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Snacks & soft drinks allowed in

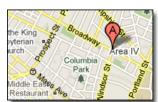
Door prizes

UPandOUT free film series

"" Showing Thursday, Aug 20

6:40pm doors open 7pm film starts promptly

243 Broadway, Cambridge corner of Broadway & Windsor, entrance on Windsor



Next, September 17: Amia Repetita and Israel Did 9/11 [a 1994 failed anti-Iran plot in Argentina - with parallels to 9/11]

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American Drug War the last white hope

[120 min]

35 years after Nixon's war on drugs, we have over one million non-violent drug offenders living behind bars.

The US War on Drugs has become the longest and most costly war in American history: how much more can the country endure? Inspired by the death of four

family members from "legal drugs" Texas filmmaker Kevin Booth sets out to discover why the Drug War has

become such a big failure. The film follows gang members, former DEA agents, CIA officers, narcotics officers, judges, politicians, prisoners and celebrities.

Most notably the film befriends Freeway Ricky Ross; the man many accuse for starting the Crack epidemic. who after being arrested discovered that his cocaine source had been working for the CIA.

AMERICAN DRUG WAR shows how money, power and greed have corrupted not just drug pushers and dope fiends. but an entire government.

Brace yourself for Afghani opium, interviews with a former drug czar and Amsterdam's Ione crack connoisseur, and basic badquy bedlam." ~Mary Ought Six, High Times Magazine

"AMERICAN DRUG WAR" is worth serious frontal lobe absorption. It shows just how well the war on drugs is going. Let me tell you it really seems to be going great. Drug use is up, education is down, all while you the taxpayer keep pouring the money in." ~C. Dempsey, Cinephelia

"It's an economic incentive program for the private prison industry, funded out of self-interest by the Partnership for a Drug Free America (essentially a front group for legal drug industries, i.e. pharmaceuticals, alcohol, and tobacco)." ~Austin Chronicle

"Speaking of hypocrisy, the film also chronicles the Iran Contra scandal, our government's sickening, morally debauched effort to facilitate the introduction of illegal drugs into society, using the profits to finance a wholly illegal military operation." ~Todd David Schwartz, Paul Mitchell Show

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