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Beresford (right)
with Barry Crocker
during filming of
*The Adventures of
Barry McKenzie*

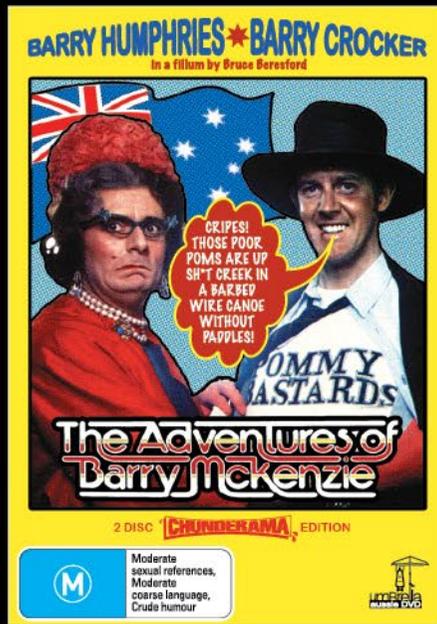
DIRECTOR FOCUS **BRUCE BERESFORD**

Helming over 30 feature films in a career spanning more than 50 years, Bruce Beresford is one of Australia's most successful and influential directors.

From his first feature, *The Adventures of Barry McKenzie*, through to Australian classics such as *Don's Party*, *The Club* and *Breaker Morant*, Beresford has been a fixture of the Australian cinematic landscape. After moving to the U.S., he has continued this run with notable features including *Driving Miss Daisy* (which won him the Best Director Oscar®), *Tender Mercies*, *Black Robe*, and *Mao's Last Dancer*, which broke box office records Australia-wide.

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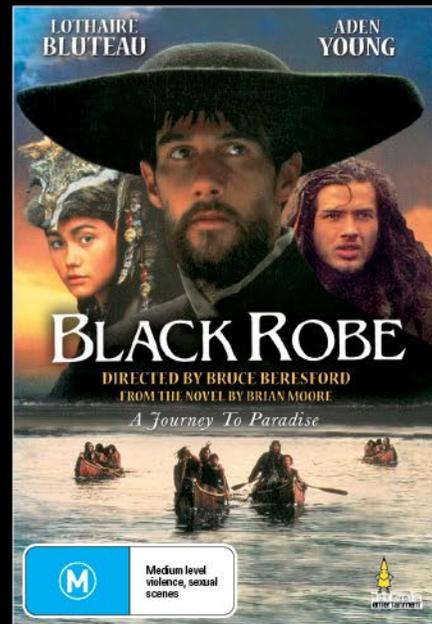
THE ADVENTURES OF BARRY MCKENZIE

Reviled by the critics!

Adored by fair-dinkum Aussies!

In this fan-bloody-tastic classic, directed by **Bruce Beresford** (his first feature) Australia's favourite wild colonial boy, Barry McKenzie (**Barry Crocker**), journeys to the old country accompanied by his Aunt Edna Everage (**Barry Humphries**) to take a Captain Cook and further his cultural and intellectual education.

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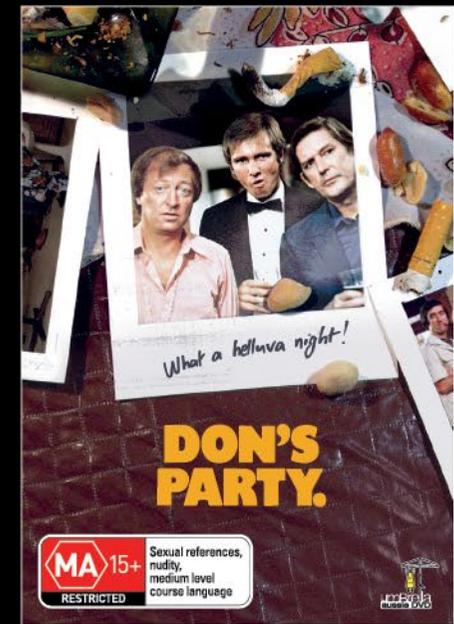
BLACK ROBE

In the harsh winter of 1634, an idealistic Jesuit priest and his naive young companion are escorted through the wilderness of Quebec by Algonquin Indians, to visit a distant mission.

Theirs is a journey fraught with danger and the threat of violence from hostile natives. Father Laforgue (**Lothaire Bluteau**, *The Tudors*) opens his heart to the harsh and unforgiving country and its people. His companion Daniel (**Aden Young**, *Killer Elite*) is drawn to the beauty close at hand, falling in love with fellow traveller Annuka (**Sandrine Holt**, *Underworld Awakening*).

But as they attempt the arduous 1,500 mile trek upriver, the testing elements and the ever-present shadow of death are never far behind.

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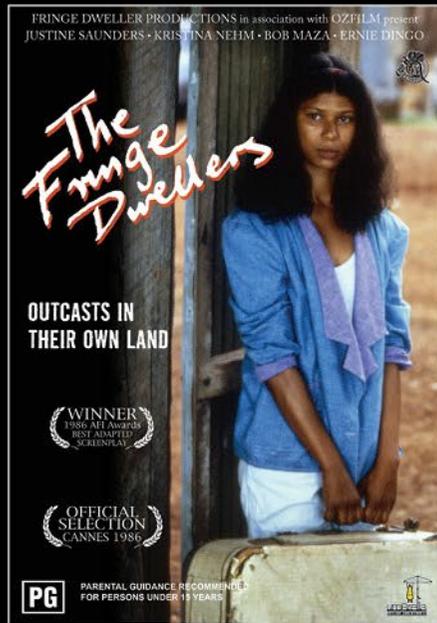
DON'S PARTY

When you mix a left wing teacher, a loud-mouthed sex maniac, a mild-mannered accountant, a failed philosopher, a promiscuous 19 year old nymphette, a frustrated wife, a drunken pornographer, a sexy temperamental artist and an arrogant dentist with a lot of booze anything can happen!

Adapted by **David Williamson** (*The Club*) from his own hit stage play, directed by acclaimed filmmaker **Bruce Beresford** (*Breaker Morant*, *The Club*), and starring the A-list of local talent (including **Graham Kennedy**, **John Hargreaves**, **Graeme Blundell** and **Ray Barrett**), *Don's Party* is a crowd-pleasing Aussie favourite.

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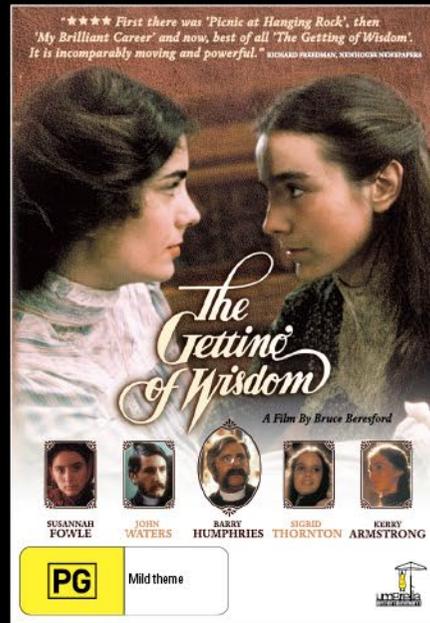


FRINGE DWELLERS

Outcasts in Their Own Land!

A compelling film about the difficult clash of two cultures. Trilby Comeaway (**Kristina Nehm**) is an Aboriginal teenager living in a squalid shantytown with her extended family who are divided between those more assimilated to the white world, like Trilby and her sister, and an older generation still attuned to the mythology of their culture.

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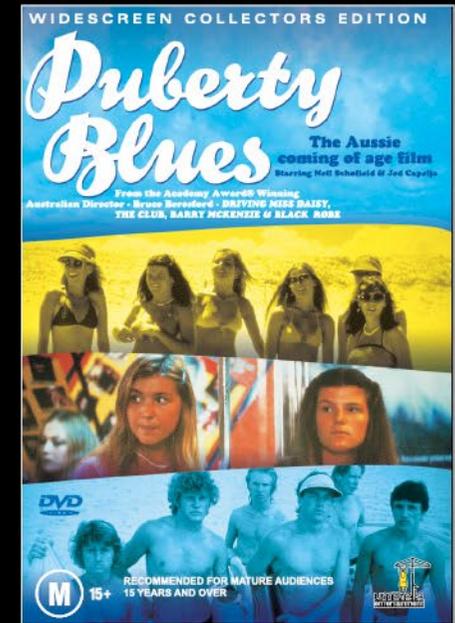
THE GETTING OF WISDOM

Chronicling her stormy passage through the sedate halls of an expensive Melbourne finishing school, *The Getting Of Wisdom* delivers a rich and amusing portrait of an imaginative country girl who refuses to be broken to fit the mould of a Victorian-era young lady.

Based on the immortal best seller by **Henry Handel Richardson** and directed by acclaimed filmmaker **Bruce Beresford**, *The Getting Of Wisdom* is an Australian cinema classic.

DVD

BD



PUBERTY BLUES

The coolest things to do are the things they say we can't do.

Directed by **Bruce Beresford**, Australian 80's classic coming-of-age film *Puberty Blues* traces the lives of two adolescent girls who have spent the first part of their lives in a group by themselves, while desperately trying to break into the "in" crowd who dominate the Greenhill beach.