

Press release: "The Other One.....Retrospective"

The Galena Center for the Arts will be featuring Grace McPhillips, actress and executive producer of the movie *The Other One*, a Sterling Rock Production, in a special event called "*The Other One –Retrospective*" on Aug.22.

The Other One was filmed in our area at several locations, including the grocery store in Shullsburg, WI, a farmhouse outside Hanover, and Gasser's Hardware in Galena. The cast includes a number of local actors. We will meet Grace and local actors at a reception on Saturday Aug. 22 at 6 PM, then hear her present about her career and her film experiences at Cannes and Sundance as well as her ideas on how to encourage other movie makers to film their movies in the Driftless Area. Following that, we will show the movie "*The Other One*".

Grace McPhillips is a leader in Chicago's voiceover and screen acting community. Her production company, Sterling Rock Productions, creates feature films, shorts, television series, and the Producers Patio Podcast. In 2014 her recently produced feature *The Other One* toured to many festivals, winning awards, and was an Audience Choice Nominee at the prestigious 50th Anniversary Chicago International Film Festival and will be in wide release through Indican Pictures this Summer. Her short prequel film entitled *Eclipse* world premiered at the 2014 Cannes Film Festival Short Film Corner. In 2016 Grace will tour the films through a public screening and educational series called "The Forgiveness Tour."

As an actress, Grace has danced with the Lyric Opera of Chicago in *Salome* with Deborah Voight, sung with the famous Stanley Paul Orchestra and other bands, and recently completed her 6th album with her band Mysteriam (available on itunes). She has produced/starred/directed award-winning independent films, and has lent her voice to numerous commercials and radio ads nationwide. She has adapted Upton Sinclair's "The Jungle" for a dramatic TV series to film in Chicago and has a biographical dramatic comedy feature about Zelda Fitzgerald in development.

This will be a fantastic evening. Please join us! Tickets, which include the reception, are available at the Galena Center for the Arts and at the DeSoto House Hotel reception desk in Galena, in the Apple River State Bank in Hanover, and in Shullsburg at The Crooked Canvas, 203 W. Water St, Shullsburg, WI. Adults \$10, Students \$4. For further information, call 815-777-0410.

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