

**17th annual LA Harbor International Film Festival (LAHIFF) – March 12-15, 2020**

P.O. Box 5202 - San Pedro, CA 90733

*To create a cinematic bridge between the people of the region and the people of the world*

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**17th Free Education/Outreach Program - “Read the Book, See the Movie” (RBSM)**

**Thursday, March 12, 2020; 10:30 a.m. (doors open 9:45 a.m.)**

**Free Culmination Program - Film Screening & Discussion Warner Grand Theatre (WGT)**

WGT, 478 W. 6th St., historic downtown San Pedro (SP), the Port of Los Angeles

**Traditional Bagpiper Greets Students As they Arrive at WGT**

**L.A. County Sheriff Mounted Enforcement Returns**

**With Sheriffs On Horseback In Front of WGT**

**Refreshments Included – Students May Bring “Brown Bag Lunch”**

Program A



**The Secret Garden**

by Frances Hodgson Burnett

After losing her parents, young Mary Lennox is sent from India to live in her uncle’s gloomy mansion on the wild English moors. She is lonely and has no one to play with. She has heard stories about a hidden garden and one day she finds a key that leads to a concealed door, and she enters a world she could never have imagined calling it the “secret garden.” The book is a true “classic” never out of print since 1911, with many “life lessons” and a delight to readers of all ages.

The beguiling story has been adapted for motion picture screen several times. The LAHIFF will present the original outstanding 1949 MGM film adaptation in 35mm (92 min.) starring Margaret O’Brien, Dean Stockwell and Herbert Marshall.

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See website at [www.laharborfilmfest.com](http://www.laharborfilmfest.com) for all programming (announced Feb. 15, 2018) and more details.

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