

# THE MVFF

MARTHA'S VINEYARD FILM FESTIVAL



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Dear Chilmark Board of Selectman,

We are requesting the use the Chilmark Community Center for the 15<sup>th</sup> annual Martha's Vineyard Film Festival, this March 19-22. We would use Monday, March 16 through Wednesday, March 18 for setting up the space. We have coordinated with the Chilmark School about our use of the space and will accommodate gym class on the morning of Thursday, March 19. We would also like Monday, March 23 for additional breakdown of the event.

We can pay the wedding rate of \$400 for the days we are screening films, with the understanding that like weddings it includes the days for set up and breakdown.

We would also like your approval to install a new projector in the Chilmark Community Center. This is a \$40,000 state of the art digital projector. With this projector we will be able to screen any film, including the latest releases. This equipment will require us moving the screen down 18 inches. We have talked this plan over with Rodney Bunker. He approved the idea with the provision that we fill in any holes in a fashion that blends in with the wood in the wall.

Gratefully yours,

Brian Ditchfield, Managing Director

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