

TRE VÄNNER PRESENTS

# BAMSE

AND  
THE CITY OF THIEVES



TRE VÄNNER presents BAMSE AND THE CITY OF THIEVES. PER BERNECKER - STEVE KUZMA - MORGAN ALLING - MORGAN ALLING - SHERRY WAGNER - LEE ANDERSON - TEASLUND - ULLRICH ANDERSON and TOMAS GERNE etc.  
with TOMAS THE BARK and JOHN KIMBLE TM. Produced by JOHN KIMBLE. Directed by CHRISTIAN FRIEDRICHSEN. Screenplay by THOMAS HØRUM. Storyline by CHRISTIAN FRIEDRICHSEN. Music by ANANDU. Storyline by JONAS JENSEN. Executive Producer  
CHRISTIAN FRIEDRICHSEN. Executive Producer FREDRIK VIKSTRÖM ANDERSSON. Executive Producer OLA ANDERSSON - DAN ANDERSSON - LONE KRISTINA - WITH "PÖDDY" KRISTINA - JESSICA ASK - CHRISTIAN FRIEDRICHSEN  
with production BAMSE (FOR ALL TV) - NORRSTOCK FILM - SVENSKA BILDGALLER - FILM I VÄST and SVENSKA FILM and SVENSKA FILM MINISTRIFELLEN ANDERSSON FRIEDRICHSEN - LARS STORHOLM and NORRSTOCK FILM & TV FUNKTIONER PÅ NORRSTOCK

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Bamse, Little Hop and Shellman must save Grandma from the evil Reynard Fox. Reynard and the thieves have kidnapped Grandma to prevent her from making thunder honey for Bamse – that's the honey that makes him the strongest bear in the world. Together they set out on a dangerous journey through the Goblin Forest to the City of Thieves.

Bamse and the City of Thieves – an adventure film about friendship and how easy it is for someone to become mean when they've been left out. It is based on Rune Andréasson's much loved Swedish comic series, Bamse – the strongest bear in the world. Rune Andréasson created Bamse in the 1960s. Since the series began Bamse comics have been read by children and adults all over Scandinavia, generation after generation, and today it is still one of the most widely read publications in its genre.

Since the Swedish premiere in January 2014, the film has attracted more than 320.000 visitors, making it one of the most successful Swedish films of the year!



## DIRECTOR - CHRISTIAN RYLTIENIUS

Christian Ryltenius started his career in animation at the Swedish studio Penn Film AB, where he worked on the feature film *Voyage to Melonia* (1989). After that, he studied Classical Animation at Sheridan College in Canada (1989-1991), before returning to Pennfilm to work as an animator for a number of productions, e.g. *ABC*, *Alfie Atkins* and *Dogdays*.

In 1995, Christian moved to Germany and worked with a number of different directors like Hayo Freitag on *Captain Blaubär*, and Enzo D'Alo on *Momo*. He was hired by Warner Brothers to work on *Space Jam* and *Quest for Camelot*. For a number of years, he worked in Asia as Overseas Supervisor before he launched *Sluggert* in Sweden in 2004.

His CV includes director on productions as *Bjorn Bear*, a TV series based on the classic Swedish children books by Sven Nordqvist; *Loranga*, *Mazarin och Dartanjang*, for which he was creative supervisor; and in 2008 he worked as animation director on *Tarik Saleh's Metropia*.

## DIRECTED BY

Christian Ryltenius

## SCRIPT BY

Johan Kindblom  
Tomas Tivemark

## PRODUCED BY

Jon Nohrstedt

## CAST

Peter Haber, Morgan Alling,  
Steve Kratz, Magnus  
Härenstam, Tea Stjärne

## FACTS

### ORIGINAL TITLE:

Bamse och tjuvstaden

### GENRE:

Children, Family, Animation

### COUNTRY / LANGUAGE:

Sweden/Swedish

### FIRST RELEASE:

Jan 17, 2014

### SOUND:

5.1

### FORMAT:

1:1,85

### DURATION:

Approx. 65 minutes

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