

# Young Woman and the Sea

## ***Young Woman and the Sea***

Walt Disney Studios

**Genre:** Drama

**Rating:** TBD

**Special Theatrical**

**Engagement:** May 31-June 14, 2024

**Cast:** Daisy Ridley, Tilda Cobham-Hervey, Stephen Graham, Kim Bodnia, Christopher Eccleston, Glenn Fleshler

**Directed by:** Joachim Rønning

**Written by:** Jeff Nathanson

**Based on the Book:** “Young Woman and the Sea: How Trudy Ederle Conquered the English Channel and Inspired the World” by Glenn Stout

**Produced by:** Jerry Bruckheimer, Chad Oman, Jeff Nathanson

**Executive Producers:** John G. Scotti, Daisy Ridley, Joachim Rønning

### **SYNOPSIS/OFFICIAL BOILERPLATE:**

Disney’s *Young Woman and the Sea*, the extraordinary true story of Trudy Ederle, the first woman to successfully swim the English Channel, will come to cinemas in a special engagement from May 31-June 14, 2024. Daisy Ridley stars as the accomplished swimmer who was born to immigrant parents in New York City in 1905. Through the steadfast support of her older sister and supportive trainers, she overcame adversity and the animosity of a patriarchal society to rise through the ranks of the Olympic swimming team and complete the staggering achievement – a 21-mile trek from France to England.

*Young Woman and the Sea*, which also stars Tilda Cobham-Hervey, Stephen Graham, Kim Bodnia, Christopher Eccleston, and Glenn Fleshler, is directed by Joachim Rønning and written by Jeff Nathanson, based on the book “Young Woman and the Sea: How Trudy Ederle Conquered the English Channel and Inspired the World” by Glenn Stout. The producers are Jerry Bruckheimer, Chad Oman, and Jeff Nathanson, with John G. Scotti, Daisy Ridley, and Joachim Rønning serving as executive producers.

*Young Woman and the Sea* will open in select cinemas May 31, 2024.

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