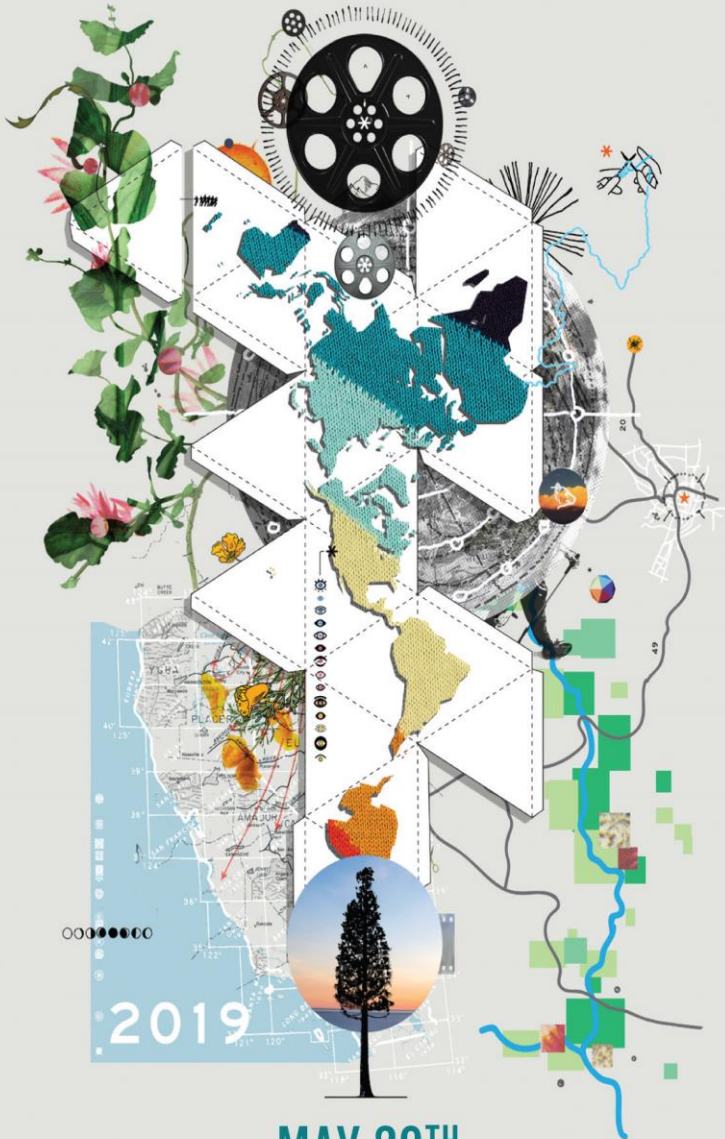




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Thank you for coming to the 6th Annual Wild & Scenic Film Festival in Suffern. This year we are pleased to celebrate this past year's success and to recognize all the help and support that ROSA 4 Rockland has had throughout the community. Your coming to this event helps make our success possible.

We want to give a special thank you to our 2019 Lead Sponsor:

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- Wickes Arborist, Ramapo NY
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More sponsors supported this event in this program, on the screen before the show and on the SuffernFilmFest.com site. We encourage you to explore their products & services as they are all community supporters.

We also want to thank our Partner organizations who join us in fighting for the environment and who promote and organize outdoor activities that strengthens our community.

Thank you again,

The board of ROSA 4 Rockland.





ELLEN C. JAFFEE

Assemblywoman 97th District

Chair, Committee on Children and Families



Congratulations to ROSA for the Wild & Scenic Film Festival 2019 that celebrates Suffern's historic theater, our environment, and the many not-for-profits that participate and work hard for our community.

Rockland County's unique location and environmental assets make it a special place to live, work and raise a family. As a member of the Assembly Environmental Conservation Committee, protecting our environment and conserving our precious natural resources is a top priority. I support ROSA 4 Rockland's mission of sustainability and its reasoned, rational advocacy for the environment.

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7:35 First Half Films (65 minutes)

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8:50 Second Half Films (60 minutes)

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2019 FILM LINEUP

What does it take?

Will Parrinello, John Antonelli, Matt Yamashita | 2018 | 2 min.

What Does it Take? is the introduction to the New Environmentalists series. The New Environmentalists share a common goal, safeguarding the Earth's natural resources from exploitation and pollution.



Big World

Becca Cahall, David Morton, Fitz Cahall, Bishnu Kalpit | 2018 | 13 min.

As parents, how do we teach our kids that there is a world beyond social media, standardized tests and soccer practice? Join Eddie Bauer athlete David Morton and his seven-year-old son Thorne on a week-long stand up paddle boarding journey down the Karnali and Bheri Rivers in Western Nepal.



Great Old Broads for Wolves

Samantha Bates, Danny Schmidt, Thomas Winston | 2018 | 5 min

Welcome to the southwest, where the land is wild and the women... might be even wilder. Introducing the Great Old Broads for Wilderness and their fight to keep southwestern Colorado's wilderness an intact and natural environment. These women have come together to find their voice, and now are using it to give these lands a fighting chance.



Greenland Melts

Jason van Bruggen | 2017 | 4 min.

Dr. Konrad Steffen, the Swiss climate scientist whose research propelled Al Gore's "An Inconvenient Truth" and its sequel, reveals his alarming findings around glacial melt impacts on global sea level rise, climate change, and mass migration. Greenland Melts is stunningly filmed at remote polar monitoring stations where Dr. Steffen has been tracking the melting of the Greenlandic Ice Sheet for over 25 years.



Carpe Diem

Jake Gigliotti, Kevin Shiramizu | 2018 | 6 min.

In a city of people trying to catch a break, one lucky man hooks into an unexpected dream that becomes the role of a lifetime, reminding him to seize each new day as a chance to do what he loves.



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Forest on Fire

Reed Harkness, Heather Hawksford, Jason Reid, Darren Lund | 2018 | 30 min.

The Eagle Creek fire ravaged the Columbia River Gorge, causing communities to evacuate, and stranding 150 day-hikers who dramatically hike nearly 20 miles to safety. The fire was set by a 15-year-old boy who threw a lit firework into a dry ravine on the Eagle Creek Trail. This film includes accounts from an eyewitness who saw the boy start the fire, the stranded hikers, and people from the communities that persevered and took care of each other.



Creek Sessions

Tahria Sheather, Lindsey Hagen, Chris Nuam | 2018 | 7 min.

Nature has a rhythm – it just takes one to tune into it. Jess Kilroy – musician, climber, and conservationist – travels to wilderness areas around the West creating music from the natural sounds she finds there, with the goal of sparking people’s love for these wild lands.



Intermission

A New View of the Moon

Wylie Overstreet, Alex Gorosh | 2018 | 3 min.

Become reacquainted with awe alongside strangers interacting with a telescope trained on the moon. Watch as Wylie Overstreet takes a telescope around the streets of Los Angeles to give passersby an up-close look at a familiar object: a new view of the moon.



RJ Ripper

Joey Schusler, Ben Page, Aidan Haley | 2018 | 20 min.

Kids and bikes; wherever you are in the world, they go together. The chaotic streets of Kathmandu may not seem like a typical breeding ground for world-class mountain bikers, but then again nothing is typical about Rajesh (RJ) Magar.



The New Environmentalists - From Hanoi to Paris

John Antonelli, Will Parrinello, Matt Yamashita | 2018 | 31 min.

The New Environmentalists share a common goal, safeguarding the Earth’s natural resources from exploitation and pollution. The film features portraits of passionate and dedicated activists around the globe who have placed themselves squarely in harm’s way to battle intimidating adversaries for environmental justice in their communities. Narrated by Robert Redford.



Sunday June 2, 2019
4pm-7pm
CUPON Spaghetti Dinner*

CUPON Hillcrest invites community residents to join them in honoring three women known well to ROSA4Rockland followers:

- **Susan Shapiro**
- **Melanie Golden**
- **Deborah Munitz**



At the same dinner event please also help us honor:

- Assemblywoman Ellen Jaffee
- Assemblyman Ken Zebrowski
- Hillcrest Fire Company

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Assemblyman 96th District



Congratulations on another great environmental film festival!

I applaud ROSA 4 Rockland's advocacy in preserving our community and working to curb overdevelopment here in Rockland.

Respectful, rational and lawful land use planning helps protect the environment and repair divisiveness, and I am happy to support ROSA's mission and this event.

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