

THIRD FRIDAY SUMMER FILM SERIES

Getting Away From It All

This summer we will present a variety of movies whose main characters need a change of scenery as they deal with crises of boredom, sadness, and insecurity. Although all are listed as romantic comedies, poignant moments in each will resonate with viewers' own struggles.

Please join us for this series in the Bloom Room on the third Friday of each month in June, July and August. Each film presentation will be followed by a discussion. No charge.

Karen Borek and Jim Franks are the hosts for this film series.

Roman Holiday (1953)

Friday, July 20 at 6:30 pm in the Bloom Room

Roman Holiday is a 1953 American romantic comedy directed and produced by William Wyler. Starring Gregory Peck and Audrey Hepburn, it's the story of a royal princess who sets out to experience Rome on her own, without royal minders or constraints. Hepburn won an Oscar for Best Actress for her performance; the film also won Oscars for screenplay and costume design. In 1999, *Roman Holiday* was selected for preservation by the Library of Congress for being "culturally, historically, or aesthetically significant."