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2013 AVENUE OF THE ARTS FILM FESTIVAL, Boston, July 18 - 26
Leads off with Exciting 007 Suspense Thriller "SKYFALL" at Opening Reception
Great Films and Gala Events are FREE

This year's Program may exceed the excitement of last year's Filmfest with the inclusion of ARGO, Les Miserables, and Zero Dark Thirty. Last fall Festival Director L. B. Gratun decided to feature "SKYFALL" as it seemed appropriate to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of Bond films along with some of its wonderful theme music of the past.

This Festival has made its mark being "ahead of the curve", and as an example, months later, Hollywood announced it would present "Bond" with past music as the leading theme of their OSCAR ceremonies.

On Thursday, July 18th, at 4:30 p.m., the public is invited to the Opening Reception at the West End Library on Cambridge Street, where entertainment will begin with music performed by the Patrice Monahan Trio, featuring a medley of Bond film music sung by L. B. Gratun, while refreshments are served.

There will be a Festival "Wrap Party" following the screening of "Les Miserables" on Friday, July 26th, at 4:00 p.m.

Two years ago, the original song "BOSTON" by L. B., debuted at the Preview Party held at Brigham Circle for the 2011 Avenue of the Arts "All Boston" Film Festival. The event was supported in part by volunteers from the MH Main Streets office. The CD of this single will be available at this year's Filmfest with proceeds to help benefit the community and those injured at this year's Boston Marathon.

The West End Library is located at 151 Cambridge Street in the Government Center area, across from Joy Street and near Staniford Street.

For complete information on these events, visit the Festival website at www.LBGratun.com/avenueartsfilm or contact Director L.B. Gratun at LB@LBGratun.com.

For the West End Branch Library, call the West End Library at (617) 523-3957 or visit www.BPL.org.