



ICE GIRLS

by Lin Sternal



SYNOPSIS

ICE GIRLS is about a triangular relationship within the microcosm of figure skating, a world of pressure, competition and projection. Lisa, who defines herself in terms of her sport, is plagued by adolescent self-doubt while her younger sister, Sophie, seems able to achieve all things with ease. Their mother, driven on by her own unfulfilled dreams, attempts to abet her elder daughter by assisting and indulging her. But the more she tries to help, the worse she seems to fail. Observations of fragile, interwoven relationships whose protagonists repel without release and attract without growing close.

FESTIVALS

nominated for Grimme Award

Encouragement Award of the City of Duisburg

Visions du Réel Nyon 2015

exposed filmfestival Köln 2015

39. Duisburger Filmwoche

CAST AND CREW

DIRECTOR Lin Sternal · EDITOR Katharina Fiedler · DOP Julia

Hönemann

Germany 2015

60 min

FORMAL CATEGORIES

Biographie/Portrait, Coming of Age, Sports

ORIGINAL LANGUAGES

German

PREMIERE

Germany (2015)

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FILM LOCATION

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