THE ALLIANCES FRANCAISES

Our network is coordinated by the Foundation of the Alliances françaises and guided by our charter.

They are legally and financially autonomous and are founded on the associative model within the framework of local law. There are currently 834 French Alliances, in 133 different countries, on 5 continents.

MISSIONS OF THE ALLIANCE FRANCAISE

→ Developing the teaching and the use of French

→ Promoting knowledge of French and French-speaking cultures

→ Promoting diversity and dialogue between cultures

FRANCOPHONIE MONTH
The 28th edition

ORGANISATION INTERNATIONALE DE
la francophonie

March has been designated Francophonie Month. The aim is to promote the French language throughout the world, and to promote and share French-speaking cultures. It is also an opportunity for the Alliance française of Limassol to step up its cultural agenda for the 61st consecutive year!

But what is the Francophonie?

The **International Organization of the Francophonie** was set up in 1970 by a group of Francophone intellectuals with the aim of implementing political, educational, economic and, of course, cultural cooperation between its members for the benefit of the population. Cyprus has been a member of the OIF since 2006. Today, the Francophonie has 88 member states spread over 5 continents.

WHAT'S IN STORE FOR YOU IN MARCH 2024

Screening

A concert

A reading workshop

MARCH 2024 SCREENINGS

"ANATOMY OF A FALL" 2H31, 2023
French film with Greek subtitles

In collaboration with the Ciné-Club of Limassol

By: Justine Triet
With: Sandra Hüller, Swann Arlaud, Milo Machado-Graner

Sandra, Samuel and their visually impaired 11-year-old son Daniel have been living in a secluded village in the mountain for a year. When Samuel is found dead, an investigation into a suspicious death is opened. Sandra is charged, even though it may have been suicide. A year later, Daniel attends his mother's trial, a real dissection of a couple.
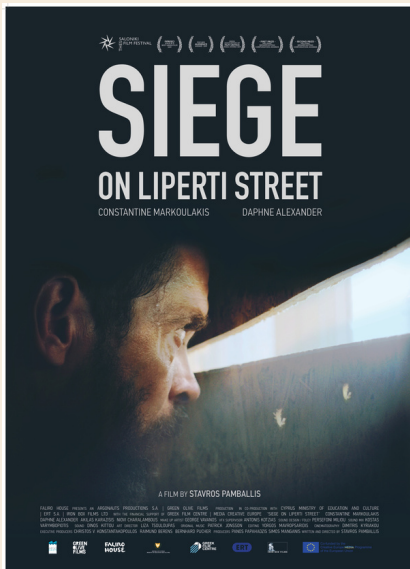
"SIEGE ON LIPERTI STREET" 1h28, 2019
Cypriot film with French subtitles

In collaboration with the Ciné-Club of Limassol and the Deputy Ministry of culture
By: Stavros Pamballis
With: Constantine Markoulakis, Daphne Alexander, Niovi Charalambous

An unemployed husband and father is forced to take up arms to keep the last thing holding his family together: his home.

* A glass of wine will be offered by the Nikos Nikolaides Anoyira winery before the screening at 7.30pm

Nicolaides Winery

The Black Pharaoh, the Savage and the Princess
French film, greek subtitles

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In partnership with the Franco-Cypriot School of Limassol

By: Michel Ocelot

3 tales, 3 eras, 3 worlds: an ancient Egyptian epic, a medieval legend from the Auvergne, an 18th-century fantasy set in Oriental costumes and palaces, to be swept away by contrasting dreams, peopled by splendid gods, revolting tyrants, cheerful vigilantes, cunning lovers, princes and princesses who do as they please – in an explosion of colour.

FRIDAY 15TH MARCH 8.30 p.m
RIALTO THEATER
Free entry - res. required
www.rialto.com.cy
tél. 77 77 77 45

" TAMBOUR BATTANT " 1h30, 2019
Swiss film (French audio) with English subtitles
Genre: drama, comedy

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Ambassade de Suisse à Chypre

In partnership with the Swiss Embassy in Cyprus

By: Christophe Marzal
With: Pascal Demolon, Pierre Mifsud, Jean-Luc Bideau, Sabine Timoteo

In the early spring of 1970, the small Valais village of Monchoux was unusually busy. village. Was it because of the vote on women's suffrage? Or because of the forthcoming referendum on the expulsion of foreigners? No. Worse: the village brass band has imploded! Half the village will say it's Aloys' fault, the other half will say it's Pierre's fault. The opposition will be political, musical and in loving.

WORKSHOP PRESENTATION OF THE BOOK TICE ET METICE BY KARIN PETEVI
SATURDAY 2TH MARCH - 11.30A.M AT THE ALLIANCE FRANCAISE OF LIMASSOL

The Alliance française of Limassol in partnership with the Franco-Cypriot School of Limassol organizes:

The presentation of the children's story "**TICE ET METICE**" by the author **Karin Petevi**.
Organization of play activities and tasting of crepes for the children.

The story of **Tice and Métice** is a dialogue between two very different birds who meet and get to know each other by their respective experiences. It is a story that encourages the discovery and acceptance of other people's differences. It will also allow young readers to discover the world through a range of different sensory experiences. This is a tale in French, Creole, Spanish and English.

The author, French-Cypriot **Karin Petevi**, is a teacher and trainer of French and foreign languages. This tale represents children's first steps towards discovery of different languages, including French.

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NOTES OF PEACE AND LOVE: FROM FRANCE TO THE WORLD

Rialto Theater
Saturday 30 March - 8.30 p.m
Price : 15€ (10€ - reduced price)

As part of Francophonie month, the Alliance Française of Limassol organizes the concert "**Notes of Peace and Love: from France to the world**".

In a feast of sounds of nostalgic motifs and rhythms of global hope, the world of the classical song of baritone **Kyros Patsalides** skilfully blends with the world of the world / jazz repertoire of the singer **Vakia Stavrou**, accompanied by a 10-member orchestra made up of excellent Cypriot musicians contacted by the pianist **Stavros Dritsas**.

The action is an interesting marriage of Classical music with the jazz and world scene, therefore it is addressed to the general music-loving public of Cyprus, regardless of nationality or age group.

The concert will feature songs by Rudolf Sieczynski, Eduardo di Capua, Charles Dumont, Ángel Cabral, Norbert Glanzberg, Boris Fomin, Mimi Plessas, Manou Hatzidaki, Taki Moraki, Costa Kapnisi, etc.