

BRIGHTON'S PASSION FEATURE FILM and THE PASSION OF CHRIST STREET EVENT
PRODUCTIONS IN BRIGHTON 2012/2013
Clarification of 2 different production companies

BACKGROUND

Brighton's Passion was originally researching a one day Passion Play street event. During the research and interview process with the people of Brighton, cinematic ideas led the development to explore a feature-film concept in which the Life of Jesus and His Passion is elevated to the big screen, set on location in Brighton.

As with many artistic ventures, the vision has grown and evolved and those who gave birth to the original project have seen it develop into two separate production companies and two separate projects. These are now being run by two different companies, who have released this update jointly, to alleviate any confusion which might arise.

The first event is a traditional Passion Play street event, **THE PASSION OF CHRIST IN BRIGHTON** which took place on Easter Sunday 24th April 2011 at the Paddling Pool by The West Pier on the sea front from 3pm to 7pm and soon to be again with a street Passion Play for **Easter 2012 on Sunday 8th April 2-5pm on Brighton Sea-front as part of the Soul By The Sea Festival that weekend.**

The second being a commercial feature film production currently being developed under working title **BRIGHTON'S PASSION**, a contemporary adaptation, the key elements of Jesus' Passion resonating throughout the main storyline, with Tony Jordan and Poppy Elliott Executive producing with Footprint Films as co-production partners, development continues during 2012 for filming to commence in Winter 2013.

THE PASSION OF CHRIST IN BRIGHTON – ONE DAY STREET EVENT

This is a free event for the benefit of Brighton & surrounding communities. Passion plays date back to 1350, bringing the timeless story to ordinary people who couldn't read or write. Typically the contemporary Passion Play is structured with each scene located in a different position in the streets and squares of the town/city centre, the process involves working with writers, directors, composers, an artistic team, costume designers, concert and opera set, lighting designers and special effects. With the seafront as the backdrop, and the local residents as the cast, crew and audience, this project brings all the colour, life and energy of Brighton together in an exciting, moving and passion-filled event. The key component to this project is volunteers – people giving their time, expertise and passion to make it happen.

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BRIGHTON'S PASSION – COMMERCIAL FEATURE FILM DRAMA FOR CINEMA

Brighton's Passion is a contemporary feature film drama in development set to be filmed on location in Brighton & Hove in Winter 2012/2013

After research & development an industry co-production partnership has formed between Red Planet Pictures Shofar Film and Footprint films building upon the support and partnerships with Brighton's established city charities, trusts, council, church, business and community leaders.

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