## COMING ATTRACTIONS

OPENING FRIDAY, AUG. 25

HE AKAZING PANDA ADVENTURE"

A young American boy visiting his
naturalist fisher in China becomes
imvolved in a search to locate and
protect bady pande from poachers.

Filmed on location in China's remote mountain jurgles, the film
looks closely at pandes in their
natural habitat.

"ARABIAN KNIGHT"

Animated magical tale about a simple cobbler, a basufful princess and a bumbling thief who change their destines as they weave a tale of courage and love in an ancient golden city.

The manarchi without a name fol-lows a trail of blood to the last of the infamous Mexican druglords for a showdown, Rated R.

"BEYOND TRANGOOM"

On a vacation to the Far East to escape a tragic past. a young woman embarks on a dangerous "unofficial" tour when her passport is stolen, and learns the true meaning of friendship and

courage. Stars Patricis Arquette, U Aung Ko, Frances McDormand and Spaiding Grey, Rated R.

OPENING WEDNESDAY, Nug. 30

"MADIC IN THE WATER"

A summer resort town with a leg-entary creature in a nearby lake, becomes a place for magic and high adventure when two children arrive with their father on vecation Stars Mark Harmon, Rated PG.

OPENING FRIDAY, SEPT. 1

## SCREEN SCENE

A sampling of what's playing at alterbative movie theaters across metro Detroit as reviewed by

JOHN MONORSHAM.

20 CHITHFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY
Movies shown I and 7 p.m. Ther-day-shrough Aug. 29 in the Mar-ciola Room of the Library, South-field Civic Center, 1800 or 1800; French and 1800; Sept. 1800; French Library, 1800; Sept. 1800;

formation.

DETROIT FILM THEATRE Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward, Detroit. Call (313) 833-2323 for information. (\$5; \$4

E MAGIC BAG THEATRE 22918 Woodward, Ferndale. Call (810) 544-3030 for information.

termission twist contest and T-shirt and poster giveaways. You can count on one hand the audi-ence members who haven't seen the movie at least once already.

🖾 MAIN ART THEATRE

EXAIN ART THEATRE
118 N. Main Street at 11 Mile,
Royal Oak, Films play through at
least Thursday, unless noted otherwise. Call (810) 542-0180 for information and showtimes. (\$6.50;
\$4 students and matinee; \$3
twilight)

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\$4 students and matines;
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\$4 students debut a group of New
York teenagers who indulge in
every paerits nightnare drinking, drugs, profanity, and unprotected exe. The year's most provocative movie, but also one of
the hardest to watch.

"The Postman" ("Ill Postino")
(Italian - 1995). The story of exiled Chillean poet and diplomat
Pablo Nervada (Philippe Noiret)
and his relationship with an
uneducated postman has proven a
great audience pleaser.

"The Usual Suspects" (USA1995). Another helst goes way
wrong in this caper starring Gabriel Byrne, Kevin Spacey, and
Chazz Paluniteri.

"Lio Down with Dogs" (USA1995). A romantic comedy about
one gay man's pursuit of romance
and happiness during a summer
at the beach.

"The Brothers McMullen"
(USA1995). For what some people spend on a new car, Edward

Burns made an engaging first fea-ture about a young screenwriter and his two brothers in contem-porary Long Island. (Starts Fri-day)

day)

29 MAPLE THEATRE
4135 W. Maple, Bloomfield. All titles play through at least next Thursday, unless noted otherwise. Call (610) 855-9090 for information. (85; \$2.95 twillight)

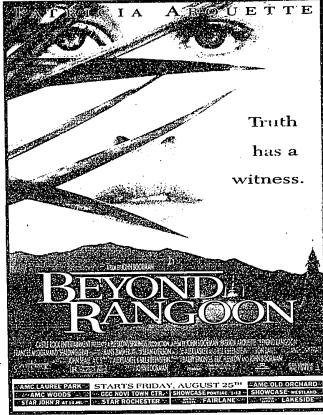
"Waterworld" (USA - 1995). Not as bad as you might hink, Kevin Costner's potential Waterloo actually has some clever momenta and stunning apscial effects. The story, a sort of Mad Max on water, finds gill-man Costner battling a typically overtheap points Hopper.

"The Net" (USA - 1995). Sandra Bullock ("Speed") stars in this cyber-thriller.
"The Usual Suspects" (USA - 1995). See Main Art Theatre listing above.

ing above.
"The Brothers McMullen"
(USA - 1995). See Main Art The-atre listing above. (Starts Friday)

E STATE THEATRE
2115 Woodward, Detroit. Call
(313) 961-5450 for information
(\$1)

"Forrest Gump" (USA - 1994).
9 p.m. Aug. 28. Tom Hanks stars as a slow-witted man who reaches amazing heights simply through his good nature. Robert Zemeckis pushes all the right buttons in this Oscar winner.





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