

“Movie On The Mound!”

Mound House Presents Disney Movie Outdoors on September 17

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One of the historic Mound House’s most unique and best-attended events each year is its annual partnership with the Fort Myers Beach Film Festival to present the FREE outdoor family “Movie On The Mound” for all ages on Friday evening, September 17, with activities beginning at 8 p.m. This year the Mound House showcases the new Disney classic, “Raya & The Last Dragon,” released earlier this Spring. This computer-animated fantasy action-adventure follows a warrior princess who searches for the fabled last dragon to banish the evil spirits known as the Druun from the land of Kumandra. With most theaters closed last Spring, this may be your family’s first opportunity to experience this film!

Bring your own blankets and lawn chairs to enjoy this free outdoor movie with Center for Disease Control guidelines in place. No coolers please, as refreshments are for sale, with all proceeds benefitting The Friends of The Mound House. For information, call 239-765-0865 or see [www.fmbfilmfest.com](http://www.fmbfilmfest.com). The flick starts at 8:15 p.m., with no advance registration necessary, so c’mon out as there is nothing like catching a free family film under a starlit night!

The Mound House, at 451 Connecticut Street with overflow parking at 216 Connecticut, is the oldest standing structure on Estero Island and operated by the Town of Fort Myers Beach as a museum complex and cultural and environmental learning center. It is open Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is \$10 for ages 13 & up, \$8 for students with IDs, \$5 ages 6 to 12, and 5 & under free, with Town residents receiving a 50% discount. For additional information and a monthly programs schedule, call 239-765-0865 or visit [www.moundhouse.org](http://www.moundhouse.org).