Pera Film is celebrating Halloween with a program of Dutch Horrors!

Halloween is celebrated around the world on 31st October, the one night of the year thought to be when ghosts, witches, and fairies come to life! Pera Film is saluting all the myths and scary tales with contemporary films from the Netherlands.

When the Dutch horror film De lift (The Elevator) was released in 1983 and was distributed worldwide by Warner Brothers, the Dutch press proudly announced the birth of “Nederhorror.” According to the press this particular movie genre could best succeed in the Netherlands. In subsequent years, although there was no question of a Nederhorror boom, but since early 2000 in the Netherlands there is an increasing horror film production. In recent years, even several horror film festivals are organized. In collaboration with the Dutch Film institute EYE, Pera Film presents a special selection of contemporary Dutch horror films with award-winning films such as Two Eyes Staring, which won Best Film Award and Best Screenplay during the international film festival Fantasporto in 2011. The same year, the American actress and producer Charlize Theron bought the rights of the film for an American remake.
Dead End

Yönetmen: Director Erwin van den Eshof
Oyuncular: Cast: Ewerton Jachsen Hoel, Annick Phifer, Awiin Turner
Hollanda, Nederlands, 2006, 90! renkli color
Hollandaca, Türkçe altyazılı
Dutch with Turkish subtitles

Dead End

Three friends return to Scotland to hike in the mountains where they are attacked by large dogs. One of the friends is badly hurt and so they flee to an old abandoned house deep within the woods. They soon discover that the house is cursed - and once you have entered you can’t get out. A room transforms into another room, doors become lethal weapons, and one by one the friends are killed. The last survivors discover that the only way to get out is to discover the reason for the curse. And so they must undertake a terrifying journey to the dark centre of the house where they are forced to confront their own destiny!

Two Eyes Staring

Yönetmen: Director Elbert van Strien
Oyuncular: Cast: Madewych Minis, Barry Atsma, Isabelle Stekhel
Hollanda, Nederlands, 2010, 96, renkli color
Hollandaca, Türkçe altyazılı
Dutch with Turkish subtitles

Two Eyes Staring

The nine-year-old Lisa discovers her sinister new friend is the ghost of the dead twin of Lisa’s mother. Then Lisa’s father also begins to suspect his wife of hiding a terrible secret, resulting in deadly consequences...

(Winner of Best Film Award 2011, Fantasporto)