

"The Tramp" (1915) filmed by Essanay Studios in Niles Canyon

Charlie Chaplin Days 2008

in Historic Niles District, Fremont, CA

Saturday, June 7th & Sunday, June 8th

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. in Old Town Niles

"The Champion" filmed in the Essanay Studios lot in Niles, 1915



Lookalike Contest both days:

Dress up like him or another movie star and win a prize! To enter, meet at the silent film museum at 2:30 p.m. Everyone gets a prize!

Impersonators roaming the streets:

Be on the look out for Charlies all around Niles and on Sunday, riding the steam train!

The Art of Charlie (Sunday only):

Free art activities for families. Cathy Lyn Harrison of Teach Me Art will provide art supplies and show children how to draw a realistic Charlie face.



This event is co-sponsored by:
Niles Main Street Association
www.niles.org
 is a non-profit community based organization devoted to historic preservation and bringing new economic life to the historic commercial district.

and the
Niles Essanay Silent Film Museum
www.nilesfilmmuseum.org (510) 494-1411
 Movies every Saturday Night with live piano accompaniment; Open for tours 12-4 pm Sat/Sun

Chaplin Film Shorts both days

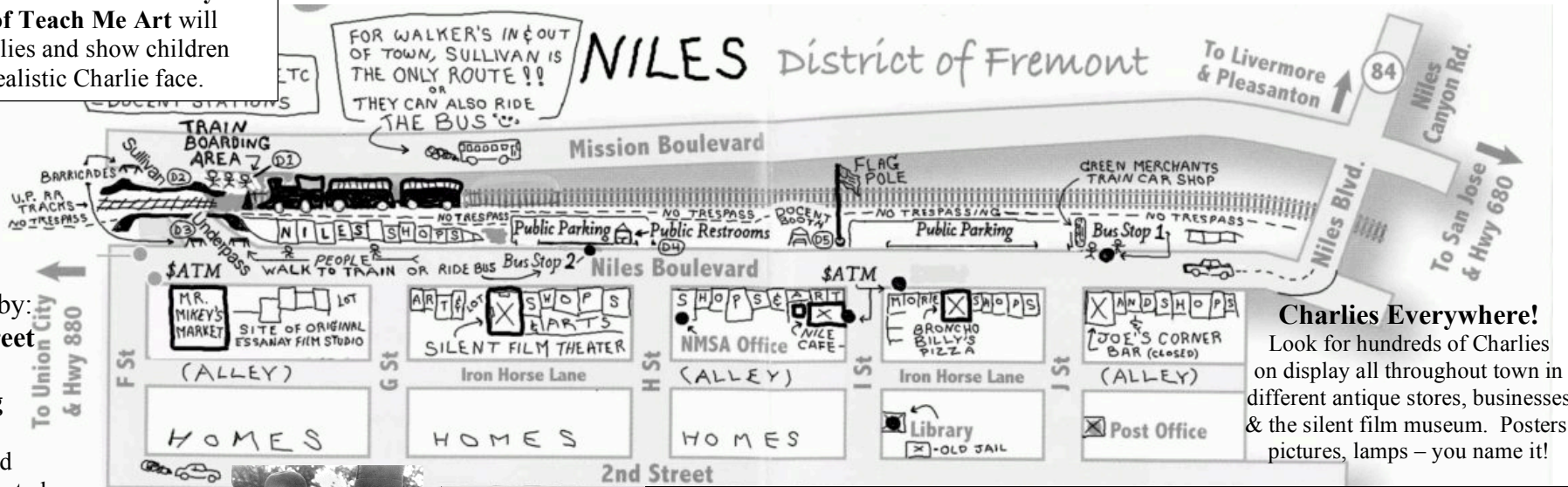
View one or two reel films that were actually filmed in Niles in 1915!

At the Niles Essanay Silent Film Museum Edison Theater, 37417 Niles Blvd.
 Movie Tickets 50c (suggested donation) Popcorn and snacks are available.

Name	Where filmed:
11:00 a.m. - In The Park	Golden Gate Park.
12:00 p.m. - A Night Out	Oakland and Niles.
1:00 p.m. - The Tramp	Niles Canyon and the studio lot.
2:00 p.m. - A Jitney Elopement	the Great Highway, Golden Gate Park & Niles.
3:00 p.m. - The Champion	see glimpses of old downtown and trains!

Penny Carnival Games for 12 years and under

(Courtesy of Curves – Niles)
 Tickets 1c each (Max. 10 per child)
 Located in parking lot between G & H Streets on Niles Blvd
 Bean Bag Toss Cupcake Walk
 Mini Golf and More



Charlies Everywhere!

Look for hundreds of Charlies on display all throughout town in different antique stores, businesses & the silent film museum. Posters, pictures, lamps – you name it!



Saturday Night at the Movies "The Kid" (1921) 7:30 p.m. (Saturday only)

Movie Tickets \$5.00 (suggested donation)

Very Limited Seating! You can buy tickets in advance from 12 – 4 p.m.

One of Charlie Chaplin's most famous films and we have it! See Jackie Coogan as a most adorable child. See a dog fly through the air. This film is accompanied by a musical score performed by pianist Bruce Loeb. What was said then (in 1921): "This is the great picture upon which the famous comedian has worked a whole year. 6 reels of Joy." **Interesting Fact:** Long before this movie was filmed in Los Angeles, Charlie Chaplin and Jackie Coogan both worked for the Essanay Film Studio in Chicago. Chaplin in 1915 & Coogan in 1917.