## Friday, October 4, 2024

## **SUGARCANE - FREE Community Film Screening**

Date and Time: Friday, October 4 5:30 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 4701 52nd Ave, Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N7

Please join us for a FREE screening for the Yellowknife community at the Northern Arts and Cultural Centre as part of the SUGARCANE Fall 2024 Rez Tour.

Reception with complimentary appetizers begins at 5:30pm.

Film screening starts promptly at 6:30pm.

Q&A with Directors Julian Brave NoiseCat + Emily Kassie following the screening

Hosted by Northern Arts and Cultural Centre.

About SUGARCANE:

A stunning tribute to the resilience of Native people and their way of life, SUGARCANE, the debut feature documentary from Julian Brave NoiseCat and Emily Kassie, is an epic cinematic portrait of a community during a moment of international reckoning.

In 2021, evidence of unmarked graves was discovered on the grounds of an Indian residential school run by the Catholic Church in Canada. After years of silence, the forced separation, assimilation and abuse many children experienced at these segregated boarding schools was brought to light, sparking a national outcry against a system designed to destroy Indigenous communities. Set amidst a groundbreaking investigation, SUGARCANE illuminates the beauty of a community breaking cycles of intergenerational trauma and finding the strength to persevere.

Watch Trailer here: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CisI\_WFPDOk">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CisI\_WFPDOk</a>

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