

SPECIAL EVENT

FRENCH RENDEZ-VOUS PRESENTS

French Rendez-Vous 2007 runs from 13 June to Bastille Day on 14 July, celebrating French culture in all capital cities across Australia.

Vive la France - Vive l'Australie!

VISUAL ARTS EXHIBITION – THE HERMETIQUES

6 – 16 July

French Rendez-Vous presents artist Marc Sordello's debut exhibition. This collection of paintings reflects the exploration of the human psyche. Marc pays homage to renowned Swiss psychiatrist Karl Jung, whose unique and influential approach to psychology emphasised understanding the psyche through dreams, mythology, world religion and philosophy.

FREE ENTRY. Weekdays 10am – 4pm

Friday 6 & Saturday 7 July, 8pm

LA PASSION

French Rendez-Vous presents *Archetype*, a short film by French artist Marc Sordello. The story of a woman who falls deeply in love and is unable to control her feelings, this artistic film recreates the popular French 'roman photo', a sentimental genre of romantic photos and text portraying love and passion that dates to the postwar period. Join in the discussion on the relationship between Marc's film and his visual works.

\$14 Door \$12 Presale \$10 KULCHA Members

Sunday 8 July, 7pm

L'ANGLAIS TEL QU'ON LE PARLE

L'Anglais Tel Qu'on Le Parle, or *English How We Speak It*, is a comedy that screams the hilarity of language barriers. Written by Tristan Bernard at the beginning of the twentieth century, the play tells the story of a young English girl who leaves home to stay with her boyfriend in Paris. Presented in both French and English, *L'Anglais Tel Qu'on Le Parle* plays on the comical mishaps and misunderstandings that occur when translations go awry.

\$14 Door \$12 Presale \$10 KULCHA Members

Wednesday 11 & Thursday 12 July, 8pm

GREENHEAD FILM SCREENING

Greenhead, by Mark Howett, is the tale of three men in the outback. Filmed on the hot, windswept Western Australian coastline, the short film stars acclaimed Indigenous actor Kelton Pell (*One Night the Moon*, *Australian Rules*), with debut performances from Matthew de la Hunty and Derek Kreckler. The screening will be followed by performances from Jeff Strong, Matthew de la Hunty and Rod Radali.

\$14 Door \$12 Presale \$10 KULCHA Members

(Film contains strong language and drug references)

WORKSHOPS

Wednesdays 25 July – 12 September

4 – 5pm*

KULCHA KIDS DRUMMING CIRCLE

Come in from the rain and join in the fun of the KULCHA Kids Drumming Circle! Have fun and learn basic percussion skills and African djembe drumming at our after-school classes. Facilitated by Martin Phillips of Rhythmfix and popular world music bands Dunumba, Shangara Jive and Funkalleros. Drums provided and beginners welcome. Early bookings recommended.

Eight week course \$80/\$75 KULCHA members
\$12/\$10 KULCHA Members per casual class



Mondays 2 July – 30 July, 7.30 – 9pm*

SALSA CLASSES

Move to the spicy rhythm of salsa! Join Liliana from the Ritmo Caliente Dance Academy and learn to dance to the exotic rhythms of salsa, merengue and cha-cha! Beginner and advanced dancers welcome. No partner required. Bookings for the next eight week course are now open.

Eight week course \$100 per person/\$180 per couple
\$18 per casual class



SCHOOL HOLIDAY WORKSHOP

Thursday 19 July, 10.30 – 11.30am

CAPOEIRA FOR CHILDREN

Get moving these school holidays with Capoeira, a unique fight-dance, game and martial art from Brazil. Learn basic techniques and enjoy the blend of acrobatics, maculele, samba, forro, carnival drumming and dancing. Capoeira developed in Brazil, where Africans, Portuguese, native Indians and other cultures combined to create this unique ritual. Early bookings recommended.

\$11 Presale \$10 KULCHA Members



VENUE INFORMATION



Doors open 30 minutes before the performance ~ Tickets available at the venue Monday to Friday 9.30am – 4.30pm, through BOGS ticketing 9484 1133 & www.kulcha.com.au (booking fees apply) ~ Licensed premises, no BYO ~ The information here may be subject to change ~ The venue and the balcony are both SMOKE FREE ~ KULCHA has a no refund policy ~ Unreserved cabaret seating ~ No wheelchair access ~ * Denotes no free list

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Saturday 21 July, 8pm*

A MEETING WITH SAMUEL DASS & GLENN ROGERS



Delight in a blending of worlds as Indian and jazz traditions are melded for a unique result. Witness this beautiful collaboration between multi-award winning sitar maestro Samuel Dass, accomplished jazz guitarist and composer Glenn Rogers and leading Australian tabla player Vick Ramakrishnan. Celebrate the differences and similarities of these popular improvisational styles and enjoy an evening of musical fusion.

\$16 Door \$14 Presale \$12 KULCHA Members

Sunday 1 July, 7pm*

JALI BUBA KUYATEH

Enjoy a journey into Mandinkan traditions and Griot customs as Jali Buba Kuyateh and his band Diyaa Looloo present a night of West African delights. Their polished performance will include traditional kora, vocals, percussion, dancing and electric violin to transport you to another culture. A brilliant musical experience, these infectious melodies are sure to stick in your mind. Touring WA for kultour.

\$16 Door \$14 Presale \$12 KULCHA Members



Saturday 14 July, 8pm*

HEADS WE'RE DANCING

Heads We're Dancing presents a unique blend of striking rhythms and melodies, strong lyrics and a big global groove to get you moving on the dance floor. Described as energetic, inspiring and innovative, their performances have attracted an enthusiastic local and international audience. Special guest DJ MisChief will warm the crowd up before Heads We're Dancing whips up a musical storm.

\$14 Door \$12 Presale \$10 KULCHA Members



Friday 27 July, 8pm

THE HARMONY PROJECT: A QUESTION OF BELONGING

North Lake SC and Melville SHS students from over 25 different countries present their take on an ideal world through a fusion of drama and soundscapes. RRaFT Educators, in partnership with KULCHA and the Fremantle Multicultural Centre, presents this celebration of diversity. Funded by the Department of Immigration and Citizenship's Living in Harmony program.

\$14 Door \$12 Presale \$10 KULCHA Members

Tuesday 3 July, 8pm

LINA ANDONOVSKA & HAROLD GRETTON

One of Australia's newest chamber ensembles, Lina Andonovska and Harold Gretton, present an enchanting evening of flute and guitar. The duo study at Canberra School of Music and their repertoire includes tangos by Piazzolla, Brazilian dances by Machado, the atmospheric melodies of Takemitsu and Eastern flavours of Bartok. Delight in this eclectic night of traditional and contemporary tunes!

\$14 Door \$12 Presale \$10 KULCHA Members



Sunday 15 July, 6pm*

MILICA ILIC WITH PAUL WRIGHT

Classical guitarist extraordinaire Milica Ilic returns to KULCHA during her visit from the UK. Joining her is violinist Paul Wright, professor at the University of Western Australia, who features on all of Milica's albums and is a feature violinist of the Kashtany Duo. Enjoy a night of technical amazement, entertainment and laughter as Milica and Paul present their favourite classical and contemporary pieces.

\$18 Door \$16 Presale \$14 KULCHA Members



Saturday 28 July, 8pm*

SANTIAGO DE CUBA

The Australia-Cuba Friendship Society presents the ultimate Cuban Carnival! A party to end all parties with popular Latin band Son Latino presenting an explosion of Cuban rhythms to seduce and entice you to the dance floor. Learn sensual salsa tips from diva dance instructor Liliانا Sputore and enjoy Latin food and traditional Cuban mojitos at the KULCHA bar as you party into the night!

\$22 Door \$20 Presale/KULCHA Members

Friday 13 July, 8pm*

SITAR MAESTRO – SAMUEL DASS

KULCHA welcomes world sitar master Samuel Dass direct from Malaysia for one very special solo show. Recently silencing all critics, Samuel won seven gold medals at the International Performing Arts Championships in Los Angeles, including Best Soloist and Best World Musician. At home either in an Indian classical concert or a jazz session, Samuel J Dass weaves pure sitar music. Don't miss this special event as the modern-day Ravi Shankar dazzles you with his amazing technique and depth of knowledge.

\$16 Door \$14 Presale \$12 KULCHA Members



Friday 20 July, 8pm

EAST TIMORESE COMMUNITY EVENT

Join us for a night of East Timorese song and art as we celebrate the culture of Timor Leste. East Timorese artist Maria Madeira launches her visual arts exhibition *Lian Tatoli* and the Harmonious choir presents traditional songs. Jah Era will end the night with their eclectic fusion of East Timorese, African and Reggae music – a cocktail of dance rhythms and melodic phrases. Sponsored by Melville Friends of Lete-Foho Inc, a Melville City Council friendship program.

\$10 Door/Presale \$8 KULCHA Members

VISUAL ARTS EXHIBITION

From 20 July

LIAN TATOLI by Maria Madeira



East Timorese artist Maria Madeira celebrates the culture of Timor Leste and raises awareness of the beauty and talent that lies within the East Timorese community with her artwork. The exhibition will showcase 30 pieces of Maria's work, created using traditional techniques and materials, including the betel nut and cloth, and the East Timorese symbol kaibauk.

FREE ENTRY
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