

## TOMORROW WILL BE BETTER (JUTRO BEDZIE LEPIEJ)



*Three homeless boys, Ukrainian Huck Finns are off on an odyssey to find a better world – across the border, in a magic place called Poland.*

The plot is simplicity itself; the theme, a dark one; but as viewers of Dorota Kędzierzawska's *A Time to Die* (Cinequest, 2008) or *Nothing* (Cinequest, 1998) know, in the hands of this poet of Polish cinema even a potentially downbeat subject becomes filled with light and beauty. It is not the depressing circumstances of the lives of the boys, Vasya, Petya and Liapa, that are portrayed here, but rather their indomitable spirits, their sense of adventure and having fun, their propensity for finding joy and their unquenchable hope. Convinced they will someday "return as kings," nothing—least of all reality—can get them down.

This is a stunningly lovely, poetic film with a deep empathy for its characters, full of moments that will take your breath away, even as little Petya steals your heart. — Charlie Cockey

Director: Dorota Kędzierzawska, Producer: Arthur Reinhart; Writer: Dorota Kędzierzawska; Cinematographer: Arthur Reinhart; Editors: Dorota Kędzierzawska, Arthur Reinhart; Music: Vacat; Cast: Oleg Ryba, Jewgienij Ryba, Akhmed Sardalov, Stanisław Sojka, Aleksandra Bilewicz, Zygmunt Gorodowienko, Kinga Walenkiewicz, Antoni Łanczkowski, Stanisław Zawadzki, Angelika Kozic; Country: Poland; Language: Polish (w/ English subtitles); Length: 118 min.; Genre: Drama

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**Tomorrow Will Be Better (Jutro Bedzie Lepiej) plays Monday, March 7, 2011 at 9:15pm, Friday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2011 at 4:45pm, and Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2011 and 11:30am. All screenings are at the Camera 12.**

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