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BASED ON **MARK TWAIN'S**
BESTSELLING NOVEL

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CASTING SIMONE BAR MAKE-UP GREGOR ECKSTEIN KERSTIN STRATTMANN COSTUME DESIGN SABINE BÖBBIS SET DESIGN SUSANN BIELING VFX SUPERVISORS MARKUS HAUF STEFAN KESSNER MAX STOLZENBERG MUSIC NIKI REISER SOUND MAX MEINDL

SOUND DESIGN KAI TEBBEL MIX MARTIN STEYER MONTAGE EVA SCHNARE DIRECTOR OF PHOTOGRAPHY SEBASTIAN EDSCHMID VFX EXECUTIVE PRODUCER MARC WÄCHTER CO-PRODUCERS BETTINA REITZ SOPHIE SEITZ ANDREAS SCHREITMÜLLER CORNELIUS CONRAD BASTIE GRIESE ERIC BENZ MICHAEL KÖLMEL

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Director Hermine Huntgeburth

Cast Leon Seidel
Louis Hofmann
Jacky Ido (THE WHITE MASAI)
August Diehl (THE COUNTERFEITERS, SALT)
Peter Lohmeyer (MIRACLE OF BERN)
Heike Makatsch (LOVE ACTUALLY)

Genre Family Entertainment

Language German

Length 100 min

Produced by Neue Schönhauser Filmproduktion in
co-production with Majestic Filmproduktion,
MMCI and Filmaufbau Leipzig



THE ADVENTURES OF HUCK FINN

SYNOPSIS

Huck Finn sits prim and proper at the table with widow Douglas and Miss Watson every day, is served by the obedient house-slave Jim, goes to school and constantly to the church as well. After all, he and his best mate Tom Sawyer are wealthy boys since they found a treasure during their last adventure. What's wrong here? – Right, boys like Tom & Huck are definitely not prim and proper! Huck Finn loves nothing more than being outdoors in his rain barrel, catch fish and roast it on a stick over the campfire. Shoes, jackets, shirt collars – what's all that for? Every time possible they sneak away... but one day it's all over with the good village life.

Huck's boozy and greedy father shows up in St. Petersburg. And he's up to no good! The tramp and scallywag thinks that the prosperity of his son Huck belongs all to himself. Before the old man can do any mischief, Huck runs away and Jim joins him as he overhears that Miss Watson sold him to a slave trader.

On a self-made raft they start their exciting adventure down the dangerous river Mississippi all the way to Cairo and from there to Ohio, a country where slavery is forbidden and Jim can build up a life as a free man. At least that is the plan. Hunted by Huck's dad and three ruthless slave-hunters, Huck experiences his greatest and most dangerous adventure ever.

THE DIRECTOR

Hermine Huntgeburth studied Film at the Hamburg Hochschule für Bildende Künste and in Sydney/Australia. After working on several short and documentary films, she was awarded the German Film Award for Best Newcomer Director in 1991 for her directorial feature film debut *IM KREIS DER LIEBEN*, followed by such award-winning television films as *EIN FALSCHER SCHRITT* (1994), *GEFÄHRLICHE FREUNDIN* (1996), *UND ALLES WEGEN MAMA* (1998), *DER HAHN IST TOT* (1999), *DIE STUNDE DES WOLFS* (1999), *ROMEO* (2001), *EVA BLOND UND DER ZWERG IM SCHLIESSFACH* (2003), *DER BOXER UND DIE FRISEUSE* (2004), and the two-part TV series *TEUFELSBROTEN* (2007). Among her feature film credits are popular hits such as *TRIO* (1998), *BIBI BLOCKSBERG* (2002), *THE WHITE MASAI* (2005), *EFFI BRIEST* (2009), *TOM SAWYER* (2011), and *THE ADVENTURES OF HUCK FINN* (2012).

