

OCTOBER, 2019 TOP FORTY LVCA RECOMMENDED NEW DVD AND DVD-R RELEASES

Part One: The following new recommended dvd and dvd-r releases are under consideration as future LVCA dvd donations to a Ligonier area library.

New Recommended Releases of October 1, 2019:

- 1. Counsellor At Law United States 1933 black-and-white 81' live action feature drama Director: William Wyler with John Barrymore, Melvyn Douglas, Bebe Daniels, and Thelma Todd a Universal Vault dvd-r release Rated TV-G.
- 2. The Pilgrim's Progress United States 2019 color 130' feature animation fantasy Director: Robert Fernandez Voices cast includes John Rhys-Davies. a Vision Video dvd release Rated PG.
- 3. Das schweigende Klassenzimmer (The Silent Revolution) Germany 2018 color 111' subtitled live action feature docudrama Director: Lars Kraume an Icarus Films dvd release Rated PG.
- 4. You Can't Cheat an Honest Man United States 1939 black-and-white 79' live action feature comedy Directors: George Marshall and Eddie Cline with W. C. Fields, Edgar Bergen, and Eddie Anderson a Universal Vault dvd-r release suitable for teens and adults

New Recommended Releases of October 8, 2019:

- 1. Feliz año Tijuana (Happy New Year, Tijuana) Mexico 2018 color 74' subtitled live action feature docudrama Director: Andrew van Baal a Strand Releasing dvd release adult viewing
- 2. Three Peaks Italy / Germany 2017 color 94' subtitled live action feature drama Director: Jan Zabeil with Bérénice Bejo and Alexander Fehling

a Kino Lorber dvd release Rated PG-13.

New Recommended Releases of October 15, 2019:

- 1. Emanuel United States 2019 color 90' live action feature documentary Director: Brian Ivie a Universal Studios Home Entertainment dvd release adult viewing
- 2. En guerre (At War) France 2018 color 115' subtitled live action feature drama Director: Stéphane Brize with Vincent Lindon a Cinema Libre dvd release adult viewing
- 3. Harmonia Israel 2016 color 98' subtitled live action feature drama Director: Ori Sivan a Film Movement dvd release adult viewing
- 4. 900 Dagen (900 Days) Netherlands / Russia 2011 color and black-and-white 77' subtitled live action feature documentary Director: Jessica Gorter an Icarus Films dvd release adult viewing
- 5. The Queen of Spades United Kingdom 1949 black-and-white 95' live action feature horror Director: Thorold Dickinson with Anton Walbrook, Edith Evans, Yvonne Mitchell, and Anthony Dawson Highly recommended by Kino Ken. a Kino Lorber Studio Classics dvd release suitable for mature teens and adults, based on the short story by Alexander Pushkin and adapted as the opera *La dame de pique* by Piotr Tchaikovsky
- 6. Sipur Ahava Eretz-Israeli (An Israeli Love Story) Israel 2017 color 93' subtitled live action feature romance Director: Dan Wolman a Film Movement dvd release adult viewing
- 7. Sisters of the Wilderness South Africa 2018 color 90' subtitled live action feature documentary Director: Karin Slater an Indiepix dvd release

New Recommended Releases of October 22, 2019:

- 1. La camarista (The Chambermaid) Mexico 2018 color 102' subtitled live action feature drama, currently Mexico's official submission for the 2020 Best International Film Oscar® Director: Lila Avilés a Kino Lorber dvd release adult viewing
- 2. Fishmas! United States 2019 color 74' feature animation fantasy Director: Evan Tramel an Alliance Entertainment dvd release children's viewing

- 3. The Other Story Israel 2018 color 112' subtitled live action feature dramedy Director: Avi Nesher a Strand Releasing dvd release adult viewing 4. Le retour de Martin Guerre (The Return of Martin Guerre) France 1982 color 111' subtitled live action feature drama Director: Daniel Vigne with Gerard Depardieu and Nathalie Baye a Cohen Media Group dvd release adult viewing
- 5. The Things We Keep France 2018 color 73' subtitled live action feature documentary Co-Directors: Alessandro Cassigoli and Casey Kauffman a Passion River dvd release adult viewing

New Recommended Releases of October 29, 2019:

- 1. Jirga Afghanistan 2019 color 79' subtitled live action feature drama, official submission from Australia for the 2020 Best International Film Oscar® Director: Benjamin Gilmour a Lightyear Video dvd release adult viewing 2. La Marseillaise (The Marseillaise) France 1938 black-and-white 130' subtitled live action feature drama Director: Jean Renoir with Pierre Renoir, Lisa Delamare, and Louis Jouvet a Kino Classics dvd release adult viewing 3. Matewan United States 1981 color 142' live action feature drama Director: John Sayles with Chris Cooper, James Earl Jones, and David Strathairn a Criterion Collection dvd release Rated PG-13. Highly recommended by Kino Ken.
- 4. Palestine Morocco / Spain / Israel 2017 color 78' subtitled live action feature drama Co-Directors: Julio Soto Gurpide and Mohamed El Badaoui a Summer Hill Films dvd release adult viewing

Part Two: Other Recommended New DVD and DVD-R Releases

Other New Recommended Releases of October 1, 2019:

- 1. All Good Things United States? 2019 color 81' live action family feature drama Director: Kahlil Silver a 4Digital dvd release family viewing
- 2. American Chaos United States 2018 color 90' live action feature documentary Director: James Stern a Sony Pictures Classics dvd release adult viewing
- 3. Birth of the Blues United States 1941 black-and-white with one Technicolor sequence 87' live action feature musical

Director: Victor Schertzinger with Bing Crosby, Jack Teagarden, Brian Donlevy, Eddie Anderson, and Mary Martin a Universal Vault dvd-r release family viewing

- 4. Blue Skies United States 1946 color 104' live action feature musical Directors: Stuart Heisler and Mark Sandrich with Bing Crosby and Fred Astaire music by Irving Berlin a Universal Vault dvd-r release family viewing 5. Framing John De Lorean United States / United Kingdom 2019 color 109' live action feature docudrama Co-Directors: Don Argott and Sheena Joyce
- live action feature docudrama Co-Directors: Don Argott and Sheena Joyce with Alec Baldwin an IFC dvd release adult viewing
- 6. I'll Be Yours United States 1947 black-and-white 94' live action feature musical romance Director: William Seiter with Deanna Durbin and Adolphe Menjou a Universal Vault dvd-r release family viewing
- 7. Imitation of Life United States 1934 black-and-white 111' live action feature drama Director: John Stahl with Claudette Colbert, Louise Beavers, Warren William, Hattie McDaniel, and Rochelle Hudson
- a Universal Vault dvd-r release adult viewing
- 8. Intelligent Lives United States 2019 color 70' live action feature documentary Director: Dan Habib a Passion River dvd release adult viewing 9. Maiden United States / United Kingdom / Uruguay 2018 color 97' live action feature documentary Director: Alex Holmes with Tracy Edwards a Sony Pictures Classics dvd release Rated PG.
- 10. The Old-Fashioned Way United States 1934 black-and-white 70' live action feature comedy Director: William Beaudine with W. C. Fields and Baby Leroy a Universal Vault dvd-r release family viewing
- 11. Walden: Life in the Woods United States 2017 color 104' live action feature documentary Director: Alex Harvey a Virgil Films dvd release adult viewing
- 12. You're Telling Me! United States 1934 black-and-white 67' live action feature comedy Director: Erle Kenton with W. C. Fields a Universal Vault dvd-r release family viewing

Other New Recommended Releases of October 8, 2019:

1. Angela's Ashes Ireland 1999 color 146' live action feature drama Director: Alan Parker with Emily Watson and Robert Carlyle a Paramount Pictures dvd release Rated R.

2. Red Joan United Kingdom 2019 color 101' live action feature drama Director: Trevor Nunn with Judi Dench a Sony Pictures Home Entertainment dvd release Rated R.

Other New Recommended Releases of October 15, 2019:

- 1. Octav (Octave) Romania 2017 color 103' subtitled live action feature fantasy Director: Serge Ioan Celebidachi a First Run Features dvd release adult viewing
- 2. Our Hospitality United States 1923 black-and-white 75' silent live action feature comedy Co-Directors: John Blystone and Buster Keaton with Buster Keaton, Joe Roberts, Joe Keaton, and Natalie Talmadge Very strongly recommended by Kino Ken. Bonus features include
- a. The Iron Mule United States 1925 black-and-white
- 13' live action silent comedy short Co-Directors: Roscoe Arbuckle and Grover Jones with Buster Keaton

and b. Un duel á mort (A Duel to the Death) France 1952 black-and-white 22' subtitled live action short comedy Director: Pierre Blondy with Buster Keaton and Antonin Berval

All three films above are suitable for teens and adults.

- a Kino Classics dvd release
- 3. Polednice (The Noonday Witch) Czech Republic 2016 color 89' subtitled live action feature horror Director: Jiri Sadek with Ana Geislerová and Carolina Lipowská an Image Entertainment dvd release Rated TV-MA.
- 4. White Christmas United States 1954 color 120' live action feature musical Director: Michael Curtiz with Bing Crosby, Danny Kaye, Rosemary Clooney, Vera-Ellen, and Dean Jagger a Paramount Pictures dvd release family viewing Recommended by Kino Ken.

Other New Recommended Release of October 22, 2019:
Honeyland North Macedonia 2019 color 90'
subtitled live action feature documentary, official submission from
North Macedonia for the current Best International Film Oscar®
Co-Directors: Tamara Kotevska and Ljubomir Stefanov
a Universal Studios Home Entertainment dvd-r release Rated TV-G.

Other New Recommended Release of October 29, 2019: Kundun Morocco / Canada / United States 1997 color 134' subtitled live action feature docudrama Director: Martin Scorsese music by Philip Glass includes audio commentary a Kino Lorber Studio Classics dvd release Rated PG.