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Berwick, Maine

**Berwick Historical Society presents
A Night at the Movies – A Triple Feature**

9 May, 2016

The Berwick Historical Society will present a program featuring a presentation by Daniel Gaucher, Associate Professor of Visual and Media Art at Emerson College in Boston. His past credits have included editorial work for the WGBH NOVA science series, work on National Geographic documentaries, as well as having edited work on the Discovery Channel and the History Channel. He has also worked extensively in the west coast film industry.

The program will begin with a brief history of film and its development through the 20th Century. Following this the show will continue with a showing of the Discovery Channel film, “The Story of Leather”. Parts of this movie were filmed at the former Prime Tanning facility in Berwick. As the now empty factory awaits demolition and redevelopment, this showing should be of interest to those who formerly worked there and have many memories. To conclude the program we will have an opportunity to look into the future of film and view the virtual reality innovation which puts the viewer right in the movie so to speak.

The program will be held in the auditorium of the former Summit Church located at 1 Sullivan Square, right across from the Civil War monument in downtown Berwick. Berwick Historic Society programs are free and open to the public. The date is Wednesday, 18 May and the time is 7:00 pm. Refreshments will be served after the show.

For more information, call (207) 698-1155.