 hours of filmed testimony.

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"FROM SPIKES TO SPINDLES"

New York: Third World Newsreel, 1976. 52 min.: Snd, Col. A Study of New York's Chinatown and the growth of community spirit.

AND

"CHINA COMMUNE"

Westinghouse Broadcasting Co., 1973. 36 min.: Snd, Col.: Examines the way of life in the Kwang Li People's Commune in the Republic of China. Shows how the Commune is administered, how tasks are divided, and how a family lives day to day.

Friday, May 16 -- 7:30pm

"SOCIAL SECURITY — HOW SECURE?"

National Broadcasting Co., 1976. 52 mins.: Snd., Col. Examines America's vast and little understood social security system with respect to its philosophy, purpose, fairness, financial soundness, and the degree of security it offers to today's and future recipients.

AND

"34 YEARS AFTER HITLER"

CBS News, 1979, 19 mins: Snd. Col. Looks at the ways in which the Hitler-Nazi legacy and philosophy endures and is growing in Germany, supported by a linkage with the "Cornhusker Connection", an American Nazi operation in Lincoln Nebraska.

Friday, May 23 — 7:30

WHAT HARVEST FOR THE REAPER?

National Educational TV, 1948. 59 mins. Snd. Col. Documents the experience of a group of farm workers who became trapped in a system that kept them perpetually in debt. Shows methods of recruitment, labor camps on Long Island, and types of work involved. Presents opinions of growers and processors and a refutation of their views.

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"CORRUPTION in the NY City Gov't"

with

JACK NEWFIELD

Sr. Editor of the Village Voice and co-author of "The Permanent Gov't."

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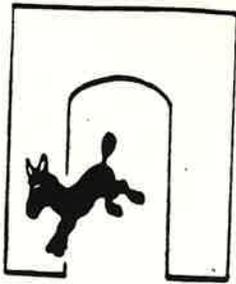
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

V.I.D. ANNOUNCES "ARTS-AID" CLINICS
TO SUPPORT LEGAL NEEDS OF ARTISTS IN THE CITY

NEW YORK (June 25)...In an effort to meet the special needs of New York City's arts community, the Village Independent Democrats (VID) will sponsor an "Arts-Aid" legal clinic beginning next month, it was announced here today by V.I.D. President Rick Braun.

"We have long recognized that economic and other factors affect the survival of artists from all performance areas in New York City," Braun said. "New York City has always been an arts rich community, and we must take those extra steps to insure that this richness is not devalued."

Steven R. Gordon, a graduate of New York University School of Law and specialist in entertainment, copyright and corporate law will run "Arts-Aid" for organizations and individuals seeking legal advice on a walk-in basis.

The first session is scheduled for Tuesday, July 1 ~~Friday, July 11th~~ from 7:30-9:30 p.m. All "Arts-Aid" legal clinics will be held at V.I.D. headquarters, at 224 West 4th Street off Sheridan Square. For more information call (212) 243-6555.

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Friday, December 5th ---- 6:30pm SHARP!

INTOLERANCE

Directed by D.W. Griffith, 1916. One of America's greatest and most studied film makers. THIS RARELY SHOWN CLASSIC FILM SHOULD NOT BE MISSED!

WARNING: THIS FILM IS THREE HOURS LONG AND WILL START PROMPTLY AT 6:30pm.

Griffith attempts to universalize the theme of intolerance by intercutting four stories from different periods. The Modern Story (Mother and the Law), set in the early twentieth century, depicts the struggle between capital and labor. The Judean Story (The Nazareen) recounts the conflict between Christ and the Pharisees. The Medieval Story (The fall of Babylon) depicts the betrayal of Prince Belshazzar to the Persians. The film exerted an enormous influence in post-revolutionary Russia where it was studied and widely seen. The film advanced the techniques of set design, number of extras, and camera mobility with power and originality. Stars Lillian Gish, Mae Marsh, Lillian Langdon and Constance Talmadge.

Distributed by Museum of Modern Art.

Friday, December 19th ---- 7:30pm SHARP!

LOVEJOY'S NUCLEAR WAR

Green Mountain Post Films, 1975. One hour, sound and color. Directed by Daniel Keller, narrator John Wilton.

Sam Lovejoy razed (bombed to you) a weather tower in Montague, Mass. which had been erected prior to building a nuclear power plant. He explains that he took this action to protect other citizens from possible radioactive waste. Discusses the legal aspect of a situation in which his action with good intentions is not within the law.

DISCUSSION: CAN INDIVIDUAL ACTS OF VIOLENCE BE JUSTIFIED FOR THE COMMON GOOD?

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Reprintment of June 2nd Party

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initial leaflet & blowup
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400 leaflets for Drumm Rudman

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PUTTING PEACE ON THE AGENDA

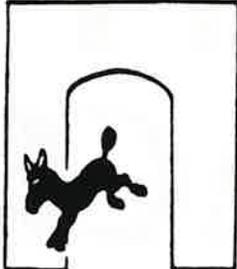
A FORUM FOR PEACE ACTIVISTS SATURDAY MAY 10

2pm at the VID 224 W 4 ST

- Presentations by key political activists including Norma Becker, Miriam Friedlander & David Rothenberg
- Open discussion: How to extend the political reach of peace groups 1) How to make peace issues voter issues 2) How to put peace issues on candidates platforms 3) How to advance peace issues through the Democratic Party organization
- For information call David Herst 964-5035 or Mimi Hurd 777-0033 Day/Eves, call 243-6555

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PUTTING PEACE ON THE AGENDA

A Vital & Timely Workshop for Peace Activists

Saturday, May 10th, 1986 2 - 5 pm, at VID

Dear Fellow Activist,

As you well know, the struggle for Peace has lately taken on new urgency:

- * The U.S. is becoming increasingly aggressive and interventionist, not only in Central America, but in the Mediterranean and Angola.
- * President Reagan has bluntly rejected the Gorbachev nuclear test moratorium and disarmament initiatives in favor of Star Wars.
- * Pressures for democratic reform are mounting in South Africa and South Korea.

Meanwhile at home, the 1986 election campaign is in gear. Candidates are building organizations, planning strategies, developing issues. This season offers us both an opportunity and a challenge:

How can we put vital peace issues on the 1986 electoral agenda?

Last year's anti-Westway victory and nuclear navyport referendum drive show both the opportunities for and limitations of using the electoral process to promote peace issues. To help us be more effective this year, the Peace & Foreign Affairs Committee of the **Village Independent Democrats (VID)** invites you to our workshop, **Putting Peace on the Agenda**, on Saturday May 10 from 2 to 5 pm. Local officials, community activists and VID members, including Miriam Friedlander, David Rothenberg and Norma Becker, will join in exploring:

- * How to make peace issues voter issues.
- * How to advance peace issues through the Democratic party organization.
- * How to put peace issues on candidates' platforms.

How can VID help the Peace Movement?

- * VID is the largest progressive Democratic club in New York State, and a strong, progressive voice in the Democratic party.
- * VID holds its own endorsement process, which in past years, has turned such issues as Westway and Gay/Lesbian Rights into "litmus tests" for candidates seeking our support.
- * VID is active on the street as well. Our office was the central headquarters for last year's Navyport referendum campaign; our members worked hard throughout the campaign.

Let us together meet the challenge of this electoral season. Join us on May 10th.

Mimi Hurd
Co-Chairs, VID Peace & Foreign Affairs Committee

David Herst

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A Valentine's Day Party to Benefit the Homeless

February 14th. At 8 PM

At the home of Tony & Nadine Katz Hoffman, 259 West 10th street

Admission \$10 or \$5 with a gift of food or clothing for the homeless

Refreshments

All profits, clothing and food to go to:
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