

This week at the movies

CHAPEL HILL

- Chelsea Theater, Weaver Dairy Road 968-3005
- Plaza I-III, Elliott Road Extension 967-4737
- Ram Triple, NCNB Plaza 967-8284
- Varsity Theatres, East Franklin Street 967-8665

DURHAM

- South Square Mall Cinemas, South Square Mall 493-3502
- Willowdale Cinemas, Willowdale Shopping Center 477-4681
- Yorktowne Twin, Durham-Chapel Hill Blvd. 489-2327
- Center, Durham-Lakewood Shopping Center 489-4226

Openings:

1000 PIECES OF GOLD

Takes place in California in the 1800s. Deals with Asian immigrants and a woman who is sold into slavery by her father. *Chelsea 7:10 nightly, 2:10 weekend matinee*

FINAL ANALYSIS

Good grief! Yet another pseudo-horror-suspense film with stars who wouldn't go near a legitimate horror film. Richard Gere stars as a psychiatrist helping Uma Thurman with marital problems. Thurman's sister, Kim Basinger, plots with Gere to kill Thurman's husband, Eric Roberts. Sounds incredibly original, doesn't it? *Plaza 2:50, 5, 7:15, 9:30 daily*

MEDICINE MAN

Sean Connery and master action director John McTiernan (*Predator, Die Hard, The Hunt for Red October*) reteam for this timely action-adventure reteam concerning a search for the cure for cancer and the quest to save the rain forests. *Willowdale 7:15, 9:30 nightly, 2:15, 4:30 weekend matinee*

SLACKER

A real movie about our genera-

tion. See Ian Williams' review on page 8. *Varsity 2:10, 4:15, 7:10, 9:15 daily*

Current Runs:

ANTONIA & JANE

A British comedy about two friends (and rivals), one dowdy and one glamorous, who share an analyst and a man and covet each other's lifestyles. *Chelsea 9:10 nightly, 4:10 weekend matinee*

BEAUTY AND THE BEAST

★★★★ 1/2

One of the most beautiful films ever made. We laughed, we cried, it became a part of us. Beauty and the Beast may be the stars, but Lumiere and Cogsworth steal the show. "Who told you it was enchanted?" *Willowdale 1, 3, 5, 7 daily. South Square 7, 9 nightly, 1, 3, 5 weekend matinee*

FATHER OF THE BRIDE

Steve Martin, Diane Keaton and Martin Short star in this remake of the '50s classic. Steve watches his little girl get married and foots the bill for the wedding. *Plaza 3, 5:10, 7:10, 9:10 daily. South Square 7:15, 9:45 nightly, 2:15, 4:45 weekend matinee*

FREEJACK

★★★★ 1/2

Emilio Estevez plays a racecar driver who is teleported into the year 2009 because Anthony Hopkins wants his body. Mick Jagger plays the villain. *Willowdale 2:15, 4:30, 7:15, 9:30 daily*

FRIED GREEN TOMATOES

★★★★ 1/2

This film features an ensemble cast headed by Oscar winners Kathy Bates (*Misery*) and Jessica Tandy (*Driving Miss Daisy*). *Willowdale 1:30, 4:15, 7, 9:45 daily. Varsity 2, 4:30, 7, 9:30 daily*

GRAND CANYON

★★★★ 1/2

The *Big Chill* of the '90s. Director Lawrence Kasdan reunites with Kevin Kline for a look at adult life today. Danny Glover and Steve Martin also star. *Ram Triple 7, 9:45 nightly, 1:30, 4:15 weekend matinee. Willowdale 1:30, 4:15, 7, 9:45 daily*

THE HAND THAT ROCKS THE CRADLE

1/2

Rebecca De Mornay terrorizes Annabella Sciorra's family and tries to avoid the holes in the script. *Ram Triple 7:15, 9:30 nightly, 2:15, 4:30 weekend matinee. Center 7, 9:15, nightly, 2, 4:15 weekend matinee*

HOOK

Steven Spielberg's dream comes true as he finally brings his Peter Pan adaptation to the screen with Robin Williams and Dustin Hoffman starring. *Center 7, 9:30 nightly, 2, 4:30 weekend matinee*

JUICE

The latest film about inner-city youth. Directed by Spike Lee's cinematographer. Despite the death in Chicago on opening night, it's been getting good reviews. *Center 7:30, 9:30 nightly, 1:30, 3:30, 5:30 weekend matinee*

KUFFS

Christian Slater tries to carry a film on his own as he plays a renegade San Francisco cop in this new action-thriller-comedy. *Willowdale 2:30, 4:45, 7:30, 9:45 daily*

LOVE CRIMES

Sean "Hey, how come nobody will hire me?" Young and Patrick "Hey, I look just like Kevin Kline" Bergen star in this new sex-erotic-psychothriller. *Yorktowne 7:30, 9:30 nightly, 2:30, 4:30 weekend matinee*

MADAME BOVARY

Based on Gustav Flaubert's sensual tale about the affairs of Emma, an adulterous wife whose pursuit of sensate pleasures lead her to tragedy. *Chelsea 7, 9:30 nightly, 2, 4:30 matinee*

MY GIRL

★★★

Macaulay Culkin and Anna Chlumsky in the tear-jerker of the year. Bee aware of a surprise in the plot. *Center 7:30, 9:45 nightly, 2:30, 4:45 weekend matinee*

PRINCE OF TIDES

Barbara Streisand directs herself and Nick Nolte in a film about a troubled football coach who finds comfort in the arms of a New York psychiatrist. Based on the novel by Pat Conroy. *Plaza 3:10, 7, 9:30 daily. Willowdale 1:15, 4, 7, 9:45 daily. South Square 7, 9:45 nightly, 1:30, 4:15 weekend matinee*

RUSH

Jason Patric and Jennifer Jason Leigh play narcotics officers in the '70s who become addicted to the poisons they have sworn to stop. *Willowdale 9 nightly*

SHINING THROUGH

Michael Douglas and Melanie Griffith star as lovers who are also spies. Their affair is disrupted by the turmoil of World War II. Based on the novel by Susan Issacs. *Ram Triple 7, 9:30 nightly, 2, 4:30 weekend matinee. Willowdale 1:45, 4:15, 7:15, 9:45 daily*

STAR TREK VI: THE UNDISCOVERED COUNTRY

The last (yeah, right) adventure



Belle croons about a better life in 'Beauty and the Beast'

of the crew of the U.S.S. Enterprise. Peace has been declared in the galaxy and Kirk is sent out to make sure everything goes OK. The similarities to what's going on in our world today will slap you in the face. *South Square 7, 9:30 nightly, 2, 4:30 weekend matinee*

STRICTLY BUSINESS

Tommy Davidson of TV's *In Living Color*, stars as a young man trying to make it the business world any way he can. *Yorktowne 7, 9 nightly, 2, 4 weekend matinee*

At the Union:

THE LAST WALTZ

The film of the last concert of The Band. Guest artists include Eric Clapton, Bob Dylan, Joni Mitchell and Van Morrison. This film, directed by Martin Scorsese, is considered to be the best concert films of all time. *Thursday 7, 9:30, Midnight*

THELMA AND LOUISE

The ultimate feminist buddy picture that was directed by a guy who should've stuck with science fiction. Susan Sarandon and Geena Davis star as two free-spirited women who leave their humble lives and hit the road to find adventure. *Friday 7, 9:30, Midnight*

MAD MAX

The one that started it all. "Man, is the future really gonna' suck, especially in Australia!" It made Mel Gibson a star and the Australian Ford everyone's dream car. Upon its release, the dialogue had to be slowed down so that American audiences

could understand it. *Saturday 7, 9:30*

IMITATION OF LIFE

No, not the song from Anthrax, but a film with Lana Turner and Sandra Dee. The story tells of an exploited black maid and her daughters who try to pass for white. *Wednesday 7, 9:30*

THE RATINGS

- — wait for the video
- — go to the dollar theater
- — only pay matinee price
- — pay full price
- — take your sister, too

TOP TEN FILMS

Figures indicate total gross

1. **The Hand That Rocks the Cradle**
\$42.9 million, 4 weeks
2. **Fried Green Tomatoes**
\$16.8 million, 6 weeks
3. **Shining Through**
\$6.4 million, 1 week
4. **Father of the Bride**
\$68.7 million, 7 weeks
5. **Grand Canyon**
\$20.5 million, 6 weeks
6. **Beauty and the Beast**
\$103.5 million, 12 weeks
7. **Hook**
\$107.3 million, 8 weeks
8. **JFK**
\$54.7 million, 7 weeks
9. **The Prince of Tides**
\$56.5 million, 6 weeks
10. **Juice**
\$14.8 million, 3 weeks

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Hook 3:30
JFK 7:15
The Prince of Tides 9:30

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