

Stories centered on the Human Experience: the connection with nature through the extreme sports in which the athletes have evolved.





To exist in today's world, we often have to keep up with a frantic pace, leaving little time for things that are non-essential but vital to our balance.

Against this trend, some humans do not accept these constraints and have chosen to live in connection with nature.

This choice imposes a rapid adaptation, a deep respect and a great knowledge of the elements.

This is their art of living, adapting to fully integrate into the environment in which they evolve.

The story of two years of filming in British Columbia, in the French Alps, in Norway north of the Arctic Circle, and in the Cenotes of the forests of Mexico.



NDG CINEMA - LA NUIT DE LA GLISSE 5 DECADES OF HISTORY

With almost half a century in outdoor movie production, NDG Cinema has become the reference when it comes to extreme sports movies. Cutting edge shooting technics combined with world-class riders are the key ingredients to our long-term success.



Nuit de la Glisse was born during the 70's by a group of inspired visionaries, giving birth to a true social phenomenon, today known under the French term «Glisse».

Today, 'NDG Cinema' is the new name for 'Nuit de la Glisse' international film label. It embodies the origins of this trend, and have evolved over the last 5 decades to encompass newly emerging action outdoor sports, while at the same time, documenting the amazing and exciting developments in our original passions, surfing and snow sports. By gathering together all the different sports fans to one common and unique events for the last 50 years at cinema halls across the world, NDG Cinema has positioned itself as a legitimate and recognizable brand.

WORLDWIDE DIFFUSION:

While our movies are all shot for cinema with high quality standards and distributed worldwide, NDG has recently opened to new distribution channels such as VOD (ex. Netflix) and TV (Direct TV, CCTV China, France Télévision...). Today, our contents are distributed in over 20 countries and reach millions of people every year.



ATHLETES AND SPORTS



Lea BOUARD, Rory BUSHFIELD, Wadeck GORAK, Nikolai SCHIRMER





Snowboard

Krister KOPALA

Speedriding

Valentin DELLUC





Maud LE CAR, Joan DURU, Marc LACOMARE, Benjamin SANCHIS

Freediving

Camila Jaber



HUMAN EXTREME

ATHLETES FOCUS



WADECK GORAK

'Back to the roots of freeride' Professional freeride and freestyle skier from Ubaye Age: 33 2019 Xtreme Verbier victory 2021 Xtreme Verbier 2nd place

LEA BOUARD

'From Olympics to Freeride' Mogul skiers from Megève who took part in the 2018 Olympics Age: 26 Now competing on the Freeride World Tour qualifiers Mentally strong, she does not hesitate to throw huge backflips on steep faces



RORY BUSHFIELD



Inst<u>agram</u>



Former member of Canada's World Cup team, skiing moguls. He has also competed in slopestyle skiing before focusing on backcountry skiing and filmmaking



KRISTER KOPALA

'Modern day explorer of the North' Passionate snowboarder from the North of Norway Aae: 31

Unique snowboarder who is dedicated to exploring big mountains where no rider has made tracks before him, climbing steep slopes and riding fast



VALENTIN DELLUC

'The Flying Skier' World's best Speedrider Age: 29 Red Bull Athlete and Internet star whose videos score millions of views Valentin is bringing Speedriding to a new level with enhanced skiing skills









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MAUD LE CAR

'Ocean lover' Europe Vice-champion in 2013, 17th world WSL in 2014 Age: 30 Nature lover, she combines her professional career with her association Save La Mermaid which fights for the protection of the oceans



JOAN DURU

'Local prodigy surfer' ISA World Champion in 2021 Age: 33

Joan is a pure product of the Landes, surfer in Hossegor since he was 7 years old, he is today one of the best surfers in the world



MARC LACOMARE





'Fast, loose and fearless' Age: 32

An exceptional tuberider, Marc has been a surfer at the gates of the world rankings since winning the Junior World Championships in 2011. Today one of the best representatives of Hossegor on the world stage



BENJAMIN SANCHIS



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'Sancho' Age: 42 A true monument, this surfer is in perpetual guest for perfect waves Every year since 2015, he scores epic sessions and is regularly nominated for the XXL Big Wave Awards



CAMILA JABER

'Sirena Mexicana' Age: 26 Won in 2021 the #CreateCOP26 by UNESCO Montevideo with her poetic video 'l am cenote' Freediver, engineer and underwater stuntwoman



Instagram



2022 EUROPEAN TOUR MAIN EVENTS DATES

BIARRITZ – 4 Nov

LAUSANNE - 10 Nov

GENEVA - 11 Nov

MILANO - 17 Nov (TBC)

LONDON - 18 Nov

LYON – 22-23 Nov

CHUR – 23 Nov

ZURICH - 23 Nov

MUNICH - 24-25 Nov

ANNECY – 25-26-27 Nov

MARSEILLE - 27 Nov

PARIS - 1-2 Dec





THIERRY DONARD FILMMAKER

Thierry Donard is above all a passionate and professional filmmaker.

He has always been fascinated by extreme sports. In the 70's, when he was only 13 years old, Thierry made his first ski film. In 1978, he met Dick Barrymore, an American filmmaker and pioneer of action sports cinema in the United States, who changed his life. He joined his team and worked alongside him for 10 years.

In 1996, he (re)launched the series «Nuit de la Glisse» with the intention of extending his films to cinemas and consolidated his project. His films are now part of one of the largest European extreme sports labels with the largest distribution network across Europe.

The film production company he manages has produced over the last 10 years an impressive number of documentary films that belong to a real broadcaster category (Extreme Adventure / Documentary).

In nearly 50 years, all the biggest names in extreme sports have appeared in front of Thierry Donard's cameras.







OUR VALUES

ECO-RESPONSIBLE VISION OF THE DIRECTOR



Thierry Donard leads a team of extreme filmmakers, ready to sacrifice anything to bring back unique footage.



After many years exploring the world, we have witnessed and realized the consequences of climate change. Our goal now is to find extraordinary Freeriders, to follow their adventures, to create admiration among our public, and to influence our state of mind towards Nature.

We will always keep a positive message, showing the beauties of our world and how to appreciate these, and keep pushing the limits of what athletes can accomplish while facing the forces of the elements.



OUR MOTTO EXPLORE THE WORLD

To admire and to share through our images the beauty of nature and to testify a global climate change and to drive our audience towards an awareness-raising through a legitimate message.



PARTNERS











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