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Beach Dancer Films Announces Preliminary Screening of *Serial Killer*

MARINA DEL REY, CA, [September 21st 2019] – Beach Dancer Films announces an AFM off-site screening for a preview of its feature-length revenge-horror style film *Serial Killer*. The screening will be held on November 3, 2019 at Beach Dancer’s Marina del Rey facility, as part of Beach Dancer’s 2019 industry showcase.

Based on the acclaimed novel by Garry Johnson, *Serial Killer* weaves a brutal revenge plot into a wider commentary on fame, politics, and celebrity culture in present-day London.

“I wasn’t looking for a neo-noir project,” remembers producer Sandie West, who co-wrote the script with Johnson. “But as soon as I finished Garry’s book, I knew that I wanted to adapt it. Garry’s always had a knack for framing an articulation for individuals struggling against larger social forces, and that theme really resonates here.”

Serial Killer tells the story of Taylor Shelly, to all appearances a successful businesswoman leading a charmed life. But Shelly’s outward composure hides the effects of a childhood marked by horrific abuse by a group of schoolmates. West states “ I have healed from my mothers’ death writing this script, my mother was raped and left to die on xmas eve, I was always careful because of this at school but witnessed such events, & bullying, I am glad to shed the light on this world that is so relevant today”.

As Shellys’ primary tormentor rises in national politics and the media pays increasing attention to decades-old abuse cases, Shelly finds it more and more difficult to separate her staid adult life from her childhood memories. A chance encounter with East End gangster Harry Harris gives her the means to match her motive, and Shelly begins to hunt down each of her abusers: each now a grown man, each having by now justified his crimes or written them off.

Serial Killer stars award-winning actors Sarah Lynn Dawson and Scott Butler, and features music by Dave Wakeling of the English Beat.

Sandie West is an award-winning director, actress, and producer, and the president of Beach Dancer Films, which has a slate of 10 films/TV projects in 2018. She was also the stunt double for the Pink Power Ranger in the original TV series.