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Superfest Disability Film Showcase at the Orinda Library

The Orinda Library and the Contra Costa County Library Accessibility Committee are excited to host the Superfest Disability Film Festival for an afternoon of family-friendly films exploring the disability experience. The showcase will take place on Saturday, October 14 from 1 to 5 p.m.

For more than 30 years, Superfest has celebrated cutting-edge cinema that portrays disability through a diverse and engaging lens. Superfest International Disability Film Festival debuted in Los Angeles in 1970 and is the longest running disability film festival in the world.

“The Library is a place that serves everyone and we are honored to host this showcase,” said County Librarian Melinda Cervantes. “These films touch on important topics for many members of our community.”

The films range in time from five to thirty minutes and cover a variety of topics faced by the disabled community including racism, stereotyping and the impact of natural disasters.

Film List

Supersonic (30 minutes)
Like If (5 minutes)
Double Discrimination (28 minutes)
The Sea Reminds Me (11 minutes)
Hear Me (15 minutes)
Yam's Journey (17 minutes)
Right to be Rescued (15 minutes)
Awake (21 minutes)

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