

Henri and the Islands

Original title: Henri et les îles

Henri and the Islands is a short film about Herstappe, the smallest village in Belgium, situated right on the linguistic border between the French and the Dutch-speaking communities. People there speak both languages and there are no community-related problems. Herstappe, however, has its own problems. The residents have (for a bizarre reason) stopped coming together and talking. Through the eyes of the youngest villager, we get to know the people and the intricacies of this microcosmos. The key to a brighter future seems to lie in the innocent hands of our guide, the naïve Henri, who simply rides his bike from door to door.

CREDITS

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CREATION DETAILS

TYPE: Film

PRODUCTION SHARE: Majority Flemish

Production

GENRE: Documentary

YEAR OF PRODUCTION: 2008
PRODUCTION STATUS: Completed
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TECHNICAL SPECS

RUNNING TIME: 22' ASPECT RATIO: 16:9

SOUND FORMAT: stereo (2.0)

RELEASE FORMAT: Digital Betacam

COLOUR: Colour

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