

At the West Hartford Public Library

Friday Night Films

ALL FILMS BEGIN AT 6:30 p.m. (except triple feature) at the Noah Webster Library at Blue Back Square. Films are screened in the Library Meeting Room on the lower level. Seating is limited to the first 60 people in attendance. No entry after the film begins, so please arrive well in advance of the screening--doors open at 6:00 p.m. Complimentary coffee is provided. Admission is free, but entry is in accordance with MPAA ratings.



MAY 9 THE WAR IN IRAQ: 3 Films With Oscar Nominations

- **Iraq in Fragments** (2006) 2:00 p.m. (doors open at 1:30 p.m.)

Images and commentary from ordinary Iraqi citizens coping with the effects of war, political unrest, religious feuds, and an uncertain future. Nominated for Best Documentary Oscar. 94 m.

- **No End in Sight** (2007) 4:00 p.m.

Examines the decisions that led to the 2003 U.S. invasion of Iraq and the handling of the subsequent occupation. Featuring exclusive interviews with central players and detailed analysis, the film pulls no punches as it chronicles the twists and turns America took on the path to war. Not rated. 102 min.

- **In the Valley of Elah** (2007) 6:30 p.m.

A soldier goes missing after returning from Iraq, and his concerned parents hire a detective to investigate. Director Paul Haggis based the script on actual events. With Tommy Lee Jones, Susan Sarandon, Charlize Theron, and Josh Brolin. Rated R. 121 m.

TRIPLE
FEATURE



Lars and the Real Girl (2007) Ryan Gosling plays the title character in this

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sweet, quirky comedy about a delusional young man who buys a life-size doll over the Internet. When the besotted young man starts telling people that the doll is his girlfriend, his brother and sister-in-law decide it's time to intervene. Co-starring Patricia Clarkson, Emily Mortimer, Kelli Garner and Paul Schneider. Rated PG-13. 95 m.



Starting Out in the Evening (2007) Aiming to revive the faded career of

May 30

ailing author Leonard Schiller (Frank Langella), enterprising graduate student Heather Wolfe (Lauren Ambrose) makes his novels the topic of her master's thesis. While Heather raises Leonard's hopes of a literary comeback, his middle-aged daughter (played by Lili Taylor) remains dubious. First-time director Andrew Wagner's screen adaptation is based on a book by Brian Morton. Rated PG-13. 111 m.



Into the Wild (2007) Sean Penn directs this feature based on Jon Krakauer's true

June 6

story of a young man who gives up everything to lead a solitary life in the wild. Christopher McCandless (Emile Hirsch), a middle-class college graduate, abandons his safe existence for the harsh yet beautiful terrain of Alaska. William Hurt and Marcia Gay Harden co-star, along with Catherine Keener, Vince Vaughn and Hal Holbrook (in an Oscar-nominated role). Rated R. 148 m.

The West Hartford Public Library, Noah Webster Library, is located at 20 S. Main Street, West Hartford. The town will provide free parking for all library filmgoers who use the Isham Garage and bring their parking ticket to the movie for validation. Films are for educational purposes. For more information, please call the library reference desk at: 860-561-6990.

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