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Pangea Day - a celebration of the power of film

It featured films that were funny, sad, gorgeous, stark – and powerful. Voices that had never been heard before. Things many had never seen. Scenes from worlds few had visited. A cross-section of our amazing, complicated, noisy, beautiful world.

Pangea Day was celebrated in Bitola on May 10th! American Corner Bitola organized a public viewing event of this first time world event. American Corner Bitola with the support of the NGO YMCA, the Municipality of Bitola, MOBI Cable and Intermezzo Café successfully set up projections of the event on three locations: one on the Sirok Sokak, one at the Intermezzo café and one at the American Corner. The event attracted a large audience in the center of the city and most significantly, involved Bitola actively into this world event through the pictures that were sent from all the three locations on the main page of the event (www.pangeaday.org).

What is Pangea Day?

Pangea Day is a global event bringing the world together through film, a 4 hour long program of short films, music performances and speakers from locations in Cairo, Kigali, London, Los Angeles, Mumbai, and Rio de Janeiro were linked for a live program of powerful films, live music, and visionary speakers.

The program presented 24 short documentaries, all selected by their power to inspire and transform, music performances from famous musicians like Brazilian legend Gilberto Gil, rock stars Bob Geldof and Dave Stewart, and the underground Iranian indie rockers Hypernova; Speakers, visionaries and hosts varied from Jordan's Queen Noor to former boy soldier Ishmael Beah, from journalist Mariane Pearl to planetary explorer Carolyn Porco, from CNN's Christiane Amanpour to famous actress and journalist like Meg Ryan and Lisa Ling, we heard powerful stories and mind-expanding new ideas.

American Corner Bitola once again demonstrated itself to be a genuine part of the community with this event. The Pangea Day in Bitola also received local media coverage.

Pictures below



Countdown to the start of Pangea Day



Projection from Café bar Intermezzo

