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## **A BLOODY GOOD TIME IS IN STORE FOR ALL WITH THE RETURN OF THE 2003 BRITISH TELEVISION ADVERTISING AWARDS**

Those English entrepreneurs are at it again! The **2003 British Television Advertising Awards** returns to the Walker Art Center from December 5-28, featuring more than 25 screenings of the best commercials from the past year. Always a popular event, audiences can see firsthand the creativity and wit that makes "the Brits" such a fun experience each year. Awards Administrator Peter Bigg will be on hand to introduce the opening-night screenings on Friday, December 5, at 7 and 9:30 pm. Remaining programs throughout December include evening and matinee screenings.

Now in its 27<sup>th</sup> year, the British Television Advertising Awards program features a crop of carefully crafted ads that serve up a jolly good time, including some racy ads for Pot Noodle. Be sure to get tickets early as this collection of witty, startling, and all-around original TV spots frequently sells out. All screenings take place in the Walker Auditorium.

Tickets for the Brits screenings are \$7 (\$5 Walker members) and can be purchased by calling the Walker box office at 612.375.7622. Tickets for the post-After Hours screening on Friday, December 12, are \$5 with After Hours ticket stub.

Special Offer: Save \$1 when you buy your tickets online at [www.walkerart.org/tickets/](http://www.walkerart.org/tickets/). Or, become a new Walker member and receive one free ticket as your gift for joining.

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## **2003 BRITISH TELEVISION ADVERTISING AWARDS**

Walker Auditorium

2003, U.K., color, video, 80 minutes.

Friday, December 5, 7 and 9:30 pm—Introduced by Awards Administrator Peter Bigg

Saturday, December 6, 7 and 9 pm

Thursday, December 11, 7 and 9 pm

Friday, December 12, 10:15 pm

Thursday, December 18, 7 and 9 pm

Friday-Sunday, December 19-21: 3, 7, and 9 pm

Friday-Sunday, December 26-28: 3, 7, and 9 pm

**The Walker Art Center is located at 725 Vineland Place,  
at Lyndale Avenue South, Minneapolis, one block off Highway I-94.  
For public information, call 612.375.7622.  
Gallery hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, 10 am–5 pm;  
Thursday, 10 am–9 pm; Sunday, 11 am–5 pm; closed Monday.  
<http://www.walkerart.org>**