

Vietnam: Festival of Culture 09

19th - 31st October 2009



A series of events in and around central London, celebrating the best of Vietnamese arts and culture, will run from the 19th-31st October 2009.

From an evening of music and entertainment from the Vietnamese National Theatre at Cadogan Hall, to an exclusive film festival at the Cine Lumiere.

This is a unique opportunity to experience the delights of Vietnamese culture.

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ciné lumière vietnamese film season



The Black Forest

Vietnam | 2003 | col | 90 mins | dir. Vuong Duc, with Thach Kim Long, Tran Dung, Nguyen Kieu Trinh | cert. PG

This film tells the story of the disintegration of a family of lumber workers, who dare to venture into the old forest, cutting down the ancient trees and violating the divine spirits. In one day a series of mysterious events occur that will change their lives forever; the day of black rain.

thu 29 oct 6.15pm | £5, conc. £3
fri 30 oct 8.30pm | £5, conc. £3



Don't Burn It

Vietnam | 2009 | col | 105 mins | dir. Dang Nhat Minh, with Minh Huong, Minh Trang, Michael Jarmus | cert. PG

Based around the contents of a diary owned by a young female doctor during the Vietnam War, this film tells of the pain and suffering that the young doctor must encounter daily. When the diary is discovered by an American soldier, his anti-war feelings are strengthened by the empathy he feels for the doctor's plight.

thu 29 oct 8.30pm | £5, conc. £3
sat 31 oct 3.00pm | £5, conc. £3



The Story of Pao

Vietnam | 2005 | col | 95 mins | dir. Ngo Quang Hai, with Do Thi Hai Yen, Do Hoa Thuy, Nguyen Nhu Quynh | cert. PG

Set in a small village in the Northern Mountains of Vietnam, *The Story of Pao* is a tale of relationships, secrets and passion. Pao's simple and happy life is disrupted by a tragic event which helps her discover the truth about her family and her past.

fri 30 oct 6.15pm | £5, conc. £3
sat 31 oct 9.00pm | £5, conc. £3

