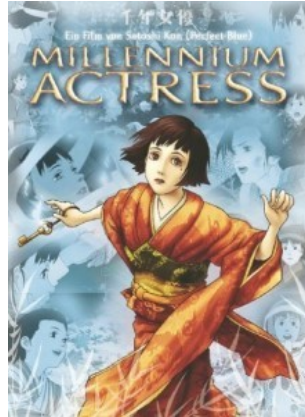


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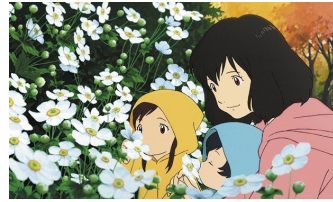
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# WOLF CHILDREN

by Mamoru Hosoda

Thursday, July 23, 2015, 7:00PM



This is a mother's journey. Teach your children to chase their dreams – and smile through the tears as they disappear into the world in search of who they will become. Hana wasn't always a mother, but it was always what she was meant to be.

Directed by Mamoru Hosoda, 117min, 2012, Japan, **Subtitled in English**, NOT dubbed.

*"The movie is hauntingly romantic at heart, in the best spirit of a Gothic fairytale, but without the harsh shadows or hard edges."*

*-Tim Robey, The Telegraph*

**Trailer: Wolf Children**

**Tickets**

General: \$10 / Senior \$7.5

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## MILLENNIUM ACTRESS

by Satoshi Kon

Thursday, August 27th, 2015, 7:00PM



A movie studio is being torn down. TV interviewer Genya Tachibana has tracked down its most famous star, Chiyoko Fujiwara, who has been a recluse since she left acting some 30 years ago. Tachibana delivers a key to her, and it causes her to reflect on her career; as she's telling the story, Tachibana and his long-suffering cameraman are drawn in. The key was given to her as a teenager by a painter and revolutionary that she helped to escape the police. She becomes an actress because it will make it possible to track him down, and she spends the next several decades acting out that search in various genres and eras.

Directed by Satoshi Kon, 87min., 2003, Japan, **English subtitled.**

*"If Hayao Miyazaki (Spirited Away) is the Spielberg of modern anime and Shinichiro Watanabe (Cowboy Bebop) is its Tarantino, then Satoshi Kon is shaping up to be the form's David Lynch."*

*-Ethan Alter, Film Journal International*

### Trailer

### Tickets

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