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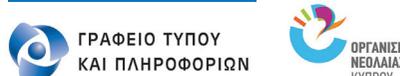
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10:00-22:00 ΕΙΣΟΔΟΣ ΕΛΕΥΘΕΡΗ

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08 october, friday

Conference Room «SPILIES»

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Educational Workshops

- 15:30 INTERACTIVE CREATIVE EXPRESSION WORKSHOP**
Ideas, thoughts, shapes and colors (maximum number of participants 40)
An experiential interactive workshop of creative expression. The participants will make their own paper mask by recalling their own experiences and experiences lived during the period of confinement. The workshop is based on the book **The smile is also visible through the eyes** authored by teachers **Katia Savvidou** and **Erika Dimitriou**.
Organized by EN TYPOIS Publications.
- 16:30 EDUCATIONAL ILLUSTRATION WORKSHOP**
How the words come to life (maximum number of participants 30)
Eva A workshop for teachers and parents aimed at developing skills in the illustration and highlighting of the role of the image in the narration.
Organized by the Union of Graphic Designers and Illustrators of Cyprus.
- 17:30 POETRY TRANSLATION WORKSHOP** (Greek / Turkish)
The art of translating poetry (maximum number of participants 30 20)
Poets from both communities will be invited to translate the poetry of the "Other" in their own language. The purpose of this workshop is cultural exchange and mutual cultural inspiration. Through direct communication, any linguistic misunderstandings and problems that arise in the translation process will be put to reflection and resolution in the duration of the workshop.
(knowledge of English is compulsory).
Organized by the Cyprus Artists and Writers Association
- 19:30 Book Presentation**
Sylvain Berro, Armandos Josephine and the Latins of Cyprus
(maximum number of participants 40)
The presence and contribution of the Latin community in the Cypriot society from a different perspective. Two prominent personalities in two new publications.
Organized by the Press and Information Office

09 october, saturday

Presentations

- 10:00 FESTIVAL OPENING**
- 10:45 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Hambis, the engraver
by Hambis Tsangaris
Presentation of Hambis the creator, the man and the work of a lifetime. Conversing with Spyros Armostis (linguist) and Christos Agiomamitis
Organized by the Nicosia Book Fest.
- 11:30 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Υγρό Γυαλί [Liquid Glass]
by Kostas Gouliamos
George Pittas converses with the author about his latest poetry collection.
- 12:15 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Η Δίκη του Ορέστη εν Θεάτρω (Το ματόδετρο)
[The Trial of Orestes in Theatro]
by Maria and Christia Mitleton
Presentation of the book by Stergios Mitos and discussion with the author Maria Mitleton
Organized by Hippasus Publications.
- 13:00 PRESENTATION of AUTHORS** **Literary Stage**
Presentation of the work of members of the CWU
Coordinator: Iosif Iosifides, President of the Cyprus Writers' Union.
- 16:00 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Young Cypriot poets
Néoi, Young, newly-emerging poets present their work and converse with the public. Participating George Papakonstantinou, Christos Genakritis, Alexandra Victor, Andreas Timotheou and Marios Georgiou.
- 16:45 DISCUSSION** **Literary Stage**
Books: Travel without restrictions
A tour of the world of writing and reading in times of confinement. The authors Eleni Artemiou Fotiadou, Costas Lympouris, Efosini Manta Lazarou, Panagiotis Nikolaidis, Emiliios Solomou, Maria Tziaouri Hilmer.
Organized by the Pancyprian Organisation for Promoting Literacy.
- 17:30 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Άντρες χωρίς άντρες [Men without men]
by Nikos Davvetas
Maria Monoyiou converses with the author.
- 18:15 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
VAKHIKON Publications
Presentation of the Cypriot series of Vakhikon poetry publications.
Organized by VAKHIKON Publications
- 19:00 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Εκεί που ζούμε [Where we live]
(National Literary Award of Cyprus 2019)
by Christos Kythreotis
George Meli (researcher) and Avgi Lilli are conversing with the author.
- 19:45 CULTURAL PRESENTATION** **Central Stage**
Pavlos Liasidis - 120 χρόνια από τη γέννηση του ποιητή
Cultural presentaiton dedicated to the great Cypriot folk poet.
Organized by to Nicosia Book Fest and the cultural magazine NEA EPOCHI.
- 20:00 MUSIC PERFORMANCE** **Central Stage**
The Beautiful City of Mikis
Musical tribute to the great Greek composer, Mikis Theodorakis.
Organized by the Nicosia Book Fest.

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Children's Stage

- 10:00 FESTIVAL OPENING**
- 10:30 PRESENTATION**
Smart Vs Online Smart Books: a strange war story
by Νικολέττας Καπίλλα
When they decide in a house to replace the library with a painting, books hear with horror that they will end up in recycling. They only have a few hours to make a plan to be saved! A fairy tale about reading and love for books.
- 11:15 PRESENTATION**
5 wishes and a star
by Fytoula Vakana
On a starry night, Elias and his friends prepare their wishes. But what happens when you can not think what you want to wish and time passes by? A fairy tale for children 3 years and older
Organized by βιβλιοπωλείο ΠΑΡΤΑ.
- 12:00 THEATRICAL PLAY**
Τα Ποδοσφαιρόνια [Los Futbolisimos]
A theatrical interactive presentation inspired by the book series "Los Futbolisimos" by Santiago Roberto from Patakis publications.
Organized by the Nicosia Book Fest.
- 15:00 TREASURE HUNT**
From book ... to book
The authors unlock the myth and lead you to the hidden treasure.
Organized by the Cyprus IBBY.
- 16:00 PRESENTATION**
The watermelon dinosaur
by Christoforos Christoforu
Our little friends, accompanied by the writer and illustrator Ioanna Kanari Papadopoulou, will make beautiful handicrafts inspired by the story of the watermelon dinosaur and will talk about the fairy tale.
- 16:45 MUSICAL PLAY**
Το γαλάζιο συνέδριο [The blue conference]
with Marina and Revecca Katsaris, Vangelis Yefitos and Louis Hadjiannou
A crazy underwater fairy tale with seafarers characters for young and old! A presentation that develops environmental consciousness through experiential interactive play.
Organized by the NGO Enalia Fysis Environmental Research Center and Birdlife Cyprus.
- 17:30 PRESENTATION**
The day we run out of ice cream
by Antonis Zarindas
Last night an ice cream maker gave the last ice cream! And somehow, a chain of misinformation begins. The author presents an original story about the consequences of misinformation
Organized by the bookshop PERIDIAVASI.
- 18:15 PRESENTATION**
Polka dot swimsuit
by Maria Prodromou
Aris tries to solve the riddle of the "polka dot swimsuit" and gives everyone enjoyable moments of mystery.
- 19:00 SCREENING OF ANIMATIONS**
Views of the Fantastic
Selection of children's animated films from the archive of the International Animation Festival Views of the World that have stood out in recent years
A collaboration with Animafest Cyprus.



10 october, sunday

Presentations

- 10:00 FESTIVAL OPENING**
- 10:45 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Η άγρια φλόγα [Wild flame]
by Thomas Kyriakou
Through his stories, longer, shorter or even tiny, the book raises its own questions about balance in nature, love and affection, friendship and heroism in everyday life. The book will be presented by Costas Michailides.
Organized by EN TYPOIS Publishers.
- 11:30 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Η εποχή της Σφήκας [The Age of the Wasp]
Ωδή των Ονείρων, για τη Λαρούσκα και άλλες συλλογές
[Ode to Dreams, for Larouska and other collections]
by Alasios
Presentation of the author 's books by Aris Georgiou and Sotiris Charalambous.
Organized by οι Εκδόσεις ΑΛΜΥΡΑ.
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VAKHIKON Publications
Presentation of the Cypriot series of short stories..
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- 15:50 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Anna of Cyprus
by Mary Pyrgos
Thekla Kyritsi converses with the author about her most recent book.
- 16:30 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Συμπτώματα [Symptoms]
by Christos R. Tsiailis
Dr. Andreas Antoniou (poet and translator) converses with the author about his latest poetry collection "Symptoms", publications Govosti, 2021. Excerpts from the collection are read by the poet.
- 17:10 PRESENTATION - DISCUSSION** **Literary Stage**
The Anthology of Peace
The editors of the publication are Maria Siakalli and Tamer Onzul present the new edition of the Union of Artists and Writers Of Cyprus. Moderator of the discussion: Maria Monoyiou.
Organized by the Cyprus Artists and Writers Association.
- 18:00 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Μέρες της Κηφισιάς [Days of Kifissia]
by Evanthia Mathioudaki
Kostas Lympouris presents the book and converses with the author.
- 18:45 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Παρά(εξήγησις) της Γλυκείας Χώρας Κύπρου
[Mis(ex)planation) of the Sweet Country of Cyprus]
Twenty-six novelists share their stories in a collection, where alienation and corruption are vividly reflected in the individual and society.
Moderator: Christos Hadjipapas.
- 19:30 PRESENTATION** **Literary Stage**
Είμαι όσα έχω ξεχάσει [I am what I have forgotten]
State Novel Literary Award of Greece 2019
by Elias Magklinis Μαγκκλίνης
Eleni Evagorou presents the book and converses with the author about his award-winning book.
- 20:30 THEATER PERFORMANCE** **Central Stage**
Waiting for Godot
Antilogos theater group presents the emblematic work of Samuel Beckett in the Cypriot dialect. Greek and Turkish, with lead actors George Kyriakou and Izel Seylani, directed by Costas Silvestrou

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Children's Stage

- 10:00 FESTIVAL OPENING**
- 10:30 CREATIVE WORKSHOP**
Ο Φοίβος και η Φάλαινα [Phoebus and the Whale]
by Anna Koupanou
A workshop with the author on the subject of the book, where the children will participate in the narration, write and draw pictures.
Organized by RIVERGATE bookshop.
- 11:15 PRESENTATION**
Πάμπλο, ένας καμβάς αναμνήσεις [Pablo, a canvas of memories]
by Antonis Sergis
The author narrates the adolescent age of the great painter Pablo Picasso (1881-1973). An exciting book that will inspire all the kids chasing their dreams!
Organized by the Nicosia Book Fest.
- 12:00 PRESENTATION**
Η επιστροφή του Δούρειου Ίππου [The return of the Trojan Horse]
Author: Despo Konizou-Loizia
Illustration: Eva Nikou
A modern fairy tale, with modern pedagogical concepts about the child, retains the mythical element, intertwines reality with imagination and cultivates energy consciousness. The book will be presented by the author
Organized by EN TYPOIS Publications.
- 15:00 BOOK LOVERS WORKSHOP**
Λύσε το Μυστήριο στο Πι και Φι, παρέα με την Πράκτορα Ασπράτη
[Solve the Mystery quickly, in the company of Agent Thunder]
by Yiota Diakou
Agent Thunder, through an interactive presentation, will show to our little friends all the tricks on how to solve mysteries, with humor, imagination and collaboration!
- 15:45 PRESENTATION**
Τρεις φακές και ένα ρεβύθι [Three lentils and one chickpea]
by Stavrula Periklou
33 stories and beautiful illustrations, will take on a journey of beautiful moments, with heroes from all over the animal and plant kingdom, but also humans. Everyone has their own story.
Organized by ELIAS EPIFANIOU Publications.
- 16:30 PRESENTATION**
Η ευχή της Μαρίνας [Marina's wish]
by Alexia Papachristoforou
An interactive presentation with theatrical play, music, visual arts creations and a precious gift, full of ... wishes!
Organized by PARGA Bookstores.
- 17:15 THEATER PERFORMANCE - PRESENTATION**
Περιπέτειες Καραντίνας [Quarantine Adventures]
Presentation of the publication of the young authors who took part in the writing competition organized by PROMITHEAS Research Institute during the quarantine period in March 2020.
Organized by the Nicosia Book Fest.
- 18:00 PRESENTATION**
Οδηγίες ζωής από μια αλεπού [Life instructions from a fox]
by Andriani Tsili
A fox called Ariadne takes off its wings. Fairies and magic gems make their appearance. A hare is transformed. A book to find all values of life.
Organized by PERIDIAVASI bookshop.
- 18:45 LITERARY ACTION**
Πειρατή... Ε, πειρατή! [Pirate ... Hey, pirate!]
Pirates, treasures, mysteries, storms and shipwrecks ... The CYBBY takes us on a journey in a playful way to "literary" worlds where the adventure and surprises never not stop.
Organized by CYBBY.