5TH ANNUAL

JAPANESE MOVIES AT THE CREST

FILM FESTIVAL

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 15 & SATURDAY AFTERNOON & EVENING, MAY 16, 2009

THE CREST THEATRE • 1013 K STREET, DOWNTOWN SACRAMENTO, CA



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OPENING NIGHT!

Friday Evening Feature - May 15, 8:00 PM

LOVE AND HONOR (2006)

A story of sensitivity & depth about a young, blind samurai who is tested by a rigid, hypocritical feudal society. The last film of Yoji Yamada's samurai trilogy. Winner of three 2007 Japanese Academy Awards. (Japanese with English subtitles)

Saturday, May 16, 12:30 PM 1st Show

GO FOR BROKE!

(1951)

Director Robert Pirosh's depiction of the Japanese-American 442nd Regimental Combat team who suffered the highest casualties and won the most Purple Hearts of any WWII unit. Starring the Nisei veterans & Van Johnson.

Saturday May 16, 3:00 PM 2nd Show

MOST HONORABLE SON (2007)

Bill Kubota's documentary on a "Nebraskan farm boy" and WWII hero, Ben Kuroki. Film clips and interviews with Kuroki, a B-24 & B-29 gunner, and his surviving squadron team mates.



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Saturday, May 16, 5:00 PM 3rd Show

THE GIRL WHO LEAPT THROUGH TIME (2006)

A teen tomboy, Makoto, finds that she has the gift of traveling back in time. Winner of the 2007 Japanese Academy Award for Best Anime. (Japanese with English subtitles)



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Saturday, May 16, 8:15 PM 4th Show

A STRANGER OF MINE (2005)

A drama which has comic moments with unexpected twists and turns. Winner of three awards at Cannes Film Festival. (Japanese with English subtitles)



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