

GOATMILK festival 2009, May 22nd- 24th

Gorna Bela Rechka

Bulgaria

Powered by the New Culture Factory

Off-festival:

21 May, Thursday

19.00 1989 and the Turkish questions – *remembering the painful wave of migrating Bulgarian Turks who left Bulgaria in the summer of 1989*

Conversations, video and films – Raycho Stanev, Adem Murat and Goatmilk friends

22.00 conversation and tea with Stanislav Miler, Goatmilk friend and traveller, after the biggest journey in his life – Iran, India, Nepal, Pakistan and more.

Workshops:

belly dancing during the whole festival: Adem Murat & friends

17.00 Friday, 22 May

15.00 Saturday, 23 May

11.00 Sunday, 24 May

Festival Programme :

We devote this year's festival to the topic:

1989 – trauma or miracle?

!Action: bring a family photo from 1989 to create a temporary family gallery of us in 1989
Bring also a book you connect with communism and make it a donation for our Personal Library of Communism.

22nd of May, Friday

Opening, warming up, welcome drinks

19.00 violin concert at the bell place – Magdalena Valchanova

Premiere of the book "How to do a bell: A guidebook", a common project of Janet 45 Publishing House and New Culture Factory

20.30 1989 through the first independent camera in Bulgaria – the cameraman Evgeny Mihajlov is showing raw material from the events in Sofia and talks on that time

22.00 jazz with Miroslava Kazarova, Hristo Jozov, Rumen Toskov and Vesselin Vesselinov – Eko

23.30 Open air screenings - animation films by Compot Collective

+festival extra : Raycho Stanev invites to an open bar near the rakia distillery Райчо
(20.30 до 22.30)

23rd of May, Saturday

All day events:

Visual archive 1989: installation with personal objects & photos that the guests of the festival connect with 1989: moderator Vessela Nozharova+ open talk with tea at 20.00

89 in the Northwest: visual traces, videos, photos: show, installation made by students and teachers in Vidin, Vratza, Montana and Varshets.

Moderators: Chris Baldwin (Spiral, Spain) and Mariana Assenova

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10.30 – 15.00

Seminar: how 1989 exist in the school text books? How to use art in communicating the recent past to kids in school?

1st session: sharing personal experiences by teachers from the Northwest and guests of the festival (Spain, Czech republic, Poland and others)

2nd session: ideas for the future

Moderator: Mariana Assenova

15.00

Tea conversation with Zlatko Enev, the "Liberal Review" editor – for 1989 seen from Berlin and the transition, emigration and more

Moderator: Antina Zlatkova

16.00

Tea conversation with Iranian photographer (living in Canada) Babak Salari about his new book "Remembering the people of Afghanistan"

Moderator: Radmila Mladenova

17.00 – 19.30

Debate: 1989 and the Northwest – what is that we do not know and are afraid to ask?

Moderator: Diana Ivanova and students from Montana, Vratza, Vidin and Varshetz

22.00 concert big hall Milena Karadzhova, folk-jazz

23.00 concert big hall Salamura, Turkey

Open air screenings

Sometime after 00.00 DJ Dosju Amudzhiev

24th of May, Sunday

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The language of 1989 – part of the trauma or the miracle? – conversation about the words of the media in 1989

Peter Dobrev, student in journalism, Sofia University

12.00

How to talk on 1989 today? – conversation with Krzysztof Czyżewski, Borderland Foundation, Poland, Boyan Znepolski, Sofia University and guests of the festival

moderator: Yurij Valkovski

13.00

concert brass band Varshetz

+extras: mountain walks

Open air games

Biking

And your ideas

19.00

film screenings and music improvisations

with Mamapapa (Czech Republic) & Goatmilk friends

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