

Runnymede Lad, Noah Reid, to Open 2010 Toronto International Film Festival



The Canadian film ***Score: A Hockey Musical*** has snagged the prestigious opening night slot at this year's Toronto International Film Festival. And its star is **Noah Reid** who grew up in Runnymede United Church. As a child, he contributed often to the arts and drama in the church and his pure soprano voice will be remembered by many, especially singing the first verse of 'Once in Royal David's City' at the very beginning of the Christmas Candlelight Service. And like several other thespians in our congregation, he may have made his first theatrical debut in either the Christmas Pageant or the Moses Play! - Noah is a graduate of The National Theatre School of Canada.

Score, which opens Oct. 22 in cinemas, follows the story of a teenage hockey phenom played by Noah, who goes from obscurity to fame overnight and it co-stars Olivia Newton-John and Stephen McHattie.

The Festival runs from September 9 – 19, 2010. For ticket information go to <http://tiff.net/default.aspx>