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# <u>Aniplex of America Begins Ticket Sales for</u> <u>Nationwide Theatrical Release of</u> <u>The irregular at magic high school THE MOVIE</u> <u>-The Girl Who Summons the Stars-</u>



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# Anime's Favorite Magic High School Coming to a Theater Near You!

SANTA MONICA, CA (June 14, 2017) – Ticket sales begin today for the nationwide theatrical release of *The irregular at magic high school THE MOVIE -The Girl Who Summons the Stars-*. Following the U.S. premiere at Anime Expo in Los Angeles, California this summer, the film will be released to the public on July 28 and distributed by Azoland Pictures. Tickets are available now on the official website http://mahouka.us/theater/.

One of the most prolific franchises within the anime community, *The irregular at magic high school THE MOVIE -The Girl Who Summons the Stars-* comes three years after the television series premiered, with an all new story by author Tsutomu Sato. Known simply as *Mahouka* by its most dedicated and enthusiastic fan base, *The irregular at magic high school* was adapted

from a light novel series which continues to be one of the top selling light novels in Japan with over 7.7 million copies sold.

Fans are encouraged to visit the official website for future announcements and check out the hashtag *#IrregularMovie* on social media.

**About** *The irregular at magic high school The Movie -The Girl Who Summons the Stars-*: Many months have passed and the spring season is almost upon them. The "irregular" elder brother Tatsuya and his smart younger sister Miyuki realize that their first year at Magic High School is about to come to a close. The siblings and their friends decide to spend spring break at a private villa on Ogasawara Island. Tatsuya and the others make the most of their brief vacation until a young girl named Kokoa appears before them. The mysterious young girl who escaped from a naval base tells Tatsuya her one wish...

For details on *The irregular at magic high school The Movie -The Girl Who Summons the Stars-*, please visit: http://mahouka.us/

### STAFF

Original Story: Tsutomu Sato (Published in Dengeki Bunko) Director: Risako Yoshida Original Illustration / Character Design / Chief Animation Director: Kana Ishida Screenplay: Tsutomu Sato / Muneo Nakamoto (WriteWorks) Music: Taku Iwasaki Art Setting: Hiromasa Ogura Art Design: Yuuho Taniuchi / Kazushi Fujii Mecha Design: IZUMOJUKI CAD / Minor Character Design: Jimmy Stone 3D Director: Yasutaka Tanaka (MAD BOX) Director of Photography: Yuki Kawashita (MAD BOX) Editor: Kashiko Kimura (MAD BOX) Color Design: Yukie Noguchi Sound Director: Satoshi Motoyama Sound Effects: Yuji Furuya Sound Production: STUDIO MAUSU Animation Production: eight bit Produced by: Magic High School the Movie Committee

## CAST

Tatsuya Shiba: Yuichi Nakamura Miyuki Shiba: Saori Hayami Erika Chiba: Yumi Uchiyama Leonhard Saijo: Takuma Terashima Mizuki Shibata: Satomi Sato Mikihiko Yoshida: Atsushi Tamaru Honoka Mitsui: Sora Amamiya Shizuku Kitayama: Yuiko Tatsumi Mayumi Saegusa: Kana Hanazawa Mari Watanabe: Marina Inoue Katsuto Jumonji: Junichi Suwabe Angelina Kudou Shields: Yoko Hikasa Kokoa: Konomi Kohara

#### About Aniplex of America Inc.

Aniplex of America Inc. (Santa Monica, California) is a subsidiary of Aniplex Inc. (headquartered in Tokyo, Japan), a group of Sony Music Entertainment (Japan) Inc. and a leading provider of anime content and music production and distribution in Japan. Aniplex of America has launched fan-favorite Blu-ray and DVD releases including *Fate/stay night* [Unlimited Blade Works], *Fate/Zero*, the Sword Art Online series, Your lie in April, KILL la KILL, Bakemonogatari, Puella Magi Madoka Magica, Blue Exorcist, NISEKOI, the OREIMO series, DURARARA!!×2, Magi series, Expelled From Paradise, The irregular at magic high school, and ALDNOAH.ZERO. The company's ever-growing line-up of shows includes our most recent titles: March comes in like a lion, Blue Exorcist: Kyoto Saga, ERASED, The Asterisk War, OWARIMONOGATARI, KIZUMONOGATARI, Charlotte, Occultic;Nine, www.WAGNARIA!!, GRANBLUE FANTASY, and Eromanga Sensei.

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#### **About Azoland Pictures, LLC.**

Azoland Pictures, LLC is a film distribution company that offers Japanese anime and live-action films to the audience in North America.

The company also organizes movie premieres, anime related film festivals, and J-Pop events in the Los Angeles area. In 2017, Azoland Pictures has theatrically distributed *Kizumonogatari Part 3: Reiketsu* and *Sword Art Online The Movie – Ordinal Scale –* English dub.

More information available at www.azolandpictures.com.

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