

HAWKCHURCH FILM NIGHTS

In association with Devon Moviola

Film Programme January – April 2018

8th January **Dunkirk (12A) 105 mins**

In May/June 1940 400,000 British soldiers were holed up in the French port of Dunkirk. The only way out was by sea, and the Germans had air superiority, bombing the British soldiers and ships without much opposition. The situation looked dire and, in desperation, Britain sent civilian boats to try to evacuate the beleaguered forces. This is that story, seen through the eyes of a soldier among the trapped forces, two RAF fighter pilots and a group of civilians on a boat, part of the evacuation fleet.

Directed by Christopher Nolan and starring Tom Hardy and Mark Rylance.

5th February **My Cousin Rachel (12A) 106 mins**

A young Englishman (Sam Claflin – Their Finest) plots revenge against his late cousin's mysterious, beautiful widow (Rachel Weisz), believing her responsible for his death. But his feelings become complicated as he finds himself falling under her beguiling spell.

Directed by Roger Mitchell, from the 1951 novel by Daphne du Maurier.

12th March **The Death of Stalin (15) 106 mins**

Armando Iannucci's black comedy has garnered rave reviews. It follows the Soviet dictator's last days and depicts the chaos of the regime after his death.

Standout performances from Simon Russell Beale (Beria), Michael Palin (Molotov) and Andrea Riseborough (Stalin's daughter Svetlana).

9th April **Murder on the Orient Express (12A) 115 mins**

Kenneth Branagh directs and stars in this new version of Agatha Christie's novel, in which the Belgian sleuth Hercule Poirot finds himself stranded on a snowbound train in company with thirteen strangers and a corpse.

There cannot be many people who do not know the outcome, but the fun for everyone will be watching a cast of top-notch performers including Judi Dench, Derek Jacobi, Johnny Depp and Michelle Pfeiffer go through their paces.

**All films will be shown in Hawkchurch Village Hall
at 7.30pm. Doors open 7pm. Tickets £6.**

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