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## Something New - Dramatic Shorts

Date: Sunday, Sept. 21, 2025, 4:30pm

Location: Club SAW (67 Nicholas St.)

Tickets per program: \$5 (At the door only)

Sunday All-Day Film Pass: \$15\*

\*Available at the door or in advance on Eventbrite

\*includes access to all 4 film programs on Sunday Sept. 21

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Program Length: 87 minutes



Anishinaabemowin

**Shaelyn Johnston (Ojibwe) 13.5m • 2024 • Canada • English & Anishinaabemowin**

Thea is an 8-year-old Ojibwe girl who is in the process of learning how to speak her traditional language from her mother, Rose. Once a fluent speaker of Anishinaabemowin, the Ojibwe language, Rose's language skills have become rusty now that she and her daughter live in Vancouver, far away from their family. But through flashcards, websites, and what Rose remembers, Thea is well on her way.



## Hydraulic

Nicole Hutton-Lewis (Garawa) • 15 minutes • 2024 • Australia • English

Harry is torn from tending to his bed-ridden mother by his erratic and sticky-fingered father, Bill, who takes him on a wild goose chase to kill a cow for Christmas supper – but they better not get caught.



## Oshki-aya'aa (Something New)

Jordan Wanakamik (Anishinaabe, Cree, Vietnamese) • 18.5m • 2024 • Canada • English

When Daniel gets caught stealing food, the store manager calls his uncle Bernie to come get him. Bernie brings Daniel over for a home-cooked meal, where Daniel learns that his uncle danced traditionally. Inspired, Daniel learns how to grass dance and in the process discovers his family's history.



## Vess

Kahstoserakwathe Paulette Moore (Mohawk) • 22 minutes • 2024 • Canada • English

A Mohawk carpenter/philosopher transforms his grief as he builds a home for a young family returning to their territory. The group forges new relationships filled with humour, Indigenous language, and the dynamic strength they all draw from their land and community.



## Gods & Devils

Jay Cardinal Villeneuve (Sakâwiyiniw Michif) • 13 minutes • 2025 • Canada • Cree, French

May 12 1885, the violent end to the Battle of Batoche is mere moments away as Louis Riel and Gabriel Dumont prepare the remaining Métis Resistance fighters for their last stand against the Redcoat Soldier's final assault.

## Film Trailers

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Something New (Oshki-aya'aa) - OFFICIAL TRAILER



Oshki-aya'aa (Something New) - Trailer

Vess by Kahstoserakwathé Paulette Moore – Trailer



Vess - Trailer

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Hydraulic - Trailer



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