



FREE!

Back to the Garden

Flower Power comes full circle.



"BACK TO THE GARDEN, FLOWER POWER COMES FULL CIRCLE" ...with the Director **KEVIN TOMLINSON**

In the sixties they were satirized and vilified for rejecting materialism and corporate culture, in the seventies they stopped the war, started communes, urged back to the land and environmental sustainability ...but by the eighties they had virtually disappeared from everyday life. ...So where did all the "flowers" go? (70 min, 2009)

UPCOMING FILMS:

July 18:

"SOLAR FILM FESTIVAL"
...at the 6th Annual
Shoreline SolarFest

July 24:

**"BACK TO THE GARDEN, FLOWER
POWER COMES FULL CIRCLE"**

July 31:

"WHY SEX?"

AUGUST: NO FILMS

...BACK SEPT 4th

Social Justice Documentaries
and community discussion

Friday Night at the Meaningful Movies

Fri July 24, 7 PM

**Keystone United Church of Christ
5019 Keystone Place N., Seattle**

1/2 Block N of NE 50th; 1 block E of Meridian. Metro Bus 16, 26 & 44

www.meaningfulmovies.org

FREE MOVIES!
Wallingford Neighbors for Peace and Justice
"Friday Night at the Meaningful Movies"
2009 FILM FESTIVAL

All Films At: Keystone Congregational United Church of Christ,
5019 Keystone Place N., Seattle 0.4 miles west of the I-5 N.E.50th St. Exit
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FRIDAY JULY 17, 2009, 7-9:30 PM

Film: "FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION: RESISTANCE & REPRESSION IN THE AGE OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY" (Kembrew McLeod & Jeremy Smith, 60 min, 2007) **WITH STEVEN REISLER, CHAIR OF THE SEATTLE CHAPTER OF THE NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD**

In 1998, university professor Kembrew McLeod (Associate Professor of Communication Studies at the University of Iowa) trademarked the phrase "freedom of expression" - a startling comment on the way that intellectual property law restricts creativity and expression of ideas. This provocative and amusing documentary explores the battles being waged in courts, classrooms, museums, film studios, and the Internet over control of our cultural commons.

"This smartly-made and seriously funny documentary provides an aerial view of the battleground that is today's copyright landscape. Illustrating the comments of many well-known critics of runaway copyright & trademark law with apt audiovisual examples, FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION succeeds as an engaging and concrete presentation." - Peter Jaszi, Professor of Law, Washington College of Law, American University **(Event is FREE and open to the public! ...but Donations are kindly accepted).**

FRIDAY JULY 24, 2009, 7-9:30 PM

Film: "BACK TO THE GARDEN, FLOWER POWER COMES FULL CIRCLE"

(70 min, Kevin Tomlinson, 2009) **WITH THE DIRECTOR, KEVIN TOMLINSON** ...Where have all the flower children gone?

In 1988, Kevin Tomlinson asked himself that question. At a large "Healing Gathering" in rural Washington State, he interviewed a group of back-to-the-land Hippies who were thriving in the eighties—independent of the culture that had forgotten them.

Almost 20 years later, in 2006, Tomlinson sought out his subjects again to find out what had become of their off-grid, backcountry families, searching for environmental utopia while living out their sixties' ideals. Most of all, he wanted to find out whether their country dreams of a better life had held together—or did they return to the mainstream as many had in the nineties? The adventure that followed speaks to all of us who were affected by the counterculture. These aging back-to-the-land hippies and their tribal families, firmly insulated from global economic shocks and living a lifestyle emphasizing sustainability, simplicity and community, heralded a resurrection of alternative values which presage today's green movement, and now seems wiser than ever. More info on the film:

<http://www.backtothegardenfilm.com/> **Join us in a facilitated discussion with the Director, Kevin Tomlinson!**

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FRIDAY JULY 31, 2009, 7-9:30 PM

Film: "WHY SEX?" ...And Our Last Film for the Season

In evolutionary terms, sex is more important than life itself. Sex fuels evolutionary change by adding variation to the gene pool. The powerful urge to pass our genes on to the next generation has likely changed the face of human culture in ways we're only beginning to understand. Does art, literature, music, and in fact all of human culture ultimately result from our sexual drives?

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NOTE: NO FILMS DURING THE MONTH OF AUGUST

Please join us on Sept 4th for a new series of great documentaries



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