

PRESENT A SCREENING OF:

MAIDSTONE ON FILM

WEDNESDAY 9 OCTOBER | 7PM ARCHBISHOP'S PALACE, MAIDSTONE

Tickets: £10, includes refreshments.

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Screen Archive South East works in partnership with Kent Archives to collect, preserve, digitise, research and promote moving images made in Kent and the region. This show is presented by Screen Archive South East and Kent Archives and Local History Service. Dr Frank Gray of Screen Archive South East provides it with a commentary.

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