

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
- Willoughdale Cinemas, Willoughdale Shopping Center 477-4681
- Yorktowne Twin, Durham-Chapel Hill Blvd. 489-2327
- Center, Durham-Lakewood Shopping Center 489-4226

Openings

35 UP

The fifth installment in British director Michael Apted's series of documentaries. He updates the lives of a group of men every seven years. *Chelsea* 7, 9:20 nightly, 2, 4:20 weekend matinees.

THE BABE

John Goodman stars as Babe Ruth, one of the greatest men to ever play baseball. The film explores his turbulent life, on and off of the field. *Plaza* 2:55, 5, 7:10, 9:20 daily. *Willoughdale* 2, 4:30, 7, 9:30 daily.

DEEP COVER ●● 1/2

Larry Fishburne of *Boyz n the Hood* stars as a cop who is sent undercover to infiltrate the LA drug world. Jeff Goldblum is a lawyer-turned-pusher. Pretty routine stuff and the ending is stolen directly from *Lethal Weapon 2*. *Center* 7:30, 9:45 nightly, 2:30, 4:45 weekend matinees.

THE GIANT OF THUNDER MOUNTAIN

Something about a little girl lost in the wilderness and her family's search for her. It's live action, in case you were wondering. *Willoughdale* 2, 4:15, 7, 9 daily.

UNTIL THE END OF THE WORLD

William Hurt stars as a scientist who is on the run from his wife and the rest of the world. From the director of *Wings of Desire*. *Varsity* 2, 5, 8 daily.

Current runs:

BASIC INSTINCT ●●

Michael Douglas and Sharon Stone (of *Total Recall* and *King Solomon's Mine*) star in the most highly overrated film in quite a while. She's a murder novelist, he's a cop, their clothes won't stay on. *Plaza* 2:50, 5:05, 7:20, 9:35 daily. *Willoughdale* 1:30, 4:15, 7:15, 9:45 daily.

BETHOVEN

Kooky canine fun in the tradition of *The Shaggy Dog* and *K9*. *Willoughdale*

1:45, 3:30, 5:15, 7:30, 9:30 daily. *South Square* 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30 daily.

THE CUTTING EDGE ●

An ex-hockey player must adapt to being a figure skater, and he falls in love with his new partner. *Plaza* 3:05, 5:10, 7:05, 9:05 daily. *Willoughdale* 9:30 only.

FATHER OF THE BRIDE ●

Steve Martin and Diane Keaton star in this lame comedy about love and marriages. *Yorktowne* 7:15, 9:30 nightly, 2:15, 4:30 weekend matinees.

FERNGULLY ●●● 1/2

See Mike Long's review on page 9. *Ram Triple* 1:45, 3:30, 5:15, 7:30 daily. *Willoughdale* 1:45, 3:30, 5:30, 7:10 daily. *South Square* 7:30, 9:30 nightly, 1:30, 3:30, 5:30 weekend matinees.

FRIED GREEN TOMATOES ●●●● 1/2

This film's ensemble cast is headed by Kathy Bates and Jessica Tandy. The themes are meaningful, the plot riveting and the acting superb. *Willoughdale* 1:30, 4:15, 7, 9:45 daily.

LADYBUGS

Rodney Dangerfield coaches a girl's soccer team. When he learns the team stinks, he recruits a boy to play. *Willoughdale* 2 only. *Ram Triple* 7, 9:15 nightly, 2:30, 4:45 weekend matinees.

THE LAWNMOWER MAN ●●●●

Jeff Fahey stars in the film that has nothing at all in common with Stephen King's story, but is a kooky special effects film in its own right. *Center* 7:15 nightly, 2:15, 4:30 weekend matinees.

THE MAMBO KINGS ●●●●

See Mara Lee's review on page 9. *MY COUSIN VINNY* ●●●● 1/2

Joe Pesci, Ralph Macchio and Fred Gwynne star in this comedy about a New York lawyer who tries his first case in the deep South to save his nephew. *Ram Triple* 7:15, 9:30 nightly, 2:15, 4:30 weekend matinees.

NEWSIES

The incredibly chipper story of a group of singing and dancing newspaper boys who go on strike. Bill Pullman and Robert Duvall star. *Ram Triple* 9 only. *Center* 9:30 only.

THE PRINCE OF TIDES

Barbra 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. *Willoughdale* 7, 9:45 daily.

ROCK-A-DOODLE

Don Bleuth, maker of *An American Tail*, returns with this tale of a boy who becomes a cat and must find a rooster in order to bring back the sun. *Willoughdale* 1:30, 3:30, 5:40, 7:30, 9:30 daily.

RUBY

This is the other side of the JFK assassination story, focusing on the bar owner who killed America's most famous murderer. *Center* 7, 9:30 nightly, 2, 4:30 daily.

SLEEPWALKERS ●●●● 1/2

See Mike Long's review on page 8. *Center* 7:15, 9:15 nightly, 2:15, 4:15

weekend matinees.

STAR TREK VI: THE UNDISCOVERED COUNTRY

Kirk and Co. are back to save the universe yet again. *Yorktowne* 7, 9:15 nightly, 2, 4:15 weekend matinees.

STRAIGHT TALK ●

See Mara Lee's review on page 9. *Plaza* 3, 4:50, 7:05, 9:15 daily. *South Square* 7, 9 nightly, 2, 4 daily.

THIS IS MY LIFE

Julie Kavner stars as a struggling comic with two daughters who finally makes it big. *Varsity* 2:10, 4:10, 7:10, 9:10 daily.

THUNDERHEART ●●● 1/2

Val Kilmer stars in this film which

explores a murder on an Indian reservation. *Chelsea* 7:10, 9:30 nightly, 2:10, 4:30 weekend matinees.

WAYNE'S WORLD ●●

Wayne and Garth are funny, but the movie is completely pointless. The beginning is funny; it sucks after that. *Willoughdale* 4, 7, 9 daily. *South Square* 7:30, 9:30 nightly, 2:30, 4:30 weekend matinees.

WHITE MEN CAN'T JUMP ●●●●

Wesley Snipes and Woody Harrelson star as two hustlers who

plan to make their fortunes on the playground basketball court. *Ram Triple* 7, 9:15 nightly, 2, 4:15 weekend matinees. *Center* 7, 9:30 nightly, 2, 4:30 weekend matinees.

THE RATINGS

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

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ELLIOTT RD.
STRAIGHT TALK 3:00*4:50 7:00*9:10
BASIC INSTINCT 2:50 5:05 7:20 9:35
THE CUTTING EDGE 3:05*5:10 7:05*9:05
JOHN GOODMAN
The Babe
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Desserts

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