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MARCH-APRIL 2018

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the National Summer

LIVE IN ACCRA - JAZZ FESTIVAL

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EDITO

Au moment où le Ghana souhaite renforcer ses liens avec les pays francophones, nous vous invitons à une série d'événements pour célébrer le mois de la Francophonie à Accra. Ce sera aussi le début de notre saison « Dialogues artistiques transatlantiques Caraïbes-Afrique » qui sera marquée par la visite d'artistes des Caraïbes françaises. Dominik Coco et son groupe de Zouk guadeloupéen ouvriront la saison. Les amateurs de jazz devront attendre la fin du mois d'avril pour venir écouter les cinq concerts organisés dans le cadre du festival de jazz à l'Alliance Française d'Accra dont ceux du saxophoniste ghanéen Steve Bedi et du groupe de jazz Bwakoré de la Martinique.

As Ghana wishes to reinforce its links with francophone countries, we invite you to series of events to celebrate the month of Francophonie in Accra. It will also mark the beginning of our "Artistic transatlantic dialogs between the Caribbean and Africa" season, which will be highlighted by the visit of some French Caribbean artistes. Dominik Coco and his zouk band from Guadeloupe will open the session.

Jazz lovers will have to wait until the end of April to be entertained with the five concerts which Alliance Française Accra will organize for the Live in Accra Jazz Festival, with Ghanaian saxophonist Steve Bedi and the Jazz band Bwakoré from Martinique.

Frédéric Dart, directeur de l'Alliance Française

Fri. 2nd Mar.



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Sat. 3rd Mar.



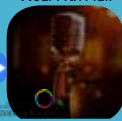
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VENUES :



Alliance Française Accra,
Amphitheatre



Alliance Française Accra,
La Paillote Takpekpe



Alliance Française Accra,
Exhibition Hall



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9 APRIL - 19 JUNE 2018

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26 FEB

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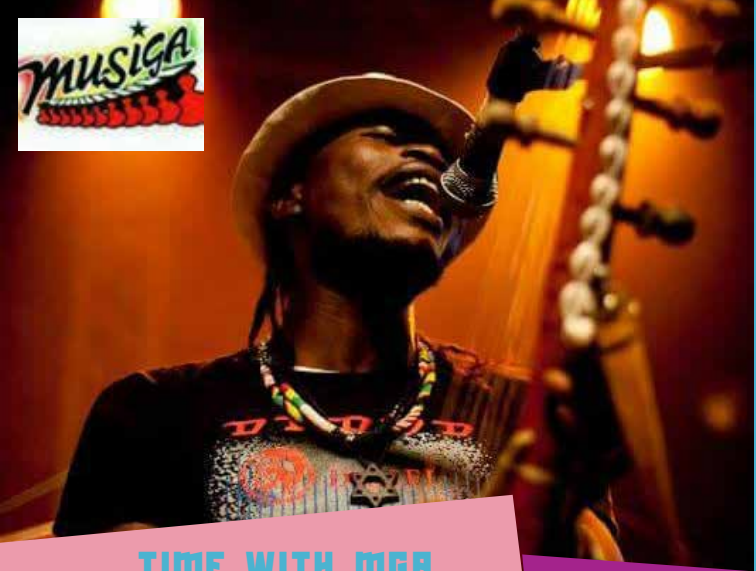
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TIME WITH MGA VARIETY SHOW

CONCERT

This concert will feature artistes like Shegah , Adane Best, Nana Quame, Samuel Owusu, Ex-Doe, Soma Iddrissu, Tagoe Sisters, Gifty Osei etc. Come and experience the best we have to offer in live music.

For all enquiries and partnerships please contact: Tel: 0558537099/0208175373 Email: info@eventmastersgh.com

Ce concert pré-indépendance regroupe Shegah, fondatrice du Dancehall au Ghana, Adane Best, Nana Quame et Samuel Owusu (Highlife), Ex-Doe (Hiplife), Soma Iddrisu (traditionnel), Gifty Osei (Gospel) et d'autres. Expérimentez le meilleur de la musique live et venez goûter les grillades !

FRI.
2
MARCH



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PLASTIC PUNCH OFFICIAL LAUNCH

PERFORMANCE
WORKSHOPS
CONCERT

The Plastic Punch team believes collective human responsibility and action are urgently needed to ensure that the future generations will inherit a healthy environment. Be part of our activities: Family-friendly workshops on the dangers of plastics and reuse ideas, fashion show, Wake Up dance show, Plastic Punch drama, theatre, live music from Bibiba Band, raffle...

L'action collective est nécessaire à l'édification d'un environnement sain. L'équipe de Plastic Punch propose des ateliers sur les dangers du plastique, un spectacle de mode, la chorégraphie Wake Up, le groupe de musique Bibiba et bien d'autres événements. Ne manquez pas la loterie!

SAT.
3
MARCH



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DOMINIK COCO & THE KAKO BAND

CONCERT

L'infatigable Dominik Coco, directement venu de La Guadeloupe ouvre le Festival de la Francophonie. Son style unique, mélange de zouk et d'acoustique, crée un intéressant mélange de nouvelle musique urbaine et des courants caribéens. Avec lui, c'est une nuit de danse garantie ! À bientôt !

The opening concert of this dynamic festival features the indefatigable Dominik Coco all the way from Guadeloupe. His unique style of zouk infused with acoustic music creates an interesting mix of new urban and Caribbean currents. You are guaranteed to dance all night long. See you!

SAT.

10
MARCH



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INTERNATIONALE DE
la francophonie



CONCERT DE SLAM

CONCERT

Les élèves du lycée français Jacques Prévert et de Ghana International School prennent le micro, entraînés par le champion de slam Mara !

Coached by the champion Mara, join the high school students from Jacques Prévert and Ghana International School as they treat you to an interesting night of spoken word!

WED.

14
MARCH



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FRENCH TOUCH CONCERT

Une sélection de chansons en français et en anglais interprétée avec brio par douze enfants, sous la direction artistique de la chanteuse Fafa Ruffino (Bénin).

Fafa Ruffino is back again, this time with a different touch. Join 12 wonderful children trained by Fafa Ruffino as they sing songs both in French and in English.

SAT.
17
MARCH

6PM

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JOB APPLICATION SKILLS

WORKSHOP

Apprenez à écrire un CV et une lettre de motivation, préparez vos entretiens en français avec des experts professionnels.

Come and learn how to write CVs, motivational letters, prepare for interviews in French as well as many other skills with experts in the working world. *Registration at: culture.ifg@gmail.com before 5th March 2018.*

WED.
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MARCH



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ASSOCIATION
DES CHÂTILLOIS
la francophonie

LE TEMPS D'ANNA

FILM
SCREENING

L'Ambassade de Suisse au Ghana a le plaisir de vous inviter à découvrir la belle histoire d'amour entre Anna, une jeune bourgeoise, et Jean, un ouvrier horloger idéaliste, se déroulant au début du 20e siècle dans le Jura suisse. La vie des deux époux est remplie d'espoir, jusqu'au jour où Anna tombe mystérieusement malade. L'amour de Jean parviendra-t-il à la sauver?

The Embassy of Switzerland in Ghana is pleased to invite you to discover the beautiful love story of the young and rich Anna, and Jean, an idealist watchmaker, set in the beginning of the 20th century in the Swiss Jura. The life of the couple is full of hope, until Anna falls mysteriously ill. Will Jean's love be strong enough to save her? VO with English subtitles.

THURS.

22 MARCH



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de la francophonie



BAL POUSSIÈRE

FILM SCREENING

The chief of an African village, who is called 'Demi Dieu' because after God he is the owner of all the things, already has five wives. But as this is not enough he decides to find himself a sixth wife so that he has one for every day of the week except on Sunday when he uses to relax. Come and watch this hilarious French movie with English Subtitles. Don't miss this.

"Demi-dieu", chef d'un village africain, possède tout. Il a déjà cinq épouses mais il en cherche une sixième afin d'en avoir une pour chaque jour. Sauf le dimanche, où il se repose. Venez voir ce film hilarant, en français sous-titré en anglais.

FRI.

23
MARCH



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KERMESSE

FAIR

Découvrez la gastronomie, l'artisanat, la musique, la danse des nombreux pays de la Francophonie!

Discover and entertain yourselves with food, arts and crafts, music and dance from numerous Francophone countries!

SAT.

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MARCH



1AM-8PM

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PHIL DARWIN

**COMEDY
SHOW**

Rire assuré avec le comique Phil Darwin, qui va clore la Francophonie dans une explosion de bonne humeur...entièrement en français.

Get ready to laugh your socks off as comedian Phil Darwin rounds up the Francophonie Festival in exploding joy. This humorous presentation will be in entirely French.

SAT.

24
MARCH



FREE





TIME WITH MGA HIGHLIFE MEETS GOSPEL CONCERT

This mid-week concert promises to be one of the exhilarating concerts in the series of "Time with MGA", where Highlife Meets Gospel. Headlining the gospel artistes are the Evergreen Tagoe Sisters and Gifty Osei, the Empress and the Legendary Pat Thomas for Highlife.

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Deuxième événement d'une série de concerts mensuels avec quelques-uns des plus grands artistes de Highlife et de Gospel. Pour le Gospel : Evergreen Tagoe Sisters et Gifty Osei; pour le Highlife, rien moins que The Empress et The Legendary Pat Thomas!

WED.
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APRIL



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ATONGO ZIMBA PRESENTS



ATONGO ALBUM LAUNCH

CONCERT

Remember the song "No beer in Heaven" well Atongo Zimba, the son of the Northern Savannah is back with a new album titled Vanilla and he can't wait to share this with you. Don't miss the launch of this very exciting new album. Atongo will be supported by the evergreen Gyedu-Blay Ambolley, Afro Moses, Wiyaala and the kologo master, King Ayisoba.

Vous vous rappelez la chanson "No Beer in Heaven"? Eh bien Atongo Zimba, fils de Northern Savannah revient pour lancer Vanilla, son nouvel album. Pour l'occasion Atongo sera accompagné de Gyedu-Blay, Ambolley, Afro Moses, Wiyaala et le maître du kologo, King Ayisoba. Ne manquez pas cet événement !

SAT.
7
APRIL



17





THE LOVE OF AA

FILM
SCREENING

Two naïve teenagers AA and ESABA are caught in the web of love. Their love escapade has affected their studies propelling their parents to investigate the downturn in their studies. The quest to solve this problem brings the parents of Abudu Andani (AA) and Esaba Mensah together and the unraveling of many other mysteries concerning the families. Don't miss this thrilling film by Kwaw Ansah.

Aa Andani et Esaba Mensah sont deux adolescentes prise au filet de l'amour. Leur aventure affecte leurs études et leur parent, inquiets, ils enquêtent. Au cours de leurs investigations, les familles se rencontrent et d'autres secrets sont mis au jour. Un film à ne pas manquer.

FRI.
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APRIL



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ORCHESTRATED JAZZ

WITH THE NATIONAL SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

ORCHESTRATED JAZZ

CONCERT

The opening concert for the 5th annual Live in Accra Jazz Festival will see 2 selected choirs backed by the National Symphony Orchestra as they belt out favourite jazz standards with a classical twist. This will be a show like never seen before as this Chorale Jazz concert will leave you asking for more. Don't forget to mark the date!

Pour le concert d'ouverture du 5ème festival Live in Accra Jazz, deux chorales soutenues par l'Orchestre symphonique national reprennent des classiques du jazz avec une touche de classique pour un concert inoubliable. Réservez votre soirée !

SAT.
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APRIL



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THE ESSENCE OF HARMONY

WORKSHOP

ESSENCE OF HARMONY

WORKSHOP

One of the essential bases of music lies in creating harmony. With this special 3 day intensive workshop, participants will be schooled on what harmony is, why it is essential to creating music and how to easily access it. This workshop will be facilitated by the keyboard maestro Victor Dey Jr. who will train musicians, music lovers, singers from across all genres for this all important workshop. *To register call 0501287808 (open to all).*

Dans cet atelier de trois jours, les participants apprendront ce qu'est l'harmonie, en quoi elle est essentielle et comment la créer. Un atelier conduit par le maître du clavier Victor Dey Jr. et destiné aux musiciens, amoureux de la musique, chanteurs de tous horizons (ouvert à tous).

TUES.-THURS.

17-19 APRIL



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Hungarian Cultural Week



HUNGARIAN CULTURAL WEEK FINAL CONCERT

CONCERT

Sena Dagadu and friends bring to the climax of activities to the end the Hungarian Culture Week in an epic concert you don't want to miss.

Sena Dagadu et ses amis nous emmènent dans un concert épique, point d'orgue de la Semaine culturelle hongroise.

FRI.
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APRIL



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STEVE BEDI CONCERT

"Steve Bedi Live in Concert featuring Sandra Huson" this special concert headlined by ace saxophonist Steve Bedi will engage patrons as he belts out tune after tune from his saxophone. Expect delightful tunes from his albums old and new. He will be accompanied by the delightful singer, Sandra Huson. Definitely not to be missed for anything. See you there!

Le grand saxophoniste Steve Bedi et la chanteuse Sandra Huson vous proposent un concert où ils reprendront des morceaux d'albums anciens et en présenteront de nouveaux. À ne pas manquer !

SAT.
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APRIL



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COSMO RAVE

LA PAILLOTE

This entertaining mid-week concert features young talents who will thrill the audience with an interesting blend of contemporary Highlife and Hip-life tunes played from a jazzy perspective as well as drama and dance thereby creating a cosmopolitan fusion of all art forms. This concert will feature the young talent Kwesi Klutse, The Soul Groove Band, Rashid and a host of young talents.

De jeunes talents pour un concert de milieu de semaine: highlife contemporaine et hip-life dans des arrangements jazzy, théâtre et danse, fusion de tous les genres. Avec Kwesi Klutse, The Soul Groove Band, Rashid et d'autres artistes prometteurs.

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APRIL



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WOMEN'S LIFESTYLE EXPO

FAIR

Presenting the 4th Women's Expo, Ghana, 2018, the go-to platform for women who want to find new products and services for their professional, personal and family needs, acquire new knowledge about known and unknown brands and expand their network. Don't miss the fashion show on Friday night. See you!

La 4ème Women's Expo Ghana est LA plateforme pour les femmes à la recherche de nouveaux produits et services professionnels, personnels et familiaux. C'est LE rendez-vous où vous saurez tout sur les marques et étendez vos réseaux.

FRI.-SAT.

27-28 APRIL

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BWAKORÉ

CONCERT

While building bridges between traditional and modern musics of Martinique, the music of the group Bwakoré is also open to the world and is based on various musical expressions mixed with shades of Jazz, sometimes Rock, and today's music scenes.

Héritier de la Martinique traditionnelle et moderne, Bwakoré propose une musique ouverte sur le monde, mêlant jazz, rock et musiques contemporaines.

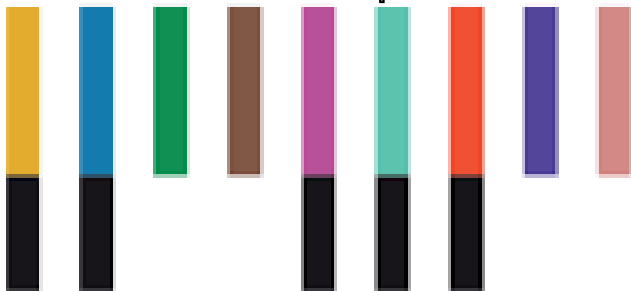
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+233 Jazz Bar and Grill presents



International Jazz Day

**INTERNATIONAL
JAZZ DAY**

CONCERT
AT +233
JAZZ BAR & GRILL

To commemorate international Jazz Day +233 Jazz Bar and Grill presents to you an interesting blend of musicians that will embody the true meaning of Jazz. This will be the ultimate Jazz lover's dream. Not to be missed.

À l'occasion de la Journée Internationale du Jazz, le +233 Jazz Bar and Grill présente un plateau d'artistes qui personnifient la vraie signification du jazz pour une soirée de rêve pour les amateurs.

MON.
30
APRIL



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ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE ACCRA

LET'S HELP YOU CONNECT.

LEARN TWI

(THE DOMINANT LANGUAGE SPOKEN IN GHANA)



**CLASS STARTS ON:
26TH FEBRUARY 2018**

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TANDEM - LANGUAGE PARTNER

Wed. 14th March / 25th April - 6:30pm to 7:30pm

Multimedia library, Alliance Française Accra.

FREE EVENT

For more info contact: assist-mediatheque@afaccra.org



BOOK CLUB SESSION

Wed. 7th March / 18th April - 6:30pm to 7:30pm

Multimedia library, Alliance Française Accra.

FREE EVENT

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THEATRE WORKSHOP

Every Monday -7.30pm to 9.30pm

Exhibition Hall, Alliance Française Accra.

1 class = 30 GHC / 27 GHC (AF. Students & Members)



KARAOKE

Thursdays 8th March / 26th April - 12pm-1:00pm

Exhibition Hall, Alliance Française Accra.

FREE EVENT

Contact Lola directly at the Multimedia Library
for info & song requests.

LUNCHTIME CINECLUB

DAYDREAM SHOW TIME



Lunchtime Cineclub
Every Wednesday at 12PM
FREE EVENT



Venue: Exhibition Hall

In French with English subtitles or English with French subtitles



7TH MARCH
100% CACHEMIRE



25TH APRIL
LES MALHEURS DE
SOPHIE



GOOD FRANCE



2018

A Taste of France in Ghana!



The 4th edition Goût de / Good France 2018, a worldwide festival of French Gastronomy will take place on March 21, 2018. Restaurants all across the Globe, on this day, will present a French-inspired menu to their clients.

In Ghana, like last year, restaurants in Accra and other cities, will participate in this edition bringing you a delectable French inspired menu on the 21st March*.

So if you wish to try the French food here, please save the date: March 21, 2018. The list of participating restaurants where you can taste the French cuisine, will soon be declared on the Facebook pages of Alliance Française d'Accra and French Embassy in Ghana.

For more information on the event, please visit

<https://gh.ambafrance.org/> ;
<https://www.facebook.com/france.ghana/>



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