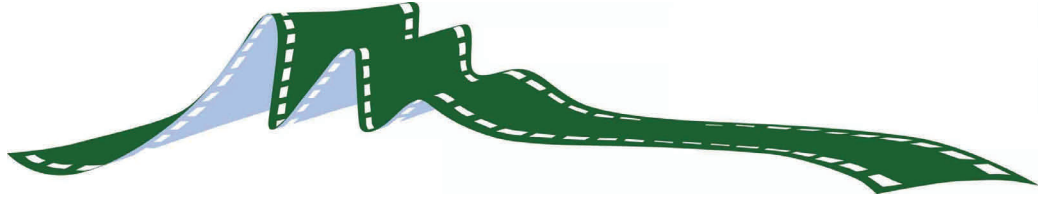


The Green Reel



Films for Sustainable Living

(Over for Film Titles and Descriptions)

Sunday Evenings This Winter

7 pm

Dates:

Jan 25

Feb 1, 8 & 22

March 1

Location:

Agudas Achim

901 N. Main Street

Attleboro

Free and Open to the Public

For more info : 508-695-2389

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Jan 25 King Corn

Friends Ian Cheney and Curt Ellis move back to America's Corn Belt to plant an acre of the nation's most-grown and most-subsidized grain in an attempt to follow their crop into the U.S. food supply. What they discover about genetically modified seeds, powerful herbicides and the realities of modern farming calls into question government subsidies, our fast-food lifestyle and the quality of our food. (2007)

Feb 1 Escape from Suburbia

After condemning America's oil dependency in his 2004 documentary *The End of Suburbia*, filmmaker Gregory Greene here addresses the solutions that will avert catastrophe, outlining the issues actively moving the energy crisis from theory to reality. Spurred to action by the realities of peak oil, Greene focuses his camera on individuals across the country brave enough to challenge and instigate their communities into serious change. (2007)

Feb 8 Everything's Cool

A film about America finally "getting" global warming in the wake of the most dangerous chasm ever to emerge between scientific understanding and political action. While industry funded nay-sayers sing what just might be their swansong of pseudo-scientific deception, a group of global warming messengers are on a high stakes quest to find the iconic image, the magic language, the points of leverage that will finally create the political will to move the US from its reliance on fossil fuels to the new clean energy economy — AND FAST. (2007)

Feb 22 The Next Industrial Revolution

We live in a time of increasing environmental concerns. Doomsday scenarios abound based on an increasing human population competing for ever scarcer natural resources. Bill McDonough and Michael Braungart offer a different vision of the future -- one where humanity works with nature, where technical enterprises are continually reinvented as safe and ever renewing natural processes. Can't happen? It's already happening.

March 1 Renewal

Across the nation, people of faith are standing up for the environment. Evangelical Christians are fighting mountaintop removal. Muslims are supporting sustainable farming. Jews are helping children experience the bond between nature and spirituality. For the first time, the combined energy of these diverse activists is the driving force behind a feature-length documentary "Renewal". Veteran film producers Marty Ostrow and Terry Kay Rockefeller have crisscrossed the country to capture these exciting stories of people whose passion and deep moral commitment are making a difference in a time of grave ecological threats. (2008)

