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Sid Jacobson JCC's Jewish Film Festival Returns for the 26th Season

Festival to feature six films from June through August

East Hills, NY, May 30, 2019 – [Sid Jacobson JCC](#)'s Edward & Bernice Wenger Center for the Arts proudly presents the [Randi & Bruce Pergament Jewish Film Festival](#). Returning for the 26th season, the festival begins Wednesday, June 26, 7:30pm and will feature a variety of must-see documentaries and dramas shown in the JCC's Rubenstein Auditorium.

"I'm very excited about this year's lineup," says Julie Assael, Senior Adult Program Coordinator, SJJCC. "We have a variety of drama and documentaries that are sure to be enjoyed by all of our filmgoers."

This year's lineup includes *Shoelaces*, a 90-minute Israeli drama directed by Jacob Goldwasser, being shown on June 26 at 7:30pm and June 27 at 2pm; *The Cakemaker*, a 105-minute German Israeli drama directed by Ofir Raul Graizer, being shown on July 10 at 7:30pm and July 11 at 2pm; *Who Will Write Our History*, a 95-minute American documentary directed by Roberta Grossman, being shown on July 17 at 7:30pm and July 18 at 2pm; *The Mambo Kings*, an 86-minute American documentary directed by Lex Gillespie, being shown on July 24 at 7:30pm and July 25 at 2pm; *Across the Waters*, a 95-minute Danish drama directed by Nicolor Donato, being shown on July 31 at 7:30pm and August 1 at 2pm; *The Last Suit*, a 93-minute Argentinian drama directed by Pablo Solarz, being shown on August 7 at 7:30pm and August 8 at 2pm.

Filmgoers are encouraged to purchase tickets in advance as screenings will sell out, and to arrive at least 15 minutes prior to each program. General seating begins 30 minutes before show time. Please note that films are not rated and some may contain explicit language and/or violence. All foreign films have English subtitles.

To learn more about Randi & Bruce Pergament Jewish Film Festival or to purchase tickets, visit sjjcc.org/filmfestival or contact Julie Assael, Senior Adult Program Coordinator at 516.484.1545 ext. 134 or jassael@sjjcc.org.

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About Sid Jacobson JCC

Sid Jacobson JCC (sjjcc.org), in East Hills, and its surrounding campus, the Bernice Jacobson Day School and Camp (bjdsc.org), in Old Westbury, provide a full range of cutting-edge recreational, health, fitness, educational, cultural arts and social service programs. SJJCC promotes Jewish identity and provides a comprehensive program based on Jewish values, traditions, heritage, and culture, and is committed to enriching the lives of all individuals and families in its community. SJJCC embraces all individuals and families, and values diversity. See community differently, "Like" the JCC on Facebook (facebook.com/sidjacobsonjcc).

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