

Alliance Française

LAGOS



June
July
2008

Fête
de la
musique
21 juin
2008



Saturday
21st
Of
June

WORLD MUSIC DAY 2008

FRENCH LANGUAGE AND CULTURAL CENTRE

CINE CLUB

From now on, only one film will be projected every month. The film will be introduced by a presenter who will answer your questions and add fun to the projection. Come and enjoy French movies with English subtitles.

Week of June 23rd to 28th

Film « *Fauteuils d'orchestre* »
Comédie de Danièle Thompson.

Jessica, a young girl, arrives in Paris dreaming to become famous and rich. She finds a job in a small Café. As a waiter, she gets to know the three main characters of the movie: all of these characters are facing the same turning points on March 17th in their lives.

Jessica, une jeune femme arrive à Paris, rêvant de devenir célèbre et riche. Elle trouve un travail dans un petit café. Comme serveuse, elle va rencontrer les trois principaux personnages de cette histoire : tous ces personnages vont se retrouver ce même 17 Mars à un tournant de leur vie.

Tuesday, 24th of June @ Yaba by 12:45pm
Wednesday, 25th of June @ Ikoyi by 12:45pm
Thursday 26th of June @ Ikeja by 12:45pm



Week of July 7th to 12th

Film « *Je vais bien, ne t'en fais pas* »
Drame de Philippe Lioret. France. 2006

Alors qu'elle rentre de vacances, Lili, 19 ans, apprend que son frère jumeau, Loïc, suite à une violente dispute avec son père a quitté la maison. Loïc ne donnant pas de nouvelles, Lili finit par croire qu'il lui est arrivé quelque chose et part à sa recherche. Ce qu'elle va découvrir dépasse l'entendement...

Back from her holidays, Lili, 19 years old, is told that her twin brother, Loïc, left the house after a violent quarrel with their father. When she doesn't hear from him, she finally gets to believe that something bad must have happened to him. And so she decides to go in search of him. What she will discover goes beyond all understanding...

Tuesday, 8th of July @ Yaba by 12:45pm
Wednesday, 9th of July @ Ikoyi by 12:45pm
Thursday 10th of July @ Ikeja by 12:45pm

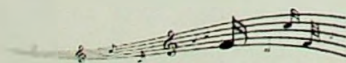
JE VAIS BIEN,
NE T'EN FAIS PAS.



KARAOKE !!! SING ALONG

On the 19th of July 2008 from 3pm @ AF Yaba branch

Rien de mieux que d'apprendre le français, en chantant !
Venez entonner la chansonnette, avec en prime de nombreux lots à gagner...



There is no better way to learn French than by singing.
Come and strike up French songs, with a lot of prizes to be won...

SPECIAL FILM PROJECTION

The Lady from Osogbo

A documentary film by Pierre Guicheney
(2007)

Portraits and stories of Susanne Wenger
and of one of the last sacred groves on the
planet.

In November 2005, UNESCO registers the Osun Osogbo Sacred Groves in Nigeria, in the World Heritage Site. This international recognition is a happy conclusion to the great struggle of an Austrian artist that has lasted half a Century: Susanne Wenger. Living in Nigeria since 1950, Susanne Wenger has been initiated into the highest level of the Yoruba mysteries' cult. She was accompanied in her struggle by a group of artists and priests, who re-created with her the temples of the forest dedicated to the cult of the Orisas: the deities and powers of the Yoruba tradition.



On Thursday,
19th June by 8pm

@
Alliance Française,
Ikoyi, Lagos

La Dame d'Osogbo. Documentaire réalisé par Pierre Guicheney en 2007.

Portraits et histoires d'une artiste et de l'un des derniers bois sacrés de la planète. Au mois de novembre 2005, l'Unesco inscrit au patrimoine mondial de l'humanité la forêt sacrée d'Osun Oshogbo, au Nigeria. Cette reconnaissance internationale décernée à un site de la tradition Yoruba est l'heureuse conclusion d'un demi-siècle de lutte menée par une artiste autrichienne: Susanne Wenger. Installée au Nigeria depuis les années 50, l'artiste a été initiée au plus haut niveau dans le culte des mystères Yoruba. Elle a été accompagnée dans sa lutte par un groupe d'artistes et de prêtres qui ont restauré et recréé avec elle les temples de la forêt dédiés aux Orisas, les entités-forces de la tradition Yoruba.

ART EXHIBITION

By Femi Johnson
5th to 19th of July

Femi Johnson belongs to the generation of Oshogbo artists and takes us into the magic of the Yoruba culture. With this exhibition "Femi's metamorphosis", Femi Johnson brings back to life the symbolical figures and traditional patterns through the movement and modernism of his lines. His leitmotiv is daring, because he uses unusual colours, entangles shapes and allows those who really want to scrutinize his paintings the freedom to do so.



Membre du groupe des artistes d'Oshogbo, Femi Johnson nous entraîne dans la magie de la culture Yoruba. Avec cette exposition « Femi's metamorphosis », Femi Johnson redonne vie aux figures symboliques et aux motifs traditionnels par le mouvement et le modernisme de ses lignes. L'audace est le leitmotiv de son travail : dans les couleurs inhabituelles qu'il use, dans les formes enchevêtrées, et également dans la liberté d'interprétation qu'il laisse à celui qui veut bien les regarder.

Opening Ceremony on Sat, 5th July at 5pm @ Ikoyi



WORLD MUSIC DAY

The World Music Day is marked worldwide on the 21st day of June every year. It originated from France, in 1982, with the law authorizing all musicians - professionals and non professionals - to celebrate the arrival of summer by playing their instruments wherever they wished on the said day. The huge success of the original event made it a global one. Indeed, the day is marked in 150 countries worldwide with free concerts that celebrate creativity and the spirit of togetherness. These concerts showcase all styles of music and are open to all music lovers.

WORLD MUSIC DAY NIGERIA

Nigeria first joined the global community in making the World Music Day in 1991 through the logistic support and inspiration of Alliance Française which plays the role of host to the event.

This year, we are organising World Music Day in partnership with the Nigerian Television Authority (NTA) and the Performing Musicians Association of Nigeria (PMAN).

In view of its scope and magnitude, the World Music Day Nigeria 2008 is seen as the biggest and most important Music Festival in the 2008 Cultural Calendar.

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On Saturday, 21st of June 2008
From 3pm till 5am

@

Alliance Française,
4c Ruxton Rd, Opp Home Science School, Ikoyi
NTA
Ahmadu Bello Rd., Victoria Island



LIVE MUSIC

L'œil dans le rétro



Mix Slavonic exuberance with Mediterranean melancholy, plus one dose of jazz and rock. Then add various instruments, from the tuba to the clarinet, and you will get a unique cocktail, a puzzle of elements from different horizons, just like a permanently open suitcase...

Mélangez l'exubérance slave avec la mélancolie méditerranéenne, ajoutez une dose de jazz, et de rock. Avec cela une diversité d'instruments, du tuba à la clarinette, et vous obtenez un curieux mélange, un puzzle d'éléments d'horizons différents, comme une valise toujours ouverte...



Date: Saturday, 7th of June 2008
Time: 6pm
Venue: Main Auditorium,
UNILAG, Akoka, Yaba

ADMISSION IS FREE!!!

STUDENTS' CORNER

Ateliers d'écriture en Français

Jouer avec les mots, à un, à deux ou plus. Venez partager le goût du Français avec deux animatrices pour apprendre le Français autrement.

French Creative Writing workshop

Play with words, individually or in groups. Come and share your liking for French language with two presenters, in order to learn French in another way.

Niveaux intermédiaires / Intermediary students (B5 to B8)

Tuesday, 3rd of June by 12:30 @ Yaba
Wednesday, 4th of June by 12:30 @ Ikoyi
Thursday, 5th of June by 12:30 @ Ikeja



Niveaux avancés / Advanced learners (C1 to C8)

Tuesday, 10th of June by 12:30 @ Yaba
Wednesday, 11th of June by 12:30 @ Ikoyi
Thursday, 12th of June by 12:30 @ Ikeja



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FRENCH RADIO PROGRAM

ON UNILAG 103.1 FM!!!

Alliance Française, supported by the French Embassy in Nigeria, now runs pedagogic and music programs on UNILAG FM 8hrs a week! Tune in:

Mon-Fri	8:30 - 8:45am 7:00 - 7:15pm 7:15 - 7:30pm	News in french News in french Entertainment / French Language through songs
Friday	7:30 - 8:30pm	Francophone Music from Africa
Sunday	7:30 - 8:30pm	Francophone Music from all Continents



FRENCH COURSES

Registration / Membership fees: N 2, 500.00
Plus 3 passport photographs

FRENCH LANGUAGE COURSES AT ALL LEVELS

4-Week Session: 80hrs (Course Fee N 15, 600.00)

From May 26 to June 20, 2008
From June 30 to July 25, 2008
From July 28 to August 22, 2008
Mon-Fri Time: 8.30 am to 1.00pm

4-Week Session: 40hrs (Course Fee N 8, 400.00)

Same dates as above
Mon-Fri Time: 11.00am to 1.00pm or 3.00pm to 5.00pm

6-Week Session: 36hrs (Course Fee N 7, 900.00)

From May 12 to June 20, 2008
From June 30 to August 08, 2008
Mon-Wed-Fri Time: 8.30am to 10.30am or 5.30pm to 7.30pm

6-Week Session: 18hrs (Course Fee N 4, 050.00)

From May 17 to June 21, 2008
From June July 07 to August 19, 2008
Saturdays Time: 9.00am to 12.15pm or 1.30pm to 5.00pm

DELFD/DALF EXAMINATIONS

From June 23 to June 27, 2008
Registration closes two weeks before the exams commence

PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATIONS

From June 23 to June 27, 2008
DHEF - With Translation Option
DFA2 - French for business
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Opposite Home Science Primary School
Ikoyi, Lagos
Tel: 89 11 341



YABA

239, Herbert Macaulay Street
Alagomeji, Yaba
Tel: 89 11 338



IKEJA

Inside Ikeja L.G.A Pry School Premises
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Opening office hours: 9 am-1pm & 3pm-6.pm