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**32ND ANNUAL AMERICAN INDIAN FILM FESTIVAL: NOV.2-10, 2007**

CELEBRATING 32 YEARS OF INDEPENDENT FILM, THE AMERICAN INDIAN FILM FESTIVAL WILL SHOWCASE OVER 90 FILMS- FEATURES –DOCUMENTARIES - LIVE & ANIMATED SHORT SUBJECTS - MUSIC VIDEOS - AND RUN FOR NINE DAYS. BEGINNING NOVEMBER 2-7 AT THE LANDMARK EMBARCADERO CENTER CINEMA, ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, PROMENADE LEVEL; AND NOVEMBER 8-10 AT THE PALACE OF FINE ARTS, 3301 LYON STREET.

**FILM FESTIVAL HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:**

- \* OPENING NIGHT: NOV. 2: “ SALUTE TO BALLET’S FINEST”: TWO DOCUMENTARIES - RENOWNED BALLET DANCERS MARIA TALLCHIEF (OSAGE) AND JOCK SOTO (NAVAJO)(*WATER FLOWING TOGETHER*)
- \* 12 NOON MATINEE SCREENINGS STARTING SATURDAY NOV. 3
- \* NAVAJO CINEMA NIGHT-NOV.3 @ 7:00PM
- \* SHORTS PROGRAM I – NOV. 4@ 12 NOON
- \* FILM FINANCE PANEL NOV. 7 WITH AWARD WINNING INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS @ RADISSON FISHERMANS WHARF IN SF. **FREE ADMISSION**
- \* OPENING THE SECOND PART OF THE FESTIVAL AT THE PALACE OF FINE ARTS NOV. 8 @ 7:30PM: DOCUMENTARY *GATHERING TOGETHER* AND FEATURE FILM *FOUR SHEETS TO THE WIND*.
- \*CLOSING NIGHT NOV. 9 @ 7:30PM AT THE PALACE OF FINE ARTS; DOCUMENTARY *MAKING THE RIVER* AND FEATURE - FILM *IMPRINT*.
- \* AIFI TRIBAL TOURING PROGRAM, NATIVE YOUTH FILM SCREENINGS NOV.9 10:00AM AT THE PALACE OF FINE ARTS. ADMISSION IS **FREE** FOR THIS EVENT
- \* AMERICAN INDIAN MOTION PICTURE AWARDS SHOW SATURDAY NOV. 10, STARRING ROBERT MIRABAL, JANA, JAMIE COON, SWIL KANIM, YAAW TEI YI TLINGIT DANCERS FROM JUNEU, AK AND OTHERS. **BEGINS 6:00PM @** THE PALACE OF FINE ARTS.

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