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- FILM:** **ALLEGRO NON TROPPO** (1976, Bruno Bozzetto).
This animated feature is a hilarious parody of Disney's *Fantasia* (currently in nationwide re-release) and has been described as "a cross between *Fantasia* and *Yellow Submarine*, with a touch of Fellini."
- PRESS SCREENING:** **Thursday, November 1 at 10:00 AM** at Opera Plaza Cinemas, 601 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco
- PLAYDATE:** **Friday, November 16 through 25**
Castro Theatre, San Francisco
UC Theatre, Berkeley
Varsity, Palo Alto (through November 29)
Nickelodeon, Santa Cruz (through November 29)
- RUNNING TIME:** 84 minutes

Expanded Entertainment in conjunction with Italtoons is pleased to be re-releasing Bruno Bozzetto's **ALLEGRO NON TROPPO** featuring newly restored, never-before-seen footage, and for the first time, an Ultra-Stereo soundtrack.

ALLEGRO NON TROPPO mixes often hilarious live-action with delightful animated segments set to the music of Ravel, Sibelius, Stravinsky, Vivaldi, Debussy, and Dvorak. With tongue planted firmly in cheek, Bruno Bozzetto set out to create an outrageous send-up of Disney's classic *Fantasia*. The result, **ALLEGRO NON TROPPO**, skillfully transcends the parody genre by unleashing a richly textured landscape, inhabited by an array of imaginary characters. In place of *Fantasia's* dancing hippos, Bozzetto presents an over-the-hill satyr prancing through inviting woodlands in eternal search of a willing nymph, a determined pterodactyl soaring high above a barren desert, and a vengeful honeybee protecting her flowery domain from the encroachment of some ardent human lovers.

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