

Film screening: Sugarcane

This is an in-person event

Date September 24, 2025

Time 3:00 pm to 4:45 pm

Location Third floor program room

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In honour of *National Day of Truth and Reconciliation*, we are hosting a screening of the film *Sugarcane*. This film is rated R and guests under 17 require an accompanying parent or adult guardian; drop-in permitted if space is available.

Film bio: A stunning tribute to the resilience of Native people and their way of life – SUGARCANE, the debut feature documentary from Julian Brave NoiseCat and Emily Kassie – is an epic cinematic portrait of a community during a moment of international reckoning. Set amidst a ground-breaking investigation into abuse and death at an Indian residential school, the film empowers participants to break cycles of intergenerational trauma by bearing witness to painful, long-ignored truths – and the love that endures within their families despite the revelation of genocide.

Directors: Julian Brave NoiseCat, Emily Kassie / 2024 / 107 min. (1h 42 min.)

The National Indian Residential School Crisis Line provides 24-hour crisis support to former Indian Residential School students and their families toll-free at 1-866-925-4419.

First Nations, Inuit and Métis seeking immediate emotional support can contact the Hope for Wellness Help Line toll-free at 1-855-242-3310, or by online chat at a.hopeforwellness.ca.

In British Columbia, contact the Indian Residential School Survivors Society (IRSSS) Lamathut Crisis Line: 1 (800) 721-0066.

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