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THE REAL FILM FESTIVAL 2019 GOES LIVE - TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

Homegrown in the Hunter, the Real Film Festival launches its eighth consecutive year, with a truly outstanding line-up of guest presenters, screen industry skills workshops, panel discussions with film makers and documentary film screenings.

The contemporary programming of the Real Film Festival positions it as one of regional Australia's leading documentary film festivals and presents films by independent international, national and local storytellers whose presence at the festival creates a buzz and honesty; a world class event right on our doorstep!

Real Film Festival Director Annette Hubber says "I believe that the Real Film Festival truly celebrates the Hunter region's unique personality; we love to share stories about local people, discuss our awareness of global issues and celebrate our passion for film."

Hubber also says this year's festival program offers exciting opportunities for the emerging content creators of the region to access the expertise of screen industry practitioners and build on their own skills and knowledge; particularly with the increase of emerging diversified and personalised content creation options and streaming services.

"The workshops on offer this year are delivered by the highest level of industry professionals and we are thrilled to bring this calibre of industry to our own promising regional screen sector. Extraordinary talent will share their insider knowledge, tips and tricks on visual effects, script development, accessible virtual reality, the changing world of television and streaming content, prosthetic wounds, directing, cinematography, acting, filming with a smartphone and vlogging.

Working collaboratively with Hunter TAFE and the University of Newcastle's Festival X means that we can also support students to engage meaningfully with a sector which has real jobs and creative opportunities, locally, nationally and worldwide."

Tickets on sale now: realfilmfestival.com.au for tickets and full program.

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