

# MISSION BEACH FILM CLUB

Presents: *Hannah Arendt*  
on Saturday 25 July 2015 from 7 PM



## Hannah Arendt

2012 Germany – 114 minutes – Drama – M

Stars: Barbara Sukowa, Axel Milberg, Janet McTeer

Director: Margarethe von Trotta

IMDb Rating: 7.1

Trailer: [www.youtube.com/watch?v=KDO5u2YSbm0](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KDO5u2YSbm0)

Language: English & German with English Subtitles

Awards: [www.imdb.com/title/tt1674773/awards?ref=tt\\_awd](http://www.imdb.com/title/tt1674773/awards?ref=tt_awd)

In 1961, the noted German-American philosopher, Hanna Arendt, gets to report on the trial of the notorious Nazi war-criminal, Adolf Eichmann. While observing the legal proceedings, the Holocaust survivor concludes that Eichmann was not a simple monster, but an ordinary man who thoughtlessly buried his conscience through his obedience to the Nazi Regime and its ideology. Arendt's expansion of this idea through her resulting New Yorker articles would create the concept of the "Banality of Evil" that she thought even sucked in some Jewish leaders of the era into unwittingly participating in the Holocaust. The result is a bitter public controversy in which Arendt is accused of blaming the Holocaust's victims. Now, that strong willed intellectual is forced to defend her daringly innovative ideas about moral complexity in a struggle that will exact a heavy personal cost.

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**Location:** C4 Theatrette – North Mission Beach (next to  Tourist Office)

**Start: 7.00 PM**

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