



## Material at the George W. Bush Presidential Library Pertaining To Movie Screenings at the White House

### Introduction

This guide includes the principle files at the George W. Bush Presidential Library that contain material relating to Movie Screenings at the White House that have been processed and are available for research. It is not definitive, however, and researchers should consult with the Library's archivists about other potentially useful files.

This guide identifies materials that have been opened for research through systematic processing or under a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request. Check the [George W. Bush Presidential Library website](#), as it is constantly updated with new [finding aids](#) and [digitized content](#). If records are available via the Digital Library or the National Archives Catalog, a link has been provided.

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Some of the films screened during the George W. Bush administration include:

### 02/01/2001 - Thirteen Days

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

02/01/2001 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654312>)

Social Office, White House

Stewart, Anne - Chron Files

02/01/2001 - Movie Party (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652107>)

02/01/2001 - Movie Party - Theater - East Wing

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652109>)

### 03/07/2001 - Varian's War

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

03/07/2001 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654324>)

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of  
Holbrook, Ashley - Event Files

03/07/2001 - Movie Viewing (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652019>)

Social Office, White House  
Event Files

02/01/2001 - Varian's War Movie Night

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652057>)

03/07/2001 - Movie Night (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652059>)

Stewart, Anne - Chron Files

03/07/2001 - Movie - Varian's War - Holocaust Film

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652113>)

### **03/25/2001 - The Mexican**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

03/25/2001 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654330>)

Counsel's Office, White House  
Elwood, Courtney Simmons

Movie Night Expenses (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119651987>)

Movie Night: "The Mexican" (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119651989>)

Social Office, White House  
Stewart, Anne - Chron Files

03/25/2001- Movie Night "The Mexican"

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652111>)

### **04/09/2001 - 61**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

04/09/2001 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654336>)

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of  
Holbrook, Ashley - Event Files

04/26/2001 - Film Screening "61" (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652021>)

Office of Laura Bush - Press  
Johndroe, Gordon - Chron Files

04/09/2001 - Movie Night (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652007>)

Social Office, White House

Stewart, Anne - Chron Files

04/09/2001 - Movie Night "61" (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652115>)

**05/16/2001 - Submerged**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

05/16/2001 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654346>)

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of  
Calio, Nicholas (Nick)

Submerged (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652013>)

Holbrook, Ashley - Event Files

05/16/2001 - Movie - "Submerged"

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652023>)

Office of Laura Bush - Press

Johndroe, Gordon - Chron Files

04/09/2001 - Movie Night (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652007>)

Press Office, White House

Healy, Erin - Subject Files

White House Movie Nights (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652039>)

Social Office, White House

Stewart, Anne - Chron Files

05/16/2001 - "Terrible Hours" Movie

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652117>)

**02/26/2002 - We Were Soldiers**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

02/26/2002 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654386>)

Social Office, White House

Fenton, Catherine (Cathy) - Chron Files

02/26/2002 - We Were Soldiers (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652061>)

Stewart, Anne - Chron Files

02/26/2002 - Movie - "We Were Soldiers"

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652121>)

Strategic Initiatives, White House Office of

Henick, Chris

We Were Soldiers (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652157>)

**04/23/2002 - The Rookie**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

04/23/2002 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/24330564>)

Social Office, White House

Figg, Jeanie - Chron Files

04/23/2002 - Movie (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652069>)

Stewart, Anne - Chron Files

04/23/2002 - Movie "The Rookie" (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652119>)

Strategic Initiatives, White House Office of

Henick, Chris

The Rookie (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652155>)

### **01/10/2003 - Chicago**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

01/10/2003 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654412>)

Social Office, White House

Fenton, Catherine (Cathy) - Chron Files

01/10/2003 - Dinner & Movie Night "Chicago"

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652063>)

### **07/21/2003 - Seabiscuit**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

07/21/2003 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654436>)

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of

Nugent, Caroline - Event Files

07/21/2003 - Screening of Seabiscuit (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652027>)

Social Office, White House

Fenton, Catherine (Cathy) - Chron Files

07/21/2003 - Seabiscuit Movie Party

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652065>)

Huddleston, Caroline - Chron Files

07/21/2003 - Seabiscuit (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652073>)

Strategic Initiatives, White House Office of

Goergen, Barbara Jo (BJ)

07/22/2003 - Seabiscuit [1] (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652147>)

07/22/2003 - Seabiscuit [2] (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652149>)

**09/10/2003 - Twin Towers**

Social Office, White House

Fenton, Catherine (Cathy) - Chron Files

09/10/2003 - Buffet and Movie Night "Twin Towers"

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652067>)

Huddleston, Caroline - Chron Files

09/10/2003 - Twin Towers Movie (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652075>)

**06/08/2005 - Cinderella Man**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of

Presidential Daily Diary

06/08/2005 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654470>)

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of

General Files

06/08/2005 - Screening of Cinderella Man

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652017>)

Social Office, White House

DeCamp, Mary (Missy) - Chron Files

06/08/2005 - Cinderella Man Screening and Dinner

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652043>)

06/08/2005 - Movie - Cinderella Man

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652045>)

Turner, Tanya - Chron Files

06/08/2005 - Dinner/Movie (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652125>)

**12/16/2005 - The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe**

Photo Office, White House

Photographs Related to the George W. Bush Administration, 1/20/2001 - 1/20/2009

Students and Their Mentors from Everybody Wins! DC Join Mrs. Laura Bush and her Mother, Mrs. Jenna Welch in the White House Theater

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/7431317>)

**02/22/2006 - Glory Road**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of

Presidential Daily Diary

02/22/2006 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654480>)

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of

Nugent, Caroline - Event Files

02/22/2006 - Glory Road Dinner and Screening

<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652029>)

Social Office, White House

DeCamp, Mary (Missy) - Chron Files

02/22/2006 - Screening - Glory Road

<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652047>)

Huddleston, Caroline - Chron Files

02/22/2006 - Dinner and Screening of “Glory Road” [1]

<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652077>)

02/22/2006 - Dinner and Screening of “Glory Road” [2]

<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652079>)

02/22/2006 - Glory Road Screening

<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652081>)

Zantzing, Amy - Chron Files

02/22/2006 - Glory Road Dinner and Movie [1]

<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652127>)

02/22/2006 - Glory Road Dinner and Movie [2]

<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652129>)

#### **04/05/2006 - Voyage to Kure**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

04/05/2006 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/24330906>)

Office of Laura Bush - Chief of Staff

McBride, Anita - Chron Files

04/05/2006 - Voyage to Kure (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119651991>)

Social Office, White House

DeCamp, Mary (Missy) - Chron Files

04/05/2006 - Voyage to Kure (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652049>)

Irons, A. Kate - Chron Files

04/05/2006 - Voyage to Kure Dinner and Screening

<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652083>)

Zantzing, Amy - Chron Files

04/05/2006 - Screening Oceans Film “Voyage to Kure”

<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652131>)

#### **05/30/2006 - United 93**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

05/30/2006 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654488>)

Public Liaison, White House Office of

Cram, Julie - Chron Files

05/30/2006 - Flight 93 Screening (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652041>)

Social Office, White House

DeCamp, Mary (Missy) - Chron Files

05/30/2006 - United 93 Screening (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652051>)

Irons, A. Kate - Chron Files

05/30/2006 - Screening of "United 93"

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652085>)

Zantzing, Amy - Chron Files

05/30/2006 - Screening - "Flight 93"

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652133>)

### **06/11/2006 - Broken Trail**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of

Presidential Daily Diary

06/11/2006 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/24330920>)

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of

Consolvo, Brandon

Broken Trail - Sunday, 06/11/2006 - Screening & Dinner - Theater &

Bookseller's Area (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652015>)

Office of Laura Bush - Chief of Staff

McBride, Anita - Chron Files

06/11/2006 - "Broken Trail" Screening

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119651993>)

Social Office, White House

DeCamp, Mary (Missy) - Chron Files

06/11/2006 - Broken Trail (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652053>)

Irons, A. Kate - Chron Files

06/11/2006 - Screening of Broken Trail

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652053>)

Zantzing, Amy - Chron Files

06/11/2006 - Broken Trail Screening and Dinner

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652135>)

### **10/29/2006 - Children of Glory**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of

Presidential Daily Diary

10/29/2006 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654496>)

Office of Laura Bush - Chief of Staff

McBride, Anita - Chron Files

10/29/2006 - Children of Glory Hungarian Dinner & Movie Screening

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119651995>)

Social Office, White House

DeCamp, Mary (Missy) - Chron Files

10/29/2006 - Children of Glory Dinner & Screening

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652055>)

Irons, A. Kate - Chron Files

10/29/2006 - Dinner and Screening of "Children of Glory" [1]

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652089>)

10/29/2006 - Dinner and Screening of "Children of Glory" [2]

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652079>)

Zantzing, Amy - Chron Files

10/29/2006 - Dinner and Screening "Children of Glory"

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652137>)

### **01/31/2007 - Charlotte's Web**

Photo Office, White House

Mrs. Laura Bush Attends a Movie Screening at the White House with Girl Scouts from Local Troops (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/171487131>)

### **02/19/2007 - Amazing Grace**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of

Presidential Daily Diary

02/19/2007 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654506>)

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of

Nugent, Caroline - Event Files

02/19/2007 - Screening of Amazing Grace

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652031>)

Office of Laura Bush - Chief of Staff

McBride, Anita - Chron Files

02/19/2007 - Screening of Amazing Grace

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119651997>)

Office of Laura Bush - Projects and Policy

Harder, Cherie - Chron Files

02/23/2007 - Screening: Amazing Grace

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652011>)

Social Office, White House



Irons, A. Kate - Chron Files

02/09/2007 - Screening of Amazing Grace  
(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119651997>)

Zantzing, Amy - Chron Files

02/19/2007 - Screening of Amazing Grace  
(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652139>)

### **09/16/2007 - The Kite Runner**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of  
Presidential Daily Diary

09/16/2007 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654520>)

Office of Laura Bush - Chief of Staff

McBride, Anita - Chron Files

09/16/2007 - Kite Runner Screening  
(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119651999>)

Social Office, White House

Hargraves, Catherine (Cathy) - Chron Files

09/16/2007 - Dinner and Movie Screening - Kite Runner  
(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652071>)

Thornton, Dorothy (Dori) - Chron Files

09/16/2007 - Dinner and Screening of The Kite Runner  
(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652123>)

Zantzing, Amy - Chron Files

09/16/2007 - Dinner and Screening of The Kite Runner  
(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652141>)

### **10/11/2007 - Ballou**

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of

Nugent, Caroline - Event Files

10/11/2007 - Mrs. Bush's Screening of Ballou  
(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652033>)

Office of Laura Bush - Chief of Staff

McBride, Anita - Chron Files

10/11/2007 - Ballou Screening (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652001>)

Office of Laura Bush - Projects and Policy

Hagar, Leslie

DVD - Ballou High School Screening 10/11/2007  
(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652009>)

Social Office, White House

Irons, A. Kate - Chron Files

10/11/2007 - Film Screening of Ballou

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652095>)

Zantzing, Amy - Chron Files

10/11/2007 - Screening of Ballou (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652143>)

**03/30/2008 - Horton Hears a Who**

Social Office, White House

Jackson, Sally - Chron Files

03/30/2008 - Movie Screening: Horton Hears a Who

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652097>)

**07/27/2008 - The Perfect Game**

Appointments and Scheduling, White House Office of

Presidential Daily Diary

07/27/2008 (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119654528>)

Legislative Affairs, White House Office of

Nugent, Caroline - Event Files

07/27/2008 - Screening of The Perfect Game and Dinner

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652037>)

Office of Laura Bush - Chief of Staff

McBride, Anita - Chron Files

07/27/2008 - "The Perfect Game" Movie Screening

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652003>)

Social Office, White House

Jackson, Sally - Chron Files

07/26/2008 - Movie Screening - "The Perfect Game"

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652099>)

Zantzing, Amy - Chron Files

07/27/2008 - Screening of The Perfect Game and Dinner

(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652145>)

Strategic Initiatives, White House Office of

Sherzer, David - Presidential Schedules

07/26/2008 - Perfect Game (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652159>)

**01/04/2009 - The Tale of Despereaux**

Social Office, White House

Jackson, Sally - Chron Files

[01/04/2009 -] Tales of Despereaux (<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652103>)

01/04/2009 - Movie Screening: Tales of Despereaux  
(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652101>)

**01/10/2009 - Marley and Me**

Social Office, White House

Jackson, Sally - Chron Files

01/10/2009 at 2PM - Movie Screening: Marley and Me  
(<https://catalog.archives.gov/id/119652105>)

This is not an exhaustive list of films viewed by the President or First Lady. For more information, please see the related Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Requests below.

**Materials processed under FOIA**

These records are located in the White House Office of Records Management (ORM) or Staff Member Office Files (SMOF) materials. However, these records were processed as part of a FOIA request, as submitted by a researcher.

***Entire FOIAs related to Movies Screened at the White House***

**2015-0140-F**

Films Screened by President George W. Bush (from Staff Member Office Files)

**2017-0009-F**

Films Screened by President George W. Bush from the White House Office of Records Management

**2017-0011-F**

Photographs of White House Movie Screening on February 1, 2001

**2017-0012-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Varian's War on March 7, 2001

**2017-0016-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Submerged on May 16, 2001

**2017-0017-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of The Rookie on April 23, 2002

**2017-0019-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Seabiscuit on July 21, 2003

**2017-0020-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Twin Towers on September 10, 2003

**2017-0021-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Cinderella Man on June 8, 2005

**2017-0026-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Glory Road on February 22, 2006

**2017-0027-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Voyage to Kure on April 5, 2006

**2017-0028-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of United 93 on May 30, 2006

**2017-0030-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Broken Trail on June 11, 2006

**2017-0031-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Children of Glory on October 29, 2006

**2017-0032-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Amazing Grace on February 19, 2007

**2017-0034-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of The Kite Runner on September 16, 2007

**2017-0035-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Ballou: A Documentary Film on October 11, 2007

**2017-0036-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of Horton Hears a Who on March 30, 2008

**2017-0037-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of The Perfect Game on July 27, 2008

**2017-0038-F**

Photos of the White House Movie Screening of The Tale of Despereaux on January 4, 2009