

## 2010 Downtown Lawrence Film Festival

## Summer Nights with Cary Grant



June 3 - Holiday

When nonconformist Johnny Case (Cary Grant) meets his socialite fiancee's (Doris Nolan) family, he falls in love with her free-spirited sister (Katharine Hepburn). Johnny must decide if he will settle down to big business or spend the early years of his life on "holiday." With the help of his friends, he makes up his mind as to which is the better course, and the better mate.

June 10 - Bringing Up Baby

IWealthy socialite Susan Vance (Katharine Hepburn) will do anything to get her man. She must act fast, however, because the man she wants, paleontologist David Huxley (Cary Grant) is getting married—and soon! To top it off, Susan already has her hands full taking care of Baby, her brother's pet leopard, in this madcap adventure that is considered one of the best screwball comedies of all time.





June 17 - His Girl Friday

Newspaper editor Walter Burns (Cary Grant) is in love with Hildy Johnson (Rosalind Russell), his star reporter and ex-wife. Walter will do anything and everything to prevent her from marrying her soon-to-be -husband Bruce Baldwin (Ralph Bellamy). Meanwhile, Walter and Hildy capture an escaped convict for an exclusive scoop in this classic romantic comedy.

June 24 - The Philadelphia Story

THE PHILADELPHIA STORY is a classic upper-crust comedy. A brilliant adaptation of the Philip Barry play set in the high society of the Philadelphia "Mainline." Tracy Lord (Katharine Hepburn) is a wealthy heiress in search of romance. Cary Grant plays her ex-husband, and James Stewart won an Academy Award® for his role as the reporter who falls in love with her.





July 1 - Arsenic & Old Lace

Based on Joseph Kesselring's hit Broadway play, this madcap comedy is a blend of the bizarre and the mundane. A mild-mannered drama critic (Cary Grant) learns that his two kindly and loveable aunts have been poisoning people with elderberry wine. Two murderers (Peter Lorre and Raymond Massey) move into the aunts' house with the idea of adding a few corpses of their own.

## July 8 - The Bachelor and the Bobby-Soxer

Teenaged Susan Turner (Shirley Temple), with a severe crush on playboy artist Richard Nugent (Cary Grant), sneaks into his apartment to model for him and is found there by her sister Judge Margaret Turner (Myrna Loy). Threatened with jail, Nugent agrees to date Susan until the crush abates. He counters Susan's comic false sophistication by even more comic put-on teenage mannerisms, with a slapstick climax.

