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'CALVIN MARSHALL' STARTS PRODUCTION IN SOUTHERN OREGON

Broken Sky Films begins filming the comedy 'Calvin Marshall', Directed by Gary Lundgren and Starring Alex Frost and Steve Zahn

ASHLAND, O.R., Nov. 12 – Principal photography has begun on Broken Sky Films coming of age comedy, "Calvin Marshall". The film stars Alex Frost and Steve Zahn with Gary Lundgren directing and writing.

"Calvin Marshall", set against a Junior College baseball backdrop, will shoot on locations in Ashland and Medford, Oregon. Joining Frost and Zahn in the film are Michelle Lombardo as volleyball phenom, Tori; Jeremy Sumpter as talented but goof-off pitcher, Caselli; and Diedrich Bader and Andrew Wilson as Calvin's C-League Softball pals.

In the film, Alex Frost plays the title role of Calvin Marshall, a charismatic student at fictional Bayford City College. When Calvin tries out for the baseball team for the third straight year, ex-minor leaguer Coach Doug Little (Zahn) is exasperated by Calvin's persistence despite his lack of baseball skills. Determined to make the team, Calvin aims to win Little over with pure heart and love of the game.

While rehabbing during an injury, Calvin announces games for the Lady Bisons volleyball team and is entranced by their star, Tori (Lombardo). Preoccupied with caring for her sick mother and more interested with meaningless flings, Tori isn't sure what to make of Calvin's charming and uninhibited advances.

Playing way over his head both in baseball and love, sheer determination may not be enough to achieve his lofty aspirations. Yet Calvin's inherent optimism and ambition will see him through.

Alex Frost, an Oregon native, made his screen debut in Gus Van Sant's "Elephant". Steve Zahn's credits include "Rescue Dawn", "Sahara", and "Saving Silverman". Other cast credits include Michelle Lombardo ("Entourage"), Jeremy Sumpter ("Peter Pan"), Jane Adams ("Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind", "Frasier"), Andrew Wilson ("Zoolander", "Rushmore"), Diedrich Bader ("Napolean Dynamite", "Office Space"), Abraham Benrubi ("ER", "Men with Trees"), Cynthia Watros ("Lost"), and Catherine Coulson ("Twin Peaks").

Director, Gary Lundgren most recently made the short film "Wow and Flutter" which played at over thirty film festivals worldwide including AFI and Hamptons International Film Festival where it won Best Short Film.

Mark Cunningham serves as Executive Producer, with Anne Lundgren and Michael Matondi as Producers. Patrick Neary is the Cinematographer; Ryan Malmberg serves as the Production Designer. Costumes are designed by Claudia Everett.