# The Lost Boys of Mercury

## Author/Director: Clémence Davigo

Producer: Alter Ego Production

Country: France

Length: 106'

As children in the 50s to the 70s, Dédé, Michel and Daniel were sent to the Belle Étoile "correctional" facility run by the abbot Garin and located in the Savoie region of France. There, they were beaten, humiliated, starved and broken. With the help of director Clémence Davigo, they finally reunite to break their silence. A moving chronicle in search of memory and justice.

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Awards: Festival Award @ Festival du Film Social de Nice, France /
Regard Social Award @ Festival Traces de vie, France /
Best feature-length documentary award @ Festival du film d'education /
Best Feature Award - Youth Jury @ Faito Doc Festival, Italy /
Special Mention @ Prix Farel - Switzerland /
Prix « Lever les tabous » Festival Imagésanté, Belgium /
Grand Prix du jury de la 25e image et le prix de la Fondation Françoise Tétard & CNAHES @ Festival du Film Social, France

Festivals:
World Premiere @ Visions du Réel, Switzerland /
Les États Généraux du Film Documentaire, France /
IDFA - Best of Fests, The Netherlands /
Festival International du Film de La Roche-sur-Yon /
Festival dei Popoli, Italia /
Rencontre du cinéma francophone en beaujolais, France /
Kassel DokFest, Germany /
Festival du Film Social de Nice, France /
Festival Traces de Vie, France /
FIPADOC - National competition, France /
Ramdam festival, Belgium /
Doc-Cévennes, France /
Les Rencontres Du Réel, France /
Les Rencontres Du Film Documentaire De Mellionnec, France /
Concertina, France /
Festival Résistances, France /
Faito Doc Festival, Italy /
Festival Les Percéides, Canada /
Les Rencontres Ad Hoc, France /
Prix Farel - Switzerland /
Festival Imagésanté, Belgium /

Coproduction TV: Lyon Capitale TV

TV participation: Tënk et de Mediapart

Original version: French

Versions available:
English version

Credits:
Réalisatrice: Clémence Davigo. photography: François Chambe. Sound: Emmanuelle Villard. editing: Lou Vercelletto. music: Benjamin Glibert

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