



**Aug. 26, 2010 - For immediate release**

**Faster, steeper, higher, deeper**  
**The Banff Mountain Film Festival Radical Reels tour is coming to Victoria**

Catch the steepest and deepest in high-adrenaline outdoor sport films when the 2010 Radical Reels Tour comes to **Victoria** on **Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup>**. Ride along steep mountain trails with a blind biker, hurtle down steep untouched powder, feel the cold spray of stomach-dropping kayak first descents, fly high with the world's wildest BASE jumpers, and much more in extreme mountain sports.

Growing out of the famous Banff Mountain Film Festival World Tour, Radical Reels screens the best in action sports filmmaking, audience-tested and programmed for maximum excitement. This year's Victoria screening is sponsored locally by Mountain Equipment Co-op with all proceeds benefitting the Garth Homer Society.

Victoria films will include **Look to the Ground**, a snapshot of the inspiring story of Bobby McMullen, a professional athlete who is legally blind and has worked against the odds to become a top mountain bike rider and **Hack Your Shackles**, the second installment of the noboard movement, the binding-less revolution.

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Date:	Friday, September 10, 2010
Time:	7:00 p.m. (Doors open at 6:00)
Location:	Garth Homer Centre 813 Darwin Ave.
Tickets:	\$20 at Mountain Equipment Co-op
More info:	250-475-2270

**For preview clip and interviews:**

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*The Radical Reels Film Tour is presented by  
National Geographic Adventure and Deuter.  
The BMFF is a founding member of the International Alliance for Mountain Film.*

# 2010 Radical Reels Tour Films

## Extra.Ordinary

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*A film about regular skiers and snowboarders who fly under the radar living in small-town Fernie, B.C. The footage is of skiers/snowboarders riding deep powder and jibbing urban handrails, as well as hitting backcountry booters and skiing backcountry terrain.*

## The Fellowship of the Bearing

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*A film depicting the sport and culture of downhill skateboarding in Southern B.C.*

## Hack Your Shackles

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*In this second installment of the noboard movement, the binding-less revolution continues.*

## Look to the Ground

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*"Look to the Ground" is a snapshot of the inspiring story of Bobby McMullen, a professional athlete who is legally blind and has worked against the odds to become a top mountain bike rider.*

## Mystic Spirit

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*An old legend says the Oberland Bernese forest is haunted by the spirit of a man constantly seeking adrenaline. Offended by his powers, the Gods decide to punish him by taking his soul. Possessed by this rambling spirit, the characters acquire strange supernatural powers. A film packed with special effects, topped off with humour!*

## NWD10: Dust and Bones

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*"NWD10: Dust and Bones" is the final chapter in the epic saga known as "New World Disorder". Shot in high definition with RED cameras, it features the ultimate throw-down segment by Darren Berrecloth and unbelievable backflip combinations from Greg Watts, not to forget the Hell Barge. Pile in the rest of the top freeriders, dirt jumpers and slopestylers, and this world-class film will have you reeling.*

## On Sight

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*"On Sight" is the fruition of an idea that many considered impossible: a film capturing the blood, sweat and mystery of on-sight climbing as it happens. The result is a tense, profound and often hilariously funny portrait of climbing's most elusive realm, and a deep insight into what drives the climbers who explore it.*

### **Progression: World Cup**

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*This segment from "Progression" focuses on veteran Spanish sport climber Patxi Usobiaga as he trains for and competes in the World Cup circuit. Also featured is 15-year-old up-and-coming Austrian climber Johanna Ernst.*

### **Re:Session**

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*"Re:Session" documents the true wealth of the mountain experience. Check out seven weeks of epic riding in BC and Alaska. Re:Session brings the most talented athletes in the sport together into one must-see film.*

### **World Record Waterfall Descent**

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*Tyler Bradt sets the new world-record waterfall descent at 60 metres.*