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**AGHfilm presents
My Summer of Love**

The Art Gallery of Hamilton's 2005 fall film programme continues with a screening of *My Summer of Love*, **Wednesday, September 28**, at 7:10 pm at Jackson Square Cinema, 2 King Street West, Hamilton. Tickets are \$10.00 for adults, \$8.00 for students and seniors, \$6.00 for AGH Members. Full ticket and film information is available by calling 905-527-6610, ext. 232 or by visiting www.artgalleryofhamilton.com

Directed by Pawel Pawlikowski. *My Summer of Love* is a sentimental, harrowing and realistic glimpse into young love and identity issues. This acclaimed film tells the poignant story of an encounter between two women from entirely different backgrounds. New friends Mona and Tasmin begin a romance based on mutual fascination and sexual attraction. But with the languid days of summer coming to an end, will their mutual infatuation and sexual obsession last? Inspired by the novel of the same name by author Helen Cross. Winner of the Best Film Award at the 2005 BAFTA Awards, the Best Director, Film, Actor and Actress Awards at the 2005 British Independent Film Awards, and winner of the 2005 Outstanding Directorial Achievement Award by the Director's Guild of Great Britain.

The evening will begin with the screening of the short film *Inseparable/Inséparables*. Searching desperately to understand why his wife has left him, Alexandre can't find anyone who will listen. A cleverly played dramatic comedy about the fleeting nature of conjugal love. Presented as part of the 2005 Volkswagen Canadian Short Film Showcase, an initiative of The Film Circuit that promotes the best of new Canadian short films and introduces filmmakers to new audiences.

AGHfilm is sponsored by Turkstra Lumber and is organized in partnership with the Film Circuit, an association of film groups that screen new feature films in over 180 communities. The Film Circuit is a division of the Toronto International Film Festival Group, a charitable, cultural, and educational organization devoted to celebrating excellence in film and the moving image. The AGH gratefully acknowledges the Canada Council for the Arts, the Ontario Arts Council and the City of Hamilton for their generous support of all our programmes. Media support provided by View Magazine and Wave 94.7.

For complete AGHfilm information, visit the Art Gallery of Hamilton's Web site at www.artgalleryofhamilton.com or by calling 905-527-6610, ext. 232, or e-mailing film@artgalleryofhamilton.com

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