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**Filmed and Not Forgotten: ASFF and Yorkshire Film Archive**

**Present a Centenary Commemoration**

Archival footage of Yorkshire residents, workers and servicemen made before, during and after the First World War will be shown in York as part of a nationwide commemoration for the centenary of the war.

Visitors to the Aesthetica Short Film Festival will be able to share in the memories of the region as Yorkshire Film Archive and ASFF collaborate to present *Filmed and Not Forgotten*, an exhibition of historic films from communities around the area. Selected from their collection of over 50,000 moving images from 1890 to the present day, Yorkshire Film Archive's footage offers a rare and treasured glimpse into the personal and everyday moments of people from Yorkshire during the time of the war.

The event is a poignant reminder of the individuals who gave their lives and efforts to the country in 1914. Taking place in the afternoon of Remembrance Sunday, the commemorative screening connects us to them - snapshots of moments observed and remembered one hundred years later, significant not only to the current residents of Yorkshire, but to the nation.

Showing at the National Centre for Early Music, tickets to the memorable event are included with screening passes and 50% of individual ticket sales will go to the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal, a charity assisting British servicemen and women and supporting those in need.

On the centenary of the First World War, we also remember those nations currently struggling for peace and this year the Aesthetica Short Film Festival also endeavours to present contemporary work from countries whose residents do not necessarily have as much opportunity or freedom to exhibit their work internationally. Guest screenings include films from Iraq and Lebanon.

- View and share the **ASFF 2014 Programme**: <http://tinyurl.com/nrrf8sq>
- Watch and share the **ASFF 2014 Trailer**: <http://vimeo.com/107942123>
- **Festival tickets and passes** are available from [www.asff.co.uk/tickets](http://www.asff.co.uk/tickets)
- Join the conversation [@asffest](https://twitter.com/asffest) and [www.facebook.com/aestheticamagazine](https://www.facebook.com/aestheticamagazine)

**Notes to Editors:**

1. ASFF 2014 runs 6 - 9 November across the city of York
2. Festival website [www.asff.co.uk](http://www.asff.co.uk) and tickets [www.asff.co.uk/tickets](http://www.asff.co.uk/tickets)

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3. BAFTA website [www.bafta.org](http://www.bafta.org) and [CLICK HERE](#) for information on BAFTA short film categories

4. Special events include Yorkshire Film Archive: *Filmed and Not Forgotten*, Remembrance Sunday, Creative England iShorts, guest countries: Iraq, Japan and Lebanon, and official selections from short film festivals: Internationale Kurzfilmtage Winterthur and Clermont-Ferrand Film Festival.

5. The Yorkshire Film Archive is a registered charity (no. 1093468) which finds, preserves and provides public access to moving image made in or about the Yorkshire region. YFA also manages the collections held by the North East Film Archive (NEFA), as part of its charitable remit. Visit [www.yorkshirefilmarchive.com](http://www.yorkshirefilmarchive.com).

6. Industry events include masterclasses, daily networking sessions, Meet the Film Festivals and Meet the Filmmakers

7. Festivals in attendance: Sheffield Doc/Fest, Berwick Film and Media Arts Festival, , British Urban Festival, Oberhausen Film Festival, London Short Film Festival, Bradford Animation Festival, FlatPack Film Festival, Encounters, Animated Exeter, Beginning Film Festival, Cabriolet Film Festival, Castellinaria, ÉCU – The European Independent Film Festival, Edinburgh International Film Festival, European Animated Film Festival Balkanima, Garden State Film Festival, The Pennine Film Festival Raindance Film Festival, Short Shorts Film Festival & Asia, Clermont Ferrand Short Film Festival, International Kurtzfilmtage Winterthur.

8. The festival is produced by Aesthetica Magazine. Visit [www.aestheticamagazine.com](http://www.aestheticamagazine.com)

9. ASFF's main sponsor is York St John University. Other sponsors include BFI, City of York Council, Arts Council England, The Guild of Television Cameramen, The Great British Sasakawa Foundation, Japan Foundation, Embassy of Switzerland in the United Kingdom, Yorkshire Film Archive, Creative England, Thirteen Thirty One, Brandy Brown's Little Cinema, York Means Business, University of the Arts London, London College of Fashion, Film Hub North, Reel Cinema, Middletons Hotel, The National Centre for Early Music, National Trust, Grand Central, One&Other, York Theatre Royal, City Screen Picturehouse York and Visit York. To see the full list visit [www.asff.co.uk/partners](http://www.asff.co.uk/partners)

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