

Lionheart

UK : 1968 : dir. : Children's Film Foundation ? : c60 min
 prod: : scr: : dir.ph.:
[James Forlong](#)
 Adult cast unknown

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Sunday Times note:

“A boy befriends a lion which has wandered away from the circus.”

TV Times [?] note:

“Drama about a lion that has escaped from a circus. *** ”

[no listing in "Halliwell's Film Guide", "Leonard Maltin's Movie and Video Guide 2001", "Speelfilm Encyclopedie", "The Critics' Film Guide", "The Good Film and Video Guide", "Movies on TV and Videocassette 1988-89", "Rating the Movies (1990)", "The Sunday Times Guide to Movies on Television", "The Time Out Film Guide", "TV Times Film & Video Guide 1995", "Variety Movie Guide 1993", "Video Movie Guide 1993" or "The Virgin Film Guide"]

No further information currently available. Not to be confused with the 1987 film of the same title about the Children's Crusade, or a 1991 film of the same title about Jean-Claude Van Damme beating up people, just as he does in all his other films. James Forlong, here 9, went on to make "**RAISING THE ROOF**" (71), "**RANGI'S CATCH**" (72) and "**HIJACK!**" (75), all of which makes it probable this too is a Children's Film Foundation title. Forlong's dad was producer/director, and sister Kate appeared with him, in the serial "**RANGI'S CATCH**", shot in New Zealand.

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