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Dinner and a movie in Chapel Hill

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Chapel Hill's Silverspot Cinema is hosting a dinner and documentary screening with filmmaker Judith Olney on June 13.

In 1973, she opened Judith Olney Cookery, the area's first cooking school. Culinary luminaries, such as Simone Beck, Paula Wolfert and Jacque Pepin, taught in Olney's Durham kitchen. Olney, who also has written six cookbooks, later became the restaurant critic at The Washington Times.

Olney's film is about Swank Farm, a family-owned hydroponic farm in Florida. According to a news release, "Nothing can

stop the Swank family from realizing their dream of a hydroponic farm – not hurricanes, bankruptcy, life in a trailer with three growing children, the ever changing climate in Florida, or the nudist colony next door." The film won the Audience Favorite Documentary Award at the Palm Beach International Film Festival.

Tickets are \$25, including dinner, a glass of wine and the film. A question-and-answer session with Olney will follow the screening. The menu includes baked red snapper with leeks, carrots and parsnips served with salad.

Individual tickets to the film are \$14.50 per adult and \$9.75 per senior. For tickets, visit silverspot.net.

The event starts at 6:30 p.m. The theater is at 201 S. Estes Drive.

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