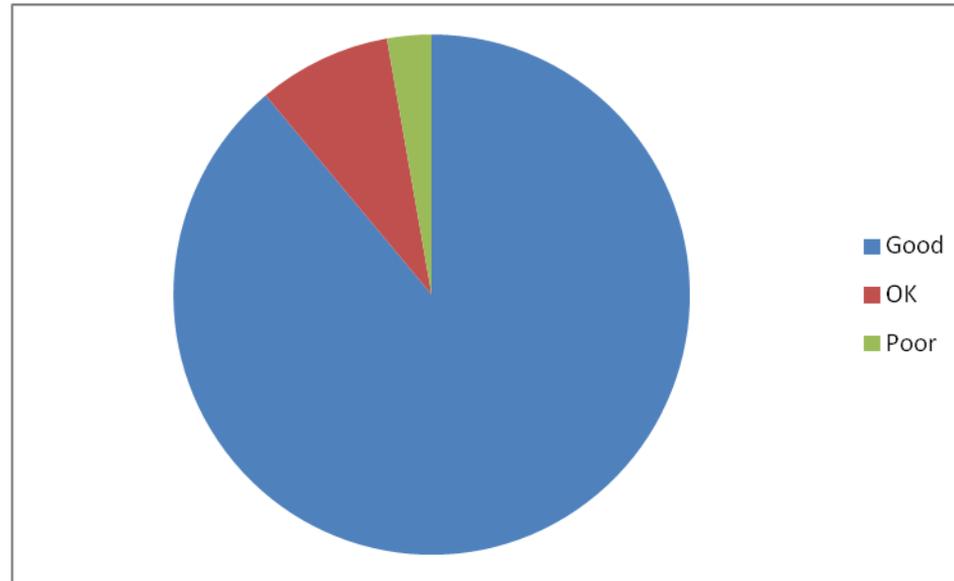


Review – Lion



Good – 32	OK – 3	Poor – 1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I enjoyed the film last night very much. A very moving film and I didn't realise until the end it was a true story. Thanks for the cava and cake. • We all really enjoyed it and would rate it as Good. • A touching story well acted, especially by the young boy but, oh dear! The sound! • We all thought it was excellently produced. Perhaps did not show the poorer parts of India which I was expecting. However very emotionally portrayed by all actors. We 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Film did not live up to the hype. There were some touching moments, but it was overly sentimental and too long. At times it seemed like a promotion for Google Earth. The director's 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent photography but I had problems with each sub-title showing for such a very short time and also the spoken dialogue was often difficult to hear.

enjoyed the film very much.

- I enjoyed the film, it was maybe a little long particularly when the young man became obsessed with searching Google earth. It was a bit difficult to hear some of the dialogue as it seemed quiet. Not sure if this was a fault with the film or with the volume on the night. Very beautifully filmed though.
- Very good.
- I thought it was excellent and my friend also enjoyed it. It was a very moving tale, well told. Thank you for showing this film and for the wine and cake.
- Excellent! We are going to read the book.
- Excellent film which we both enjoyed. Made you realise what privileged lives most of us lead. Interesting to contrast Australian attitude to Aborigines and acceptance of Asian adoptees. Sound/diction was unclear several times in scenes with adoptive mother. Must read the book now.
We were frozen under the air con system last night - please adjust now autumn is here.
- Enjoyed the film a lot. The slow build up was important to the background of the story. Good acting all round, maybe Seru's mental turmoil as an adult was just a little too long, I think we got the message. Happy birthday film club, thanks for all your hard work....and goodies!
- Yes, a little emotionally manipulative, but a powerful story that was well acted.
- Thank you for this exceptional & powerful film. Everything about it, is so memorable - this one will 'haunt' me for years to come. The casting, the story, the cinematography and soundtrack are perfect. We went home counting our blessings. The only blight on proceedings being how chilly

TV background came through in the episodic nature of the film and the repetitions of the 'in last week's episode' type.

the auditorium was however, the Birthday Celebration of Cava & Cake was delightful - thank you.

- We really enjoyed the film last night. I thought that the first part, set in India was especially appealing. My husband found the captions rather difficult to read but I had trouble hearing the dialogue in the second part. This did not detract too much from following the story. The music added very much to the action and emotion of the film.
- I enjoyed the film a lot, but found the dialogue a bit quiet, and it got quite cold in there even though I was wearing a coat!
- Unfortunately we could not hear most of the dialogue, in particular Nicole Kidman which was most disappointing, however story and filming were good.
- I enjoyed it. Beautifully filmed, very moving acting, and evoked all senses. The film is a classic and should never be forgotten.