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GALAXY CINEMAS NANAIMO HOSTS
PREMIERE OF *BIRTH*
WITH NANAIMO'S OWN CAMERON BRIGHT IN
ATTENDANCE

NANAIMO, BC, October 19, 2004. Galaxy Cinemas is very pleased to host the film premiere of *Birth* at our Galaxy Cinemas at Rutherford Mall on Thursday, October 28. The film features Nanaimo's own Cameron Bright in his first starring role, opposite Nicole Kidman. We are very pleased that Cameron will be joining us at his hometown theatre for this very special event.

Galaxy Cinemas has partnered with Spotlight Academy and the Juvenile Diabetes Research Association (JDRF) to raise funds and to generate awareness for juvenile diabetes. Proceeds from ticket sales and other evening activities will be donated to JDRF in honour of Cameron's friend, Jake Kaese and the millions of others with this disease. Tickets go on sale today at the theatre box office for \$20 each.

"We are delighted to be hosting this event in support of the JDRF," said Pat Marshall, Vice President of Communications for Cineplex Galaxy LP. "One of our goals at Galaxy is work with the local community in creating special events and fundraisers exactly like this event," said Marshall. "Cameron has done so incredibly well in his career and we wanted to share that success with his friends and neighbors in Nanaimo," said Ken Jack, General Manager of Galaxy Cinemas. "This film may also serve to shed more light on some of the talent that is available here," said Jack.

Birth is a compelling drama about Sean (Cameron Bright), a 10-year old boy who enters the life of a still grieving widow (Nicole Kidman), claiming to be her husband reincarnated. Sean's knowledge of the details of her marriage causes her to reassess her life, and her future. The film stars Nicole Kidman, Cameron Bright and is directed by Jonathon Glazer.

Cameron Bright was first seen in *The Butterfly Effect*. His latest film was *Godsend*, where Cameron played alongside Greg Kinnear, Rebecca Romijn-Stamos and Robert De Niro. Eleven-year old Cameron now has a substantial resume going from *The Butterfly*

Effect, Godsend, Birth, and the upcoming films *Ultraviolet*, where he stars alongside Mila Jovovich, and *Running Scared*. Cameron started his acting career appearing in several major television commercials in both Canada and the United States. He quickly moved to a number of TV series and now is working regularly in Hollywood feature films. “The minute I met Cameron Bright I knew that he was destined to become a star,” says Jacqui Kaese of Spotlight Talent, “It has been an honour to be his coach for the past five years. The strategy has been simple: maintain reality, nurture the love and trust between us while exploring the intricacies of human behaviour.” Jacqui spent four months as acting coach for Cameron on the New York set of *Birth*.

Galaxy Cinemas at Rutherford Mall features feature eight, all stadium seat auditoriums (each seat row is 18” higher than the previous row), wall-to-wall, giant, curved screens, large, luxurious seats with ample legroom, Dolby Digital Surround Sound and state-of-the-art projection systems. The entire complex is wheelchair accessible and seats more than 1700 people. The spacious lobby features a Zero Gravity Family Entertainment Centre featuring the latest in electronic video games supplied by Playdium and can be accessed without a movie ticket. The refreshment selection is very broad and will include a Yogen Fruz frozen dessert bar offering a wide selection of no-fat and low-fat yoghurts and premium ice creams in addition to the standard movie fare.

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