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Showcasing the Best in Independent and World Cinema Thursday, October 4 – 14, 2018

Festival Stats

FEATURES

World – 45 US – 27 Docs – 24 Music – 8 Family – 4

SHORTS

World – 13 US – 22 Docs – 14 Family – 30 Youth Reel – 17

TOTAL FEATURES – 108 TOTAL SHORTS – 96 TOTAL TITLES – 204

PREMIERES (features)

World – 8 North American – 4 US – 12

TOTAL PREMIERES – 24 TOTAL COUNTRIES – 46

Mind the Gap: Women | Film | Tech (MVFF Gender Equity Initiative) 45% of all films across the 2018 Festival are directed by Women

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About the Mill Valley Film Festival

Presented by the California Film Institute, the 41st Festival runs October 4 – 14, 2018. Locations this year include: CinéArts@Sequoia (Mill Valley), Christopher B. Smith Rafael Film Center (San Rafael), Lark Theatre (Larkspur), and other theatres throughout the Bay Area. With a reputation for launching new films and creating awards season buzz, MVFF has earned a reputation as a "filmmakers' festival" by celebrating the best in American independent and world cinema alongside high profile and prestigious award contenders.

About the California Film Institute

The non-profit California Film Institute (CFI) celebrates and promotes film by presenting the annual Mill Valley Film Festival and DocLands Documentary Film Festival, exhibiting film year-round at the Christopher B. Smith Rafael Film Center, and building the next generation of filmmakers and audiences through CFI Education. CFI relies on the generosity of its community to sustain these core programs. The invaluable support of our sponsors, foundations, and individual donors ensures our continued success as we celebrate our 40th year. For more information please visit www.cafilm.org.

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