

MISSION BEACH FILM CLUB

Presents: *Cyclo*

on Saturday 10 October 2015 from 7 PM



CYCLO

1995 Vietnamese – 123 minutes – Crime/Drama – R

Stars: Le Van Loc, Tony Chiu Wai Leung, Tran Nu Yên-Khê

Director: Tran Anh Hung

IMDb Rating: 7.4

Trailer: www.youtube.com/watch?v=uID6zbjR6dQ

Language: Vietnamese with English Subtitles

Awards: www.imdb.com/title/tt0112767/awards?ref=tt_awd

A young man who struggles through life by earning some money with his bicycle-taxi in Saigon (Ho Chi Minh City) gets contact to a group of criminals. They introduce him to the mafia-world of drugs and crime. Some of the photography is mind-boggling. Cyclo is about a young bicycle taxi driver from a poor family who becomes involved in gang activities after his taxi is stolen and his options are limited. The 123 minutes of the film give time for good character development. The gang's lieutenant, Poet, is a ruthless criminal who rarely speaks and is troubled his bad childhood and a recurring nosebleed problem. Madame is the wise leader with a retarded son, Fishmouth. Every character in the story is human, each with their own problems.

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

Start: 7.00 PM

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