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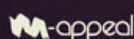
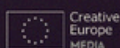
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JIPPIE NO MORE!



CAST: WESLEY VAN KLINK, GUIDO POLLEMANS, AUS GREIDANUS SR., HANNAH VAN LUNTEREN, LOTTE JONKER, CARMEN VAN ZANTWAIK, CARINA DE VROOME, JOEP PADDENBURG, KEE DERWIC, ELOYHA ALTEÑA
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JIPPIE NO MORE!

(Jippie No More!)

by Margien Rogaar

The Netherlands, 2023, 90'

LOGLINE

A family film about first loves and one wedding

SYNOPSIS

Jaap Peter, a lively 16-year-old boy, eagerly prepares for his older sister's wedding at their beloved grandfather's country house. As the whole family rallies together to create the perfect celebration, Jaap Peter falls in love for the first time. But when the girl of his dreams is smitten with his younger sister Joe instead, Jaap Peter is disheartened and loses interest in the wedding. Until he realises that his presence and the unbreakable bond of his family are vital in making the party a success.

TRAILER



Director's statement

I wanted to make a film starring a person with a developmental disability. An accessible film, in which Down syndrome was not the subject, but a side issue. I have been making films with children for a long time and my experience is that children with a disability often have a supporting role. I wanted to change that. Filmmaking is a high-pressure work process. To make it accessible for our actor Wesley van Klink, we had to examine that process and tailor it to him. That brought many new insights for me as a director. The entire team had to be able to improvise at all times, so we were prepared for anything. This gave the actors the freedom to open up to the moment in front of the camera. To make things happen. And that is exactly the mentality I always strive for as a filmmaker. It gives the feeling that life is unfolding before your eyes. Jippie is a main character who may not initially resemble all the children who see the film. But after 90 minutes that has completely changed.

Margien Rogaar



Director's bio

Margien Rogaar

Margien Rogaar is a Dutch film director based in Amsterdam. She works on feature films as well as television drama. Her work focuses on the theme of growing up and getting wiser. After she graduated from the Netherlands Film Academy she directed several shorts as well as plays for Dutch Television. Her 2007 short film *BREATH (ZUCHT)* was selected for the NISI MASA programme in Semaine de la Critique.



She directed her first feature film *MAYBE SWEDEN* in 2006, followed by *BON VOYAGE* (2010) and *SCRAP WOOD WAR* (2014). Both films, developed with scriptwriter Tijs van Marle, concentrate on the lives of children and their families.

Rogaar then completed two television series for children. *DOCTOR CHEEZY* (2011) is an adventure story about five children who escape from fat camp in order to get a hamburger. In 2016 she made *REMI, NOBODYS BOY (ALLEEN OP DE WERELD)*, a contemporary Christmas feuilleton based on the book *Sans Famille* by Hector Malot. *REMI, NOBODYS BOY* was nominated for an Emmy Award.

In 2023 she created the television series *LAMPJE*, about a brave young girl who lives in a lighthouse and saves a mermaid-boy. *JIPPIE NO MORE!* is Rogaars latest feature film, which world premiered as the opening film of Cinekid, Amsterdam, in 2023.

Cast & Crew

Directed by: Margien Rogaar

Written by: Fiona van Heemstra

Production company: Juliet (at Pupkin)

Producer: Iris Otten & Sander van Meurs

Delegated Producer: Nathalie van der Burg

Coproducers: Martien Vlietman, VPRO

Cinematographer/DoP: Sal Kroonenberg, NSC

Set Designer: Diana van de Vossenberg

Editor: Elsbeth Kasteel, NCE

Sound Editor/Mix: Kees de Groot

Composer: Rik Elstgeest

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Film Incentive, ACE Producers, Cinéart

Jippie: Wesley van Klink

Jacob: Guido Pollemans

Joe: Lotte Jonker

Willem: Aus Greidanus Sr

Hannah: Hannah van Lunteren

Jane: Carmen van Zantwijk

Gail: Carina de Vroome

Bart: Joep Paddenburg

Lily: Kee Derwig



Main Details

Genre: Family

Language: Dutch

Film running time: 94 minutes

Screening format: DCP

Shooting Format: 4K

Color: Color



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