









AllianceFrançaise Côte du Nord FRENCH FILM FESTIVAL

Friday 24 August 6.30pm • JALOUSE (JEALOUS) Comedy M 107 mins

Directors: David Foenkinos, Stéphane Foenkinos • Cast: Karin Viard, Dara Tombroff, Anne Dorval Nathalie, a middle-aged, divorced University Professor, changes from being an affectionate woman to being irrepressibly jealous of everyone close to her. Her best friend, her new colleague, her exhusband... everyone finds themselves at the mercy of her eccentric behaviour. Even her beautiful 18year old daughter Mathilde! Entangled by her sarcastic nature and conflicted emotions, Nathalie navigates through this unexpected mid-life crisis in a funny, touching... and politically incorrect way.

Saturday 25 August 2pm • JUSQU'À LA GARDE (CUSTODY) Drama M 102 mins

Director: Xavier Legrand • Cast: Denis Ménochet, Léa Drucker, Thomas Gioria, Mathilde Auneveux, Mathieu Saikaly, Florence Janas, Saadia Bentaïeb, Sophie Pincemaille

Miriam and Antoine Besson have divorced and Miriam is seeking sole custody of their son Julien to protect him from a father she claims is violent. Antoine pleads his case as a scorned dad whose children have been turned against him by their vindictive mother. Unsure who is telling the truth, the appointed judge rules in favour of joint custody. A hostage to the escalating conflict between his parents, Julien is pushed to the edge to prevent the worst from happening.

Saturday 25 August 5pm • AU REVOIR LÀ-HAUT (SEE YOU UP THERE) Drama MA 117 mins

Director: Albert Dupontel • Cast: Nahuel Pérez Biscayart, Albert Dupontel, Laurent Lafitte (of the Comédie Française), Niels Arestrup, Émilie Dequenne, Mélanie Thierry

November 1919. France glorifies the dead but is incapable of helping the survivors of the war. Albert and Édouard, two survivors of the trenches, one a humble accountant, the other a brilliant designer, decide to set up a war memorial scam. In the France of the Roaring 20s, the undertaking will prove to be as dangerous as it is spectacular.

Sunday 26 August 2pm • AURORE (I GOT LIFE) Comedy/Drama M 89 mins

Director: Blandine Lenoir • Cast: Agnès Jaoui, Thibault de Montalembert, Pascale Arbillot Separated from her husband, Aurore also loses her job and to top it off, she learns that she will soon be a grandmother. She suddenly realises that society is pushing her gently aside, but when she unexpectedly encounters the love of her youth, Aurore decides to rebel by refusing to accept the cards she has been dealt. What if a new life was about to be offered to her?

Sun 26 August 5pm · L'ATELIER (WORKSHOP) Drama M 113 mins

Director: Laurent Cantet • Cast: Marina Foïs, Matthieu Lucci, Florian Beaujean

Antoine (Matthieu Lucci) has agreed to take part in a writing workshop, where several young people are being integrated into the world of work by penning a noir fiction with the help of Olivia (Marina Foïs), a widely respected novelist. This writing task will force them to revisit the town's industrial past and its dockyard that has been shut for the last 25 years. Feeling more closely connected to the anxieties of the modern world, the young man quickly starts rebelling against the group and against Olivia, who is simultaneously startled and drawn in by Antoine's violent nature.

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