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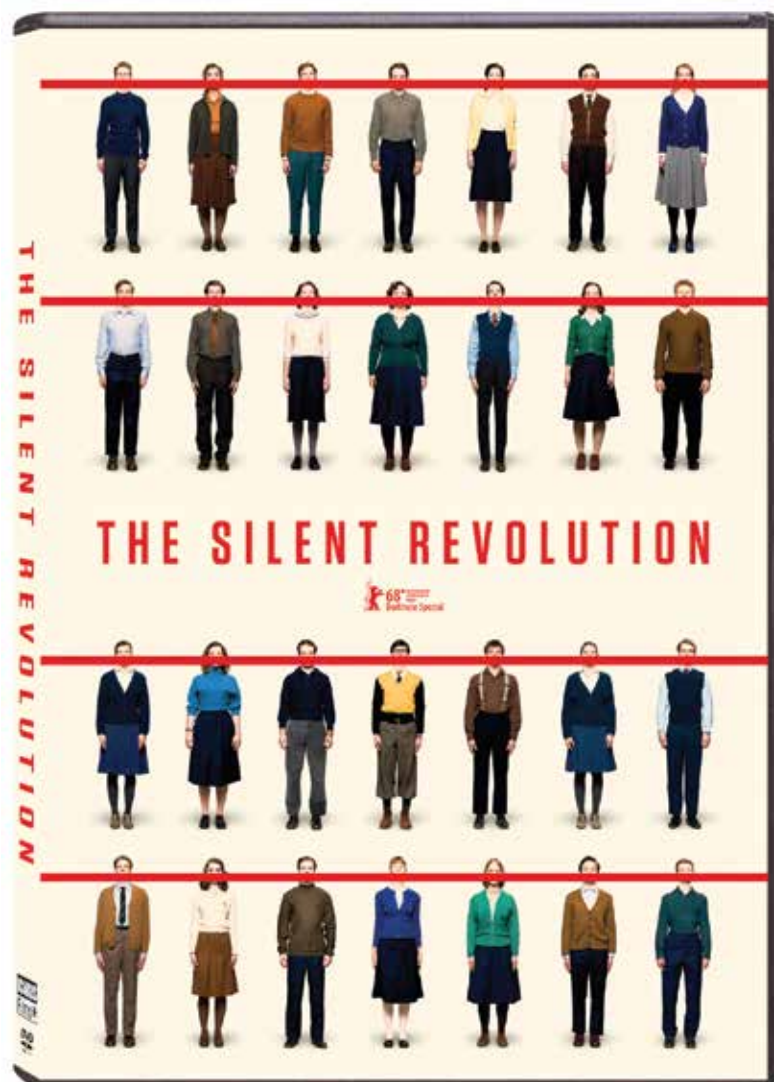
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During a visit to the cinema in West Berlin, high school students Theo (Leonard Scheicher, *Das Boot*) and Kurt (Tom Gramenz) see dramatic newsreel footage of the Hungarian uprising in Budapest. Back at school in Stalinstadt, they spontaneously decide to hold a moment of silence in solidarity with the victims of the uprising. The gesture causes bigger ripples than expected. The People's Educational Minister (Burghart Klaußner, *The White Ribbon*) condemns the action as counterrevolutionary and demands that the ringleader be named within a week. But the students stick together, facing a decision that will change their lives forever.

THE SILENT REVOLUTION

A film by Lars Kraume • From Distrib Films • An Icarus Films Release
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