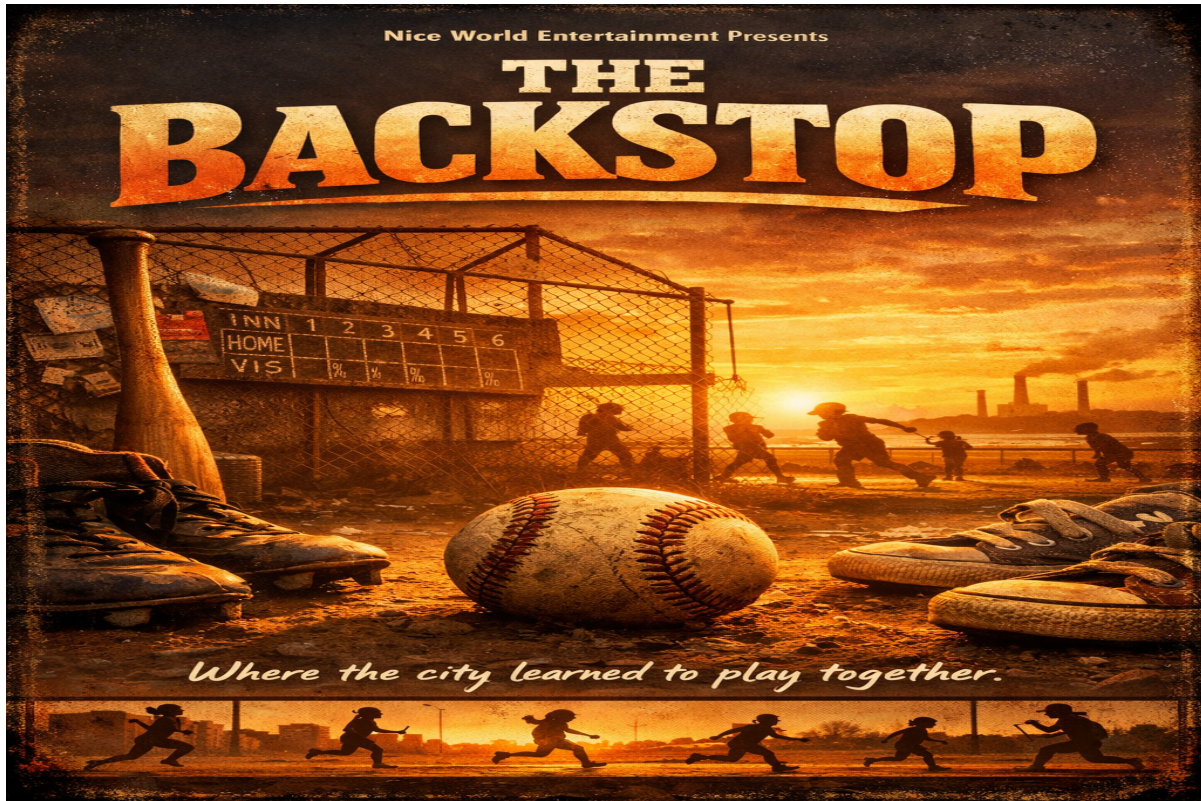


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## THE BACKSTOP

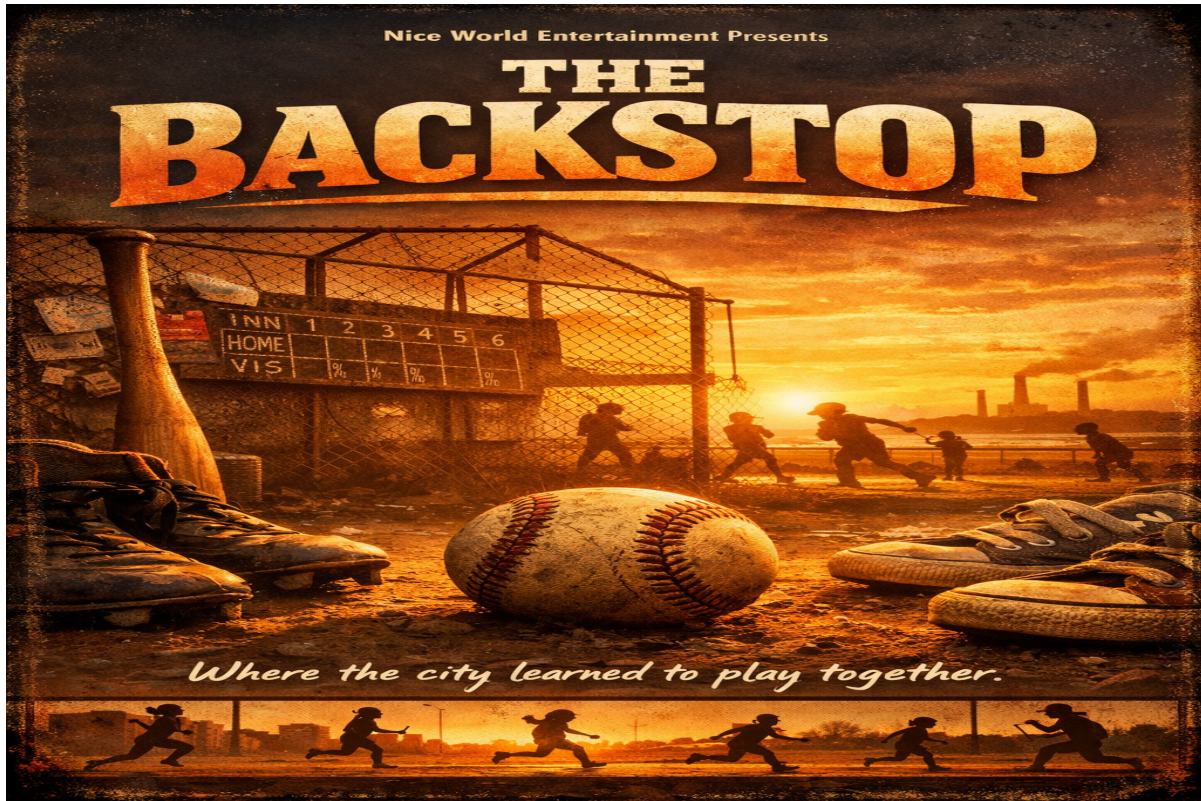


Where the city learned to play together.

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## Film Synopsis



Kids form a multicultural baseball team that transforms a divided city.

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## Main Characters



### THE TEAM (MAIN CHARACTERS)

#### Film Synopsis

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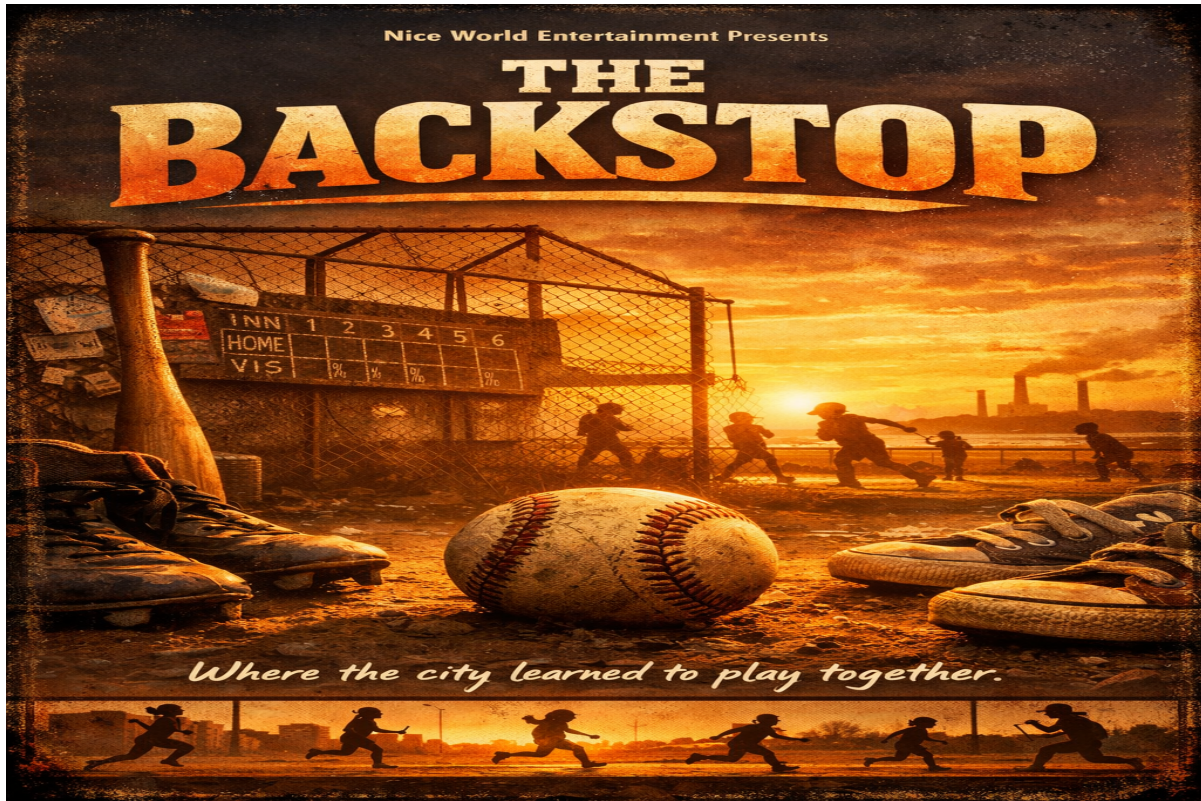
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The team that brings the city together.

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## The Problem

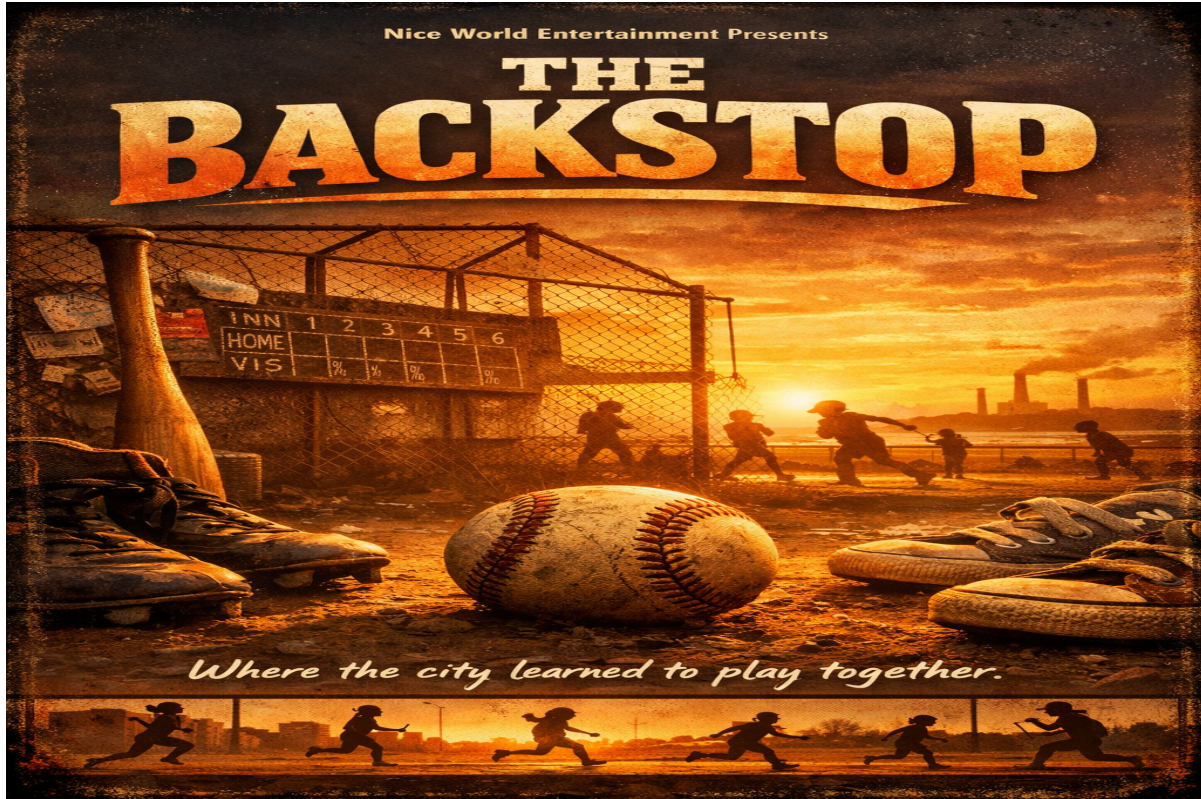


Communities lived side-by-side but rarely together.

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## The Solution



A forgotten field becomes neutral ground.

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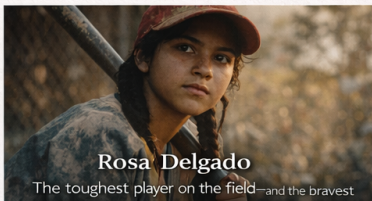
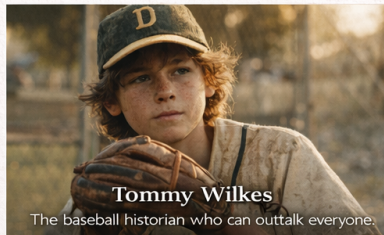
## What Makes This Film Different



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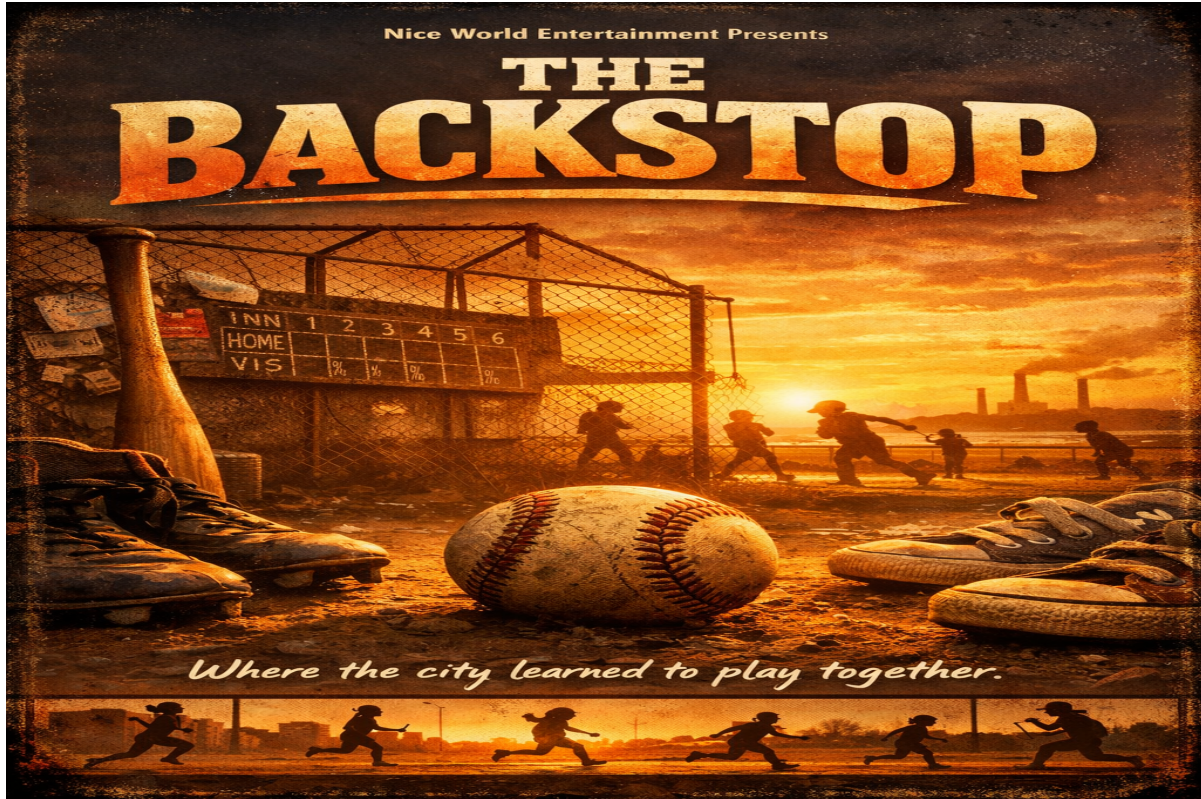
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Nostalgia, sports and social change through kids.

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## Visual Tone



Golden hour, vintage film grain, nostalgic cinematography.

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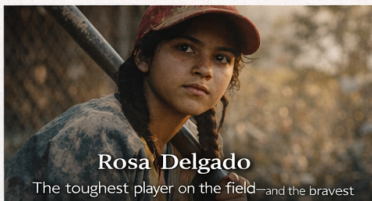
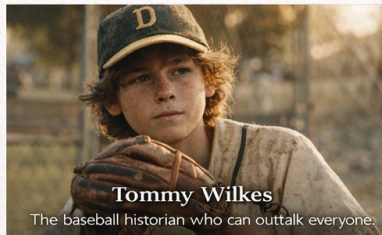
## Director Statement



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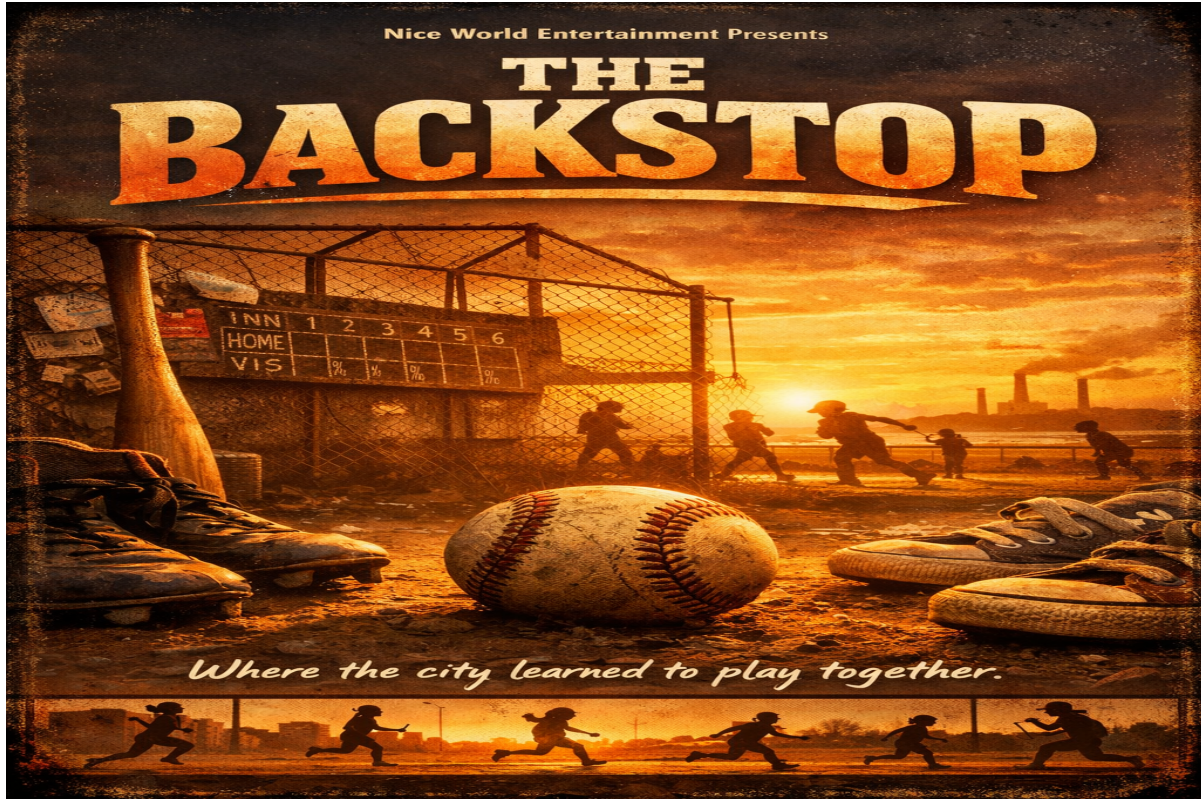
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A story about belonging and unity.

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## Audience

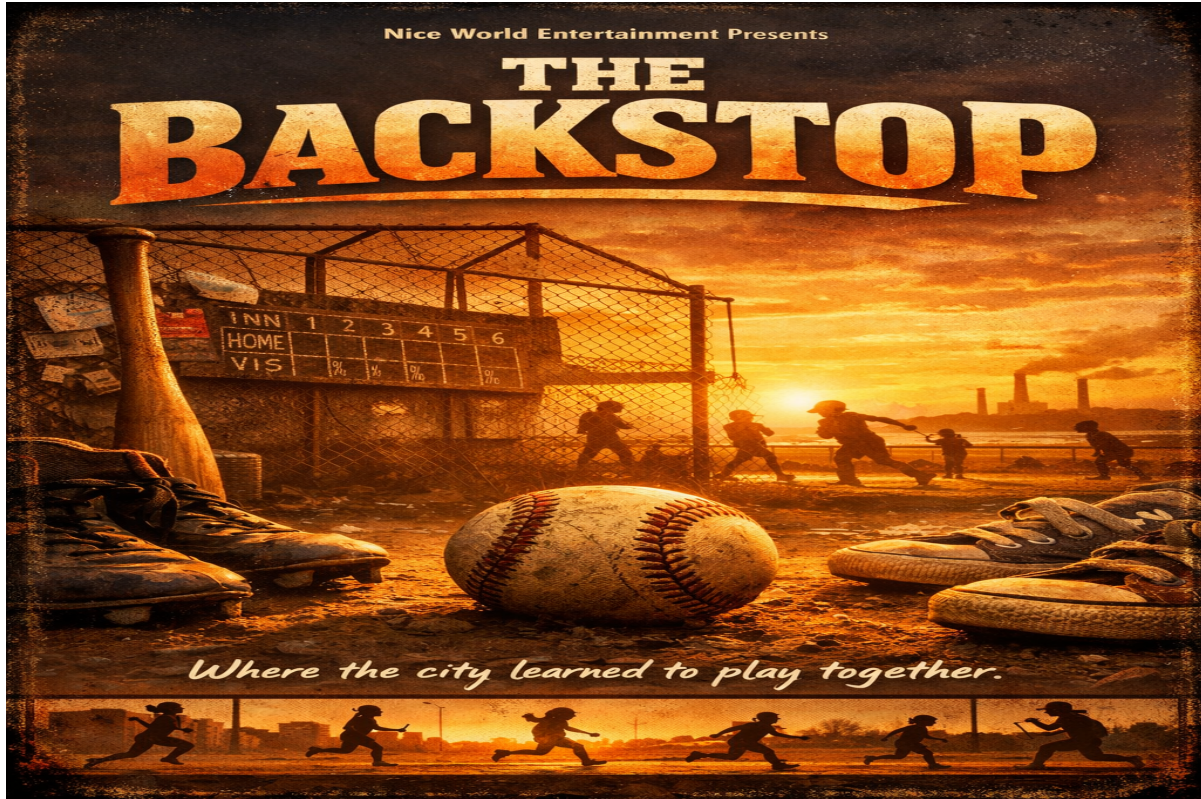


Four quadrant family audience.

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Full Budget

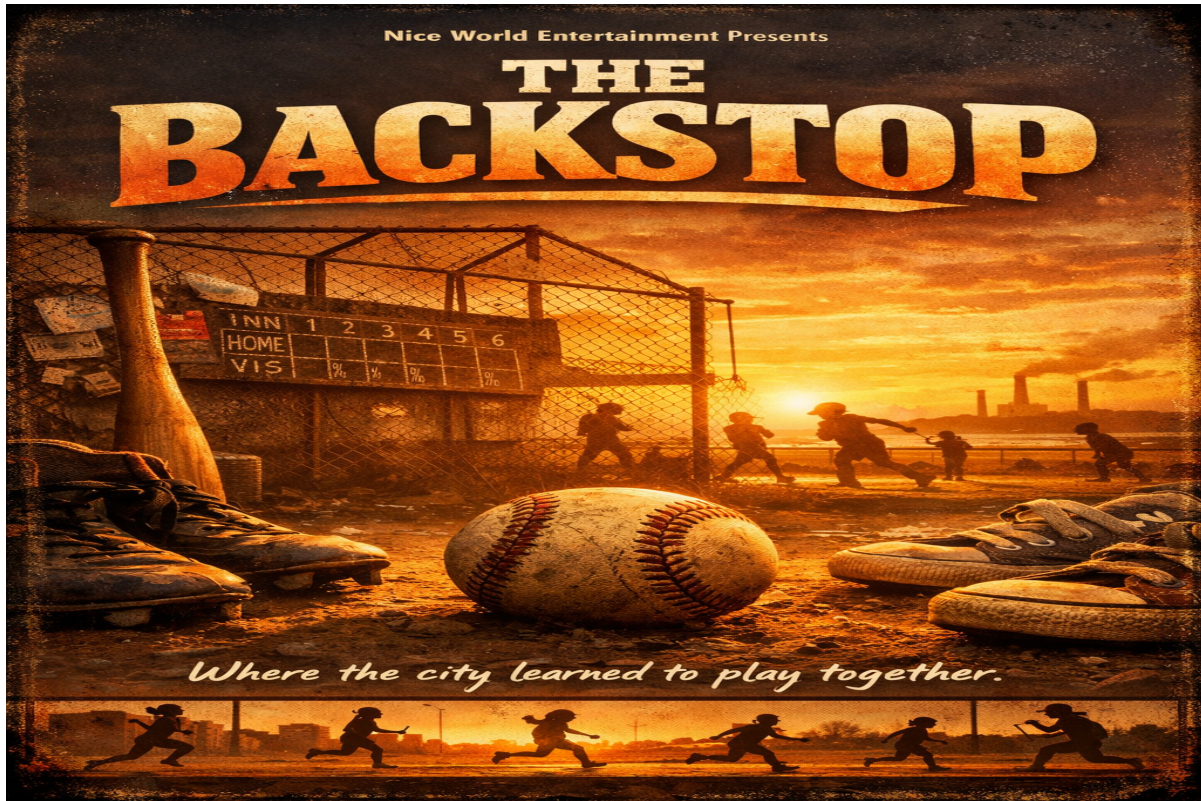


Studio path: \$8M production.

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## Low Budget Option



Indie path: \$3M production.

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