Screen on the Green



7.30 pm
Saturday
20th November
2021
Eastcombe
Village Hall

Admittance: First come first served Admission price: £3.50 per person

Nomadland

Starring: Frances McDormand, Peter Spears, Mollye Asher, Dan Janvey **Director**: *Chloe Zhoa*

Nomadland is about America's 60+ generation whose economic future is shattered by the 2008 crash. They are grey-haired, middle-class, strivers reduced to poverty who can't afford to retire and can't afford to maintain a home. So they have become nomads, a new American tribe roaming the country in camper vans, looking for seasonal work in bars, restaurants and – in this film – in a gigantic Amazon warehouse in Nevada.

The film shows you that, along with the hardship, there is also serenity in this way of life. Without the burdens of a house and possessions you can have a glorious and very American freedom in the lost tradition of Emerson and Twain. But what happens if your van – or your body – shows signs of collapse?