

ABILENE FRONTIER FILM FESTIVAL 2026

Official Screening Schedule · October 2 & 3, 2026 · Abilene, Texas

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2

5:00 PM – 10:00 PM | 2 Screens · Short Films · Social Hour

SCREEN 1 — Short Films + Social Hour

TIME	EVENT / FILM	RUNTIME / NOTES
5:00 PM	Doors Open / Welcome	
5:15 PM	SHORT FILM BLOCK 1	1h 08m total
5:15 PM	Insensible Losses	8:20
5:23 PM	Hope for the Guadalupe	26:19
5:49 PM	Bars In The Window	4:30
5:54 PM	El Lloron	16:55
6:10 PM	It Feeds Beneath	12:35
6:22 PM	Q&A — Block 1	15 min
6:42 PM	SOCIAL HOUR	60 min
7:42 PM	Social Hour ends	
7:47 PM	SHORT FILM BLOCK 2	1h 21m total
7:47 PM	Adagio	22:56
8:09 PM	The Border at Tolstoi	15:30
8:25 PM	The Way of the Stone	13:25
8:38 PM	The Tooth Fairy	13:32
8:52 PM	Wilson 3	16:00
9:08 PM	Q&A — Block 2	15 min
9:23 PM	End of Night — Screen 1	

SCREEN 2 — Short Films

TIME	EVENT / FILM	RUNTIME / NOTES
5:00 PM	Doors Open	
6:00 PM	SHORT FILM BLOCK 1	26 min total
6:00 PM	The Little Girl Who Lived Under Her Bed	14:50
6:14 PM	Marriage Rites	11:33
6:26 PM	Q&A — Block 1	10 min
6:36 PM	SCREEN 2 PAUSED	Social Hour in progress — Screen 1
7:47 PM	Screen 2 Reopens	

TIME	EVENT / FILM	RUNTIME / NOTES
7:47 PM	SHORT FILM BLOCK 2	2h 00m total
7:47 PM	Muzzle Flash	9:17
7:56 PM	Hell on Wheels	52:00
8:48 PM	The Best Days of Richard Davis	18:15
9:07 PM	The Good Neighbour	15:14
9:22 PM	Restored: Rwandan's Journey	15:00
9:37 PM	Housing Hope	10:24
9:47 PM	Q&A — Block 2	15 min
10:07 PM	SHORT FILM BLOCK 3	32 min total
10:07 PM	Friend of the Enemy	23:29
10:30 PM	Sous Vide	8:41
10:39 PM	Q&A — Block 3	15 min
10:54 PM	End of Night — Screen 2	

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3

5:00 PM – 11:00 PM
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2 Screens
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Short Films
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Feature
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Speaker
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Red Carpet
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Dinner
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Awards

SCREEN 1

— Programming + Short Films + Evening Events

TIME	EVENT / FILM	RUNTIME / NOTES
5:00 PM	Doors Open / Welcome	
5:15 PM	ERIC HEISNER — Speaker / Panel	45 min
6:00 PM	Q&A — Speaker	15 min
6:20 PM	SHORT FILM BLOCK	55 min total
6:20 PM	Eller Hall	9:24
6:29 PM	Remnants	22:33
6:51 PM	Love You Well	8:46
7:00 PM	Clean Slate	15:00
7:15 PM	Q&A — Short Film Block	15 min
7:15 PM	Block clears · Transition to Evening	
7:30 PM	RED CARPET PHOTOS	30 min
8:00 PM	DINNER	1 hour
9:00 PM	AWARDS CEREMONY	30 min
9:30 PM	SOCIAL HOUR	1h 30min
11:00 PM	End of Festival	

SCREEN 2

— Feature Film

TIME	EVENT / FILM	RUNTIME / NOTES
5:00 PM	Doors Open	
5:15 PM	OFF THE AIR	Feature • 1:31:50
6:46 PM	Feature ends	
6:46 PM	Q&A — Feature Film	10 min
6:56 PM	Screen 2 closes • Guests to Main Hall	
7:30 PM	RED CARPET PHOTOS	30 min
8:00 PM	DINNER	1 hour
9:00 PM	AWARDS CEREMONY	30 min
9:30 PM	SOCIAL HOUR	1h 30min
11:00 PM	End of Festival	