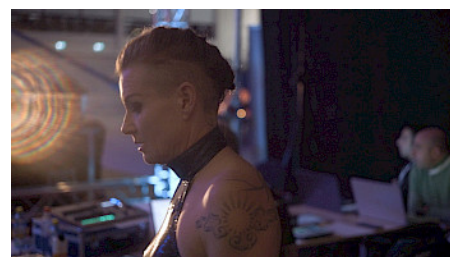




HEAVY METAL DANCERS

by Gretta-Garoliina Sammalniemi



SYNOPSIS

HEAVY METAL DANCERS is a documentary about Finnish pole sports – it is about accepting own imperfections and striving for perfection on stage. The dancers are Finnish but their stories universal. Their passion for an unusual sport let them come to terms with their bodies, lives and their sometimes difficult past.

FESTIVALS

2021
55 Hof IFF

CAST AND CREW

DIRECTOR Gretta-Garoliina Sammalniemi · PRODUCER Sandra Hölzel, Natalie Hölzel · SCORE Alexander Thomas Mathewson, Martin Gerke · DOP Georg Nikolaus · PROTAGONIST Henna Nurmi, Nita Saarenpää, Olavi Heino, Oona Antinjuntti, Tintti Mikkonen

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79 min

FORMAL CATEGORIES
Coming of Age

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