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GER 325: *Good Bye, Lenin!* (dir. Wolfgang Becker, 2003)
with an Introduction by Dr. Barbara Kosta

Join us for an outdoor film screening of “Good Bye, Lenin!”, a German tragicomedy about Alex, a young man from East Berlin whose mother, a devoted supporter of the socialist East German state, who falls into a coma right before the Berlin Wall falls. When she wakes up months later, unaware of Germany’s reunification, Alex realizes that revealing the truth could harm her fragile health. To protect her, he carefully recreates the old East Germany in their apartment, going to extraordinary lengths to keep up the illusion. The film combines humor and emotion as it examines family ties, loyalty, and the complexities of change during a time of major political transformation in Germany.



Wednesday, November 13th 6:00PM – 8:00PM

Greek Heritage Park, 1512 E 1st Street

For more info please visit:

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or scan the QR code.

Attendees are encouraged to bring their own picnic blankets.
Free event.