

# In The Neighbour's Garden



## Screening:

Friday, 14 October 2016

**Time:** 6:30pm to 8:00pm

## Venue:

Australian War Memorial  
(BAE Systems Theatre)

**Director:** Robert Hamilton

**Country:** United Kingdom

**Film Length:** 11:40mins

**Language:** English

**Genre:** Drama

**Rated:** PG



## Synopsis:

In the First World War, two soldiers live out their existence in either boredom or fear, until a chance discovery lifts them away from the trenches.

The film focuses on the lives of Tom and Edward, two English soldiers in the First World War, whose time is occupied by either surviving artillery barrages or living out the long hours on sentry duty. One morning after a heavy shelling, Edward discovers a cricket ball in no-mans land and the two soldiers play a makeshift game of cricket. The excitement of the game takes over. Together, for the first time, they can forget their dire circumstances. After one huge bowl, they accidentally knock it back 'over the top'. Tom attempts to retrieve the ball and is killed in the process. Edward is left in the trench, back where he started, without his friend.

## Cast:

Andrew Martyn-Lewis	as	Tom
Matthew McPherson	as	Edward

## Credits (crew):

Written & Produced by Andrew Martyn-Lewis and Matthew McPherson

Directed by Robert Hamilton

Executive Producers  
Eleanor Hammill  
Steve Miller  
Emily Wright

Director of Photography Ossi Jalkanen

1st Assistant Director Nathan Wright

Production Manager Edward Hulme

Editing and Colour	Robert Hamilton
Additional Editing	Alastair Clayton
Sound Design	Adam Newns
Location Sound	Pasquin Mariani
Original Music	Lee-Olivier Hall