

**ARGENTINE FILM FESTIVAL** Wild Tales (2014, above), the celebrated anthology film by Damian Szifron, tells six stories about the extremes humans go to during distressing times. One story, for example, is about

the Best Foreign Language Oscar as well as the Palme d'Or at Cannes, is one of six films showing at the Argentine Film Festival this month. WHERE: The Projector, Level 5 Golden Mile Tower, 6001 Beach Road

The film, which was nominated for

#### SCREAM ASIA FILM FESTIVAL Get your scream on.

At the inaugural Scream Asia Film Festival, catch 11 horror films that will suit every horror movie taste whether it is British film Ghost Stories (2017), starring Martin Freeman; or Japanese offering Tokyo Living Dead Idol (2018), about a popular female idol who gets bitten by a zombie. Singapore's own Zombiepura (above), about a zombie virus outbreak in a local army camp, has

been selected as the opening film. The festival is not happening until next month, but given how popular horror movies are in Singapore, it is probably a good idea to book tickets early.

WHERE: The Cathay, 2 Handy Road

what happens after a teenager commits a hit-and-run on a pregnant woman, while another has an angry bride seeking vengeance on her groom after discovering that he cheated on her with a wedding guest.

MRT: Nicoll Highway WHEN: Thursday to Sept 23, various times ADMISSION: \$13.50 from theprojector.sg

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MRT: Dhoby Ghaut WHEN: Oct 19 to 28, various times ADMISSION: \$13 from www.cathaycineplexes.com.sg

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### FILMS

#### The Passenger (1975, PG)

Jack Nicholson plays David Locke, a disillusioned American reporter who is sent on a gruelling mission to North Africa, but he makes little progress with the story. When he discovers the body of a stranger, who looks similar to him, he assumes the dead man's identity because he wants to start life over again. He discovers that the man was an arms dealer, leading him into dangerous situations. Aided by a beautiful woman (Maria Schneider), Locke attempts to avoid both the police and criminals out to get him. WHERE: The Projector, Level 5 Golden Mile Tower, 6001 Beach Road MRT: Nicoll Highway WHEN: Sun, 5pm; Sept 30, 4.30pm **ADMISSION:** \$13.50 (standard), \$11.50 (concession) **INFO:** the projector.sg

#### The German Doctor (2013, PG13)

Having adopted a new identity, Nazi war criminal Joseph Mengele finds refuge in Patagonia and befriends the family of a 12-year-old girl as they struggle to reopen an inherited hotel. The film is inspired by the true story of an Argentine family who lived with Mengele without knowing his true identity. He was a German Schutzstaffel officer and physician at the Auschwitz concentration camp during World War II. WHERE: Green Room, The Projector, Level 5 Golden Mile Tower, 6001 Beach Road MRT: Nicoll Highway WHEN: Thu, 8pm ADMISSION: \$13.50 (standard), \$11.50 (concession)

### NATURE

INFO: theprojector.sg

#### Introduction To Bonsai

In this workshop led by Tay Kiah Phuang from the Yuhua Bonsai & Artistic Stone Club, participants will learn about bonsai plants and artistic stones and get to take their own bonsai plant home. WHERE: Bonsai Garden Main Hall, Jurong Lake Gardens MRT: Chinese Garden WHEN: Sept 22, 9 - 11am ADMISSION: \$20; to register, go to

### www.nparks.gov.sg INFO: E-mail JurongLakeGardens@nparks.gov.sg

### TOURS

Amara Heritage Trail At Sentosa Participants will discover the nature and history within Amara Sanctuary Resort Sentosa as they explore World War II-related sites, uncover stories and get glimpses of the lives of British soldiers in the colonial era. WHERE: Amara Sanctuary Resort Sentosa (meet at lobby), 1 Larkhill Road MRT: HarbourFront WHEN: Sat & Sun, 10 - 11am ADMISSION: \$18 (\$12 for Amara Sanctuary in-house guests) TEL: 6825-3888 INFO: E-mail sentosa@amarasanctuary.com

### CONTEST

#### **Zespri Human Pinball For Singapore Book Of Records**

Teams of five or 10 are invited to join this record-breaking experience at the Zespri Human Pinball Arena, where they can join capsule fitness classes by WeBarre and Boom Singapore throughout the day. There are two team prizes -Best Game Played and Best Dressed Team - to be won every hour. WHERE: The Ground Theatre, Scape, 2 Orchard Link MRT: Somerset WHEN: Sept 26, 6 - 10pm ADMISSION/INFO: Free, sign up at zesprihumanpinball.com; spectators welcome

#### **Oral History Video Challenge** To commemorate its 50th

anniversary, the National Archives of Singapore (NAS) has launched the first Oral History Video Challenge. Contestants should choose from more than 120 pre-selected oral history extracts across the themes of the Arts, Japanese Occupation, Communities of Singapore and Sports, and submit a two-to three-minute video - in the form of illustrations, animation or re-enactments - that depicts their understanding of the extracts.

Complete the online entry form and upload the unlisted video submission onto YouTube. Prizes of up to \$2,500 are up for grabs. WHERE: nas.gov.sg/OHvideo challenge WHEN: Closing date: Dec 10 (11.59pm) ADMISSION: Free minimum age: 13)

## KIDS

#### **Pinkfong Baby Shark Live Musical**

The production tells the story of the Shark Family, who have been living in Ocean Land peacefully with their marine neighbours until the playful little Baby Shark disappears. Daddy Shark immediately calls Pinkfong for help. Doors open 90 minutes earlier for pre-show activities such as colouring and origami-making. WHERE: MES Theatre, 1 Stars Avenue MRT: one-north WHEN: Nov 2, 2.30 & 6.30pm; Nov 3 & 4, 10.30am, 2.30 & 6.30pm ADMISSION: \$58 - \$88, VIP: \$128, including meet-greetphoto pass with Pinkfong & Baby Shark TEL: 6348-5555 INFO: www.sistic.com.sg

### **OTHERS**

#### La Putri & Singapore Brides **Event: All About Wedding** Jewellery

Get an insider look at modern bridal jewellery and wedding styling, as well as the world of precious gemstones and fine craftsmanship at this event at the La Putri boutique. WHERE: 02-15 Mandarin Gallery, 333A Orchard Road MRT: Orchard/ Somerset WHEN: Sept 22, 1-5pm (register for a slot to take part) ADMISSION: Free INFO: laputri.com

#### SG Farmers' Market

More than 20 Singapore farmers will gather at myVillage @ Serangoon Garden next weekend to sell produce such as vegetables, eggs, fish and mushrooms. Activities include stage games. cooking demonstrations by celebrity chefs and lucky dips. WHERE: myVillage @ Serangoon Garden, 1 Maju Avenue MRT: Lorong

ADMISSION: Free INFO: ava.gov.sg

### LAST CALL

#### Nature Appreciation Walk At **Bukit Timah Nature Reserve**

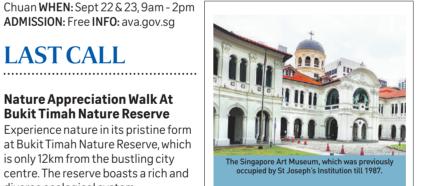
Experience nature in its pristine form at Bukit Timah Nature Reserve, which is only 12km from the bustling city centre. The reserve boasts a rich and diverse ecological system. WHERE: Bukit Timah Nature Reserve (meet at Visitor Centre's Front Courtyard), Hindhede Drive MRT: Beauty World WHEN: Tomorrow, 9.30 - 10.30am ADMISSION: Free INFO: E-mail lim\_siew\_hong@nparks.gov.sg

#### Love In The Moonlight -**Together For All**

This Mid-Autumn Festival, gather your loved ones for this community and fund-raising event by social service organisation Shan You that advocates good mental health and provides social care for the elderly and less privileged. The events will take place at the S.E.A. Aquarium and The Coliseum. There will be food, games and performances at The Coliseum.

WHERE: S.E.A. Aquarium & The Coliseum, Resorts World Sentosa, 8 Sentosa Gateway MRT: HarbourFront WHEN: Sun, 5.30 -9.30pm ADMISSION: \$30 (adult), \$20 (child), \$80 (family package for two adults & two children), go to goo.gl/EV1KHN for tickets TEL: 6741-9293 INFO: E-mail info@shanyou.org.sg

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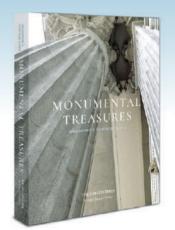


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