

# Ronald McDonald House Movie Guide



Movies in the House theater provide weekend joy and diversion for our families. Thank you for your interest in volunteering with this program.

## Volunteer Groups

- Size—2 to 6 volunteers.
- Age—at least 13 years old, with one adult present to supervise if your group includes anyone under 18.

## Timing

- Volunteers arrive a half hour before showtime to prep popcorn and get set up.
- Showtime is at **6:30 pm on Friday and Saturday**, and at **6 pm on Sunday**. If no families show up for at least 20 minutes after the scheduled start, feel free to call it a night and check out at the Front Desk.
- Plan for 20-30 minutes after the movie ends to finish cleaning.

## Movie Choices—**G or PG rated only**

- DVD or Blu-ray disc format (note: Ultra HD Blu-ray is incompatible with our player).
- Fire Stick/Roku Streaming Stick instructions are posted—an easy way to screen a G or PG movie you own or rent with **your personal Fire Stick/Roku Streaming Stick and remote**.
- Groups have the best success aiming for preschool to grade school age audiences.

## Snacks

- We are limited to **individual bags** of microwave popcorn or non-messy snacks and or candy (no chocolate, please!). All must be **commercially packaged and served unopened**.
- Plan for 15-20 movie fans.
- **The House provides bottled water—no other beverages are permitted in the theater.**

## Movie Procedure

1. Make sure everyone on your team is **healthy with no symptoms of illness** and has reviewed our Volunteer Guidelines (separate document).
2. Fill out a Group Sign-In form at the Front Desk when you arrive with everyone adding their name.
3. House staff will take you to the theater and assist with the video equipment, lights, etc.
4. When the movie ends, **thoroughly clean the theater**, following all instructions posted inside.
5. All clean? Grab your movie, any garbage, and the theater key after you lock up.
6. Return to the Front Desk to hand off key and garbage and sign out, with the pink copy as your receipt.

## Important Reminders

- Any photos you take must be limited to your group—please do not include our children or their families.
- An adult volunteer must stay in the theater throughout the movie.
- Last minute cancellation? Leave a message for a House Manager at 206-838-0638.

## Still Need to Schedule a Movie?

- Check our Movie Night Calendar for open dates and submit a Movie Night Interest Form.
- Marla Malone, Meal Program & Activities Manager, will be in touch with you soon!