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**FREE WINTER FILM SERIES CONTINUES ON MARCH 12 AND 13 AT THE DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM AND DOSSIN GREAT LAKES MUSEUM**

**DETROIT-** Winter is slowly coming to an end, but the Detroit Historical Society's Winter Film Series returns for one more installment! We invite you to view "**Detroit: Remember When**" at **3 p.m. on Saturday, March 12 and Sunday, March 13 at the Detroit Historical Museum** and "**Grown in Detroit**" at **2 p.m. on Saturday, March 12 and Sunday, March 13 at the Dossin Great Lakes Museum**. There is no admission cost for the museums, and the film screenings are FREE!

More about the films:

- **"Detroit: Remember When":** Produced by Detroit Public Television, this Film Series favorite depicts Detroit culture and traditions from the past. Each tradition is influenced by a different aspect of Detroit's history, but many were shaped by the mighty river, such as Bob-lo, Belle Isle, Jefferson Beach and Edgewater. Running Time: 44 minutes.
- **"Grown in Detroit":** A public school of 300 made agriculture a part of its curriculum to not only educate, but provide hope to its students. Primarily African American, pregnant and parenting teenagers learn to how to support themselves and their community by studying and applying agricultural skills in a garden located on the school's old playground. To these students, agriculture isn't just about growing food, it's a way for them to be self-sufficient, learn about nutrition, and become independent and empowered through their knowledge. Running Time: 60 minutes.

The Society's Film Series features free monthly screenings of fascinating Detroit films at the Detroit Historical Museum and the Dossin Great Lakes Museum. Next month starts the **Spring Film Series**. Upcoming films include:

- **April 9: "Parducci: The Man Who Made Detroit Beautiful"** at the Detroit Historical Museum.
- **April 9 and 10: "More Bob-lo Memories"** at the Dossin Great Lakes Museum.

For full details, please visit <http://detroithistorical.org/things-do/lectures-films>.

The **Detroit Historical Museum**, located at 5401 Woodward Ave. (NW corner of Kirby) in Midtown Detroit, is open to the public Tuesday through Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is free for all, all the time. Parking in the Museum's lot is \$7 at all times. Group tour pricing and information is available by calling 313.833.7979. Permanent exhibits include the famous *Streets of Old Detroit*, the *Allesee Gallery of Culture*, *Kid Rock Music Lab*, *Doorway to Freedom: Detroit and the Underground*

*Railroad, Detroit: The "Arsenal of Democracy," the Gallery of Innovation, Frontiers to Factories, America's Motor City, and The Glancy Trains.* For more information, call the Museum at 313.833.1805 or check out our website at [detroithistorical.org](http://detroithistorical.org).

The **Dossin Great Lakes Museum** is located at 100 Strand Drive on Belle Isle. Admission is free for all, all the time. Permanent exhibits include *Built by the River* in the John A. and Marlene L. Boll Foundation Gallery, the *Miss Pepsi* vintage 1950s championship hydroplane, the Gothic Room from the *City of Detroit III* in the Polk Family Hall, a bow anchor from the S.S. *Edmund Fitzgerald*, the pilothouse from the Great Lakes freighter S.S. *William Clay Ford* in the Wayne and Joan Webber Foundation Gallery, and one of the largest known collections of scale model ships in the world. For more information, call the Museum at 313.833.5538 or check out our website at [detroithistorical.org](http://detroithistorical.org).

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