



"The 400 Blows"

WHEN: Friday, July 31, 2015 at 5:30 P.M.

WHERE: The Main Reading Room of the Baltimore Bar Library (Room 618)

Clarence Mitchell, Jr. Courthouse (100 North Calvert Street)

COST: \$5.00 – Light refreshments, included in the cost, will be served.

Written & Directed by Francois Truffaut

One of the defining films of the French New Wave, "The 400 Blows" depicts the life and travails of Antoine Doinel, a misunderstood adolescent who is thought by his parents, teachers and authorities to be a troublemaker. Filmed on location in Paris and Honfleur, "The 400 Blows" was the recipient of numerous awards and nominations including the Cannes Film Festival Award for Best Director, the OCIC Award, and a Palme d'Or nomination in 1959. The film was also nominated for an Academy Award for Best Writing in 1960. "The 400 Blows" is widely considered one of the great films of all time. In their 2012 poll of the all time classic films "Sight & Sound" ranked the film number 39. Shown in the original French with English sub-titles.

TICKETS: May be purchased at the Library or through the mail. Checks should be made out to the Bar Library. Although tickets may be purchased at the door, for the purpose of ordering refreshments, please let us know if you think you might be attending. For more information telephone 410-727-0280 or e-mail us at jwbennett@barlib.org.