

#### PRESS RELEASE

### **Blood Moon**



# The werewolf legend heads west in this gun-slinging monster movie!

In cinemas from Monday 28th Sept. 2015. On DVD from Monday 5th Oct. 2015.

#### **Fast Sell:**

It's cowboys vs the wolfman in this bloody horror-western. Re-imaging the werewolf as the Native Americans' mythical "skinwalker", the film sees a stagecoach of passengers, gunslingers and outlaws terrorized by the bloodthirsty beast. With a great cast, fun prosthetic effects, it's a true horror and weird western gem.

#### **Key talent:**

Starring

Shaun Dooley (*Eden Lake, The Woman in Black*, TV's *Broadchurch*)

George Blagden (*After the Dark, Les Miserables,* TV's *Vikings*)

Anna Skellern (*The Descent: Part Two, Gambit,* TV's *The Musketeers*)

Ian Whyte (Prometheus, Hercules, TV's Game of Thrones)

Directed by

Jeremy Wooding (Bollywood Queen, TV's Peep Show)

#### Talent support availability:

Please get in contact for interview opportunities.



## STUDIOCANAL

RELEASE I	INFORMATION

Distributor	Studiocanal
Certificate	15
In Cinemas	28th September, 2015
On DVD	5th October, 2015
Price	£15.99

#### KEY TALENT INFORMATION

Director		Jeremy Wooding
Stars	•	Shaun Dooley George Blagden Anna Skellern Ian Whyte

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#### **Synopsis:**

When two Colorado outlaws hold up a stagecoach, the passengers – amongst them the mysterious gunslinger Calhoun (Shaun Dooley) – pray they'll survive the ordeal and escape.

But they soon realize the real danger is lurking outside – a beast known to the Native Americans as the "skinwalker", which only appears on the night of a blood red moon to feast on human flesh...

#### We like it because:

Taking the creature feature to the Old West, Blood Moon puts a new twist on the werewolf legend. And old school horror fans will love the prosthetic effects, which recall creature classics such as An American Werewolf in London and The Howling.

It also brilliantly fuses the horror and western genres. There are guns, guts, and lots of gung-ho energy. It's a credit to innovative director Jeremy Wooding, who does a brilliant job in creating a tense and claustrophobic atmosphere. It is an origins movie with a potential sequel in development.

There's talent in front of the camera too, including a host of talented British actors. Genre favourite Shaun Dooley steals the film as the enigmatic Calhoun, while rising star George Blagden delivers a memorable performance as the lawman Jake and the women characters are as tough as any of the men.

Howling good fun!

#### **Hot Quotes:**

"A Killer Slice Of Comic Book Horror" – Billy Chainsaw

"A Wild West Thrill Fest" – James Whittington, The Horror Channel

"A Truly Great Film - ★★★★\* – Horror News.net

"A Pioneer Among The Posse -★★★★" - TheMovieWaffler.com

"A Cracking Gothic Western" - Stuart Wright, Britflicks

#### **Special Features:**

Creature Feature
From Kent To Colorado
Mud Moon
SFX and VFX
Stagecoach
The Cast of Blood Moon
The Crew speaks
The Gore
Trailer

#### **Editor's Notes:**

Blood Moon in select UK cinemas:

28.09.15 London, The Genesis Cinema (coincides with the real astronomical blood moon!)

02.10.15 Northampton, Errol Flynn Cinema

04.10.15 Wareham, Dorset, The Rex Cinema

06.10.15 Maidstone, Kent, Hazlitt Theatre, Maidstone Film Society

23.10.15 Monmouth, Wales The Savoy Cinema,

03.11.15 Rochester, Kent, Rochester Film Society

More screenings to be announced.