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WHITEHORSE SCREENING: *KINGS OF THE NORTH – THE SEARCH FOR THE LAST OF THE ICE BEARS*

Victoria Gold Presents *Kings of the North – The Search for the Last of the Ice Bears* will offer its second Whitehorse screening this year on Friday, November 10 at the Yukon Arts Centre.

This film by **Peter Mather** and **Peter Zenkl**, with soundtrack by Canadian Music Prize winner Matthew Lien, captures the story of Yukon grizzly bears delaying their winter hibernation to fish for salmon and Mathers' quest to photograph them. These ice bears become covered in a layer of icicles fishing in temperatures below minus 20 degrees Celsius.

The film also focuses on the natural history of salmon, bears and Indigenous peoples of the area.

"*Kings of the North* is a story about one man and his best friend on the hunt for one of the greatest northern stories," says Director Peter Zenkl. "A story about ice covered grizzlies, about mighty salmon and about the hardships of animals and photographer alike who are facing the unforgiving beauty of a Yukon winter."

Victoria Gold Presents *Kings of the North – The Search for the Last of the Ice Bears* will be held at 7:15 pm. Tickets are \$35.00 and available at the Yukon Arts Centre Box Office.

"The Victoria Gold team is very pleased to be part of the success of this very special Yukon film," says Victoria Gold President & CEO John McConnell.

The evening will also include a presentation by photographers as part of the First Light Image Festival and Mather will give a TED Talk and sign copies of his limited-edition photography book, *Kings of the North*, which was also supported by Victoria Gold.



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The Eagle Gold Mine is situated within Victoria Gold's Property, located approximately 375 kilometres north of Whitehorse and 85 kilometres north, northeast of the Village of Mayo within the traditional territory of the First Nation of Na-Cho Nyak Dun. The property is accessible by road year-round and is connected to Yukon Energy Corp.'s electrical grid. The mine is a significant contributor to the Yukon economy employing 350-400 people.

