



Friday 30th June 2017 - ČAK, Birkirkara



EDDIE THE EAGLE

1h 46min – Biography, Drama, Comedy – 26 February 2016 (USA)

The story of Eddie Edwards, the notoriously tenacious British underdog ski jumper who charmed the world at the 1988 Winter Olympics in Canada

Director: Dexter Fletcher

Writers: Sean Macaulay & Simon Kolton (screenplay)

Music by: Matthew Margeson

Cast:

Tom Costello	... <i>Eddie (10 years old)</i>
Jo Hartley	... <i>Janette</i>
Keith Allen	... <i>Terry</i>
Dickon Tolson	... <i>UK Doctor</i>
Jack Costello	... <i>Eddie (15 years old)</i>
Taron Egerton	... <i>Eddie Edwards</i>
Mark Benton	... <i>Richmond the BOA Official</i>
Tim McInnerny	... <i>Dustin Target</i>
Edvin Endre	... <i>Matti Nykänen</i>
Mads Sjøgård Pettersen	... <i>Erik Moberg (as Mads Pettersen)</i>
Marc Benjamin	... <i>Lars Holbin</i>
Iris Berben	... <i>Petra</i>
Rune Temte	... <i>Bjørn the Norwegian Coach</i>
Hugh Jackman	... <i>Bronson Peary</i>

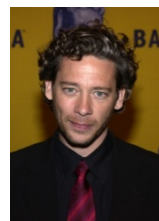
The story

Inspired by true events, *Eddie the Eagle* is a feel-good story about Michael "Eddie" Edwards (Taron Egerton), an unlikely but courageous British ski-jumper who never stopped believing in himself - even as an entire nation was counting him out. With the help of a rebellious and charismatic coach (played by Hugh Jackman), Eddie takes on the establishment and wins the hearts of sports fans around the world by making an improbable and historic showing at the 1988 Calgary Winter Olympics. From producers of *Kingsman: The Secret Service*, *Eddie the Eagle* stars Taron Egerton as Eddie, the loveable underdog with a never say die attitude.



Director: Dexter Fletcher

Dexter Fletcher is an English actor who made his way in many screen and television performances, the most well-liked and well-known of the latter being in *Press Gang* (1989) where he played opposite real-life love (at the time) Julia Sawalha (Lynda Day on "Press Gang"). His career began at the age of 10, with a small role in *Bugsy Malone* (1976).



Awards:

Bali International Film Festival 2016: Won: Best International Film.

Heartland Film 2016: Won. Truly Moving Picture Award for the production companies.

ASCAP Film and Television Music Awards 2016: Nominated: Best Film Score, Matthew Margeson.

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Next show 28th July 2017

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