



# Kanopy Picks for May!



## May is National Pet Month!

### “Pet Fooled” (2016) (Documentary)



This startling documentary offers an in depth look at the commercial pet food industry. Through interviews with those who lost their pets to the negligence of commercially packaged pet food, PET FOOLED reveals the total lack of oversight and care for animal nutrition of the industry at large.

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### “Pickle” (2016) (Documentary)



A couple recounts the various animals they have adopted as pets over the course of their marriage, including a paraplegic possum and a fish that couldn't swim. PICKLE explores the human capacity to care for all creatures throughout their sometimes greatly protracted lives until their occasionally sudden and unfortunate deaths.

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### “Fireland Dogs” (2019) (Documentary)



FIRELAND DOGS addresses Argentina's feral dog population and raises questions about the human role in domestication and neglect of animals. For decades, dog owners have been abandoning their pets in the rural countryside. Without proper care and control, the dogs run rampant throughout the island's towns and farms, killing livestock, causing public health concern, and threatening its ecosystem and wildlife.

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**Kanopy provides 10 credits per month!**

## May is National Foster Care Month

### “Feeling Wanted: A Story About Foster Care” (2015)



When her great-grandmother becomes ill, Charell is taken to the home of strangers. She does not remember their names or where she lived, but she recalls the abuse and loneliness. She recalls watching her belongings being thrown into trash bags and the lies she has to tell other kids because she does not want to admit she is a foster child.

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### “Age Out” (2019)



AGE OUT is a passionate portrait of youth set in Waco, Texas. Forced out of foster care at age 18, Richie Wincott collides with the perils and temptations of a life apart. Becoming a prime suspect in a botched robbery, he discovers an impossible love in an unlikely friend. AGE OUT is a humane story about love, loss, wrongdoing, and redemption.

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### “A Breath of Hope” (2018)



Giving hope to the hopeless dominates the stories in Seattle, WA and Columbus, OH. Among those spotlighted are: a program to reform the foster care system, and an organization reuniting children with parents who were incarcerated. Too many poor youths end up in the juvenile justice system. The Echo Glen facility hopes to heal, rather than punish young incarcerated teens.

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