

July 2023 - 3S Art Newsletter - Creativity in Film

Recently, I watched the Netflix series "Jury Duty" and marveled at the creativity of this 8 episode series. For those who haven't heard of it, "Jury Duty" is purportedly a documentary that highlights what it's like to serve on a jury. However, it turns out that this is a documentary of a very elaborate and incredibly creative prank.

Hilarity ensues as you find out that in this documentary, everything is fake. Everyone you see on screen is an actor - the judge, the lawyers, the defendant, the bailiff - all are actors and accomplished improvisers. Everyone, except for one, is in on the gag. In a jury of 12, a single juror named Ronald Gladden is the only who believes that the trial is real and it's through his eyes that the show unfolds.



Click to see the Trailer

If you haven't watched it yet, I highly recommend you do.

To read about the lengths producers went to successfully pull off this prank, click here.



Extras and fake mirrors: How Jury Duty producers successfully pranked Ronald Gladden

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Upcoming Art Shows in July 2023



July 7th, 2023. Art Show in beautiful Thompson Park in Middletown NJ



July 15th, 2023 3:00pm to 5:00pm Opening Reception at Belmar Arts Council 608 River Rd. Belmar NJ









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