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## 9th INTERNATIONAL SURF FILM FESTIVAL

This season's leading cultural and surfing event, presented by Bruno Delaye Production and the city of Anglet, will celebrate its 9th edition from July 10th to July 13th 2012.

On the program: a large and eclectic selection of surf films, art exhibitions, live music, and surfing celebrities!

The films will be screened inside the Espace de l'Océan for the Jury and giant screens will be set up outdoors for the Festival's guests, on the boardwalk overlooking the ocean, with free access for the public to enjoy the selection of films in competition. Screenings are scheduled every day, from 4:30 pm to 8 pm, and from 10 pm till midnight.

Drawing from its previous successes, the 9th edition of the International Surf Festival of Anglet promises many surprises and high points. The line-up proposes no less than 20 films that have been carefully selected by a committee that includes Gibus de Soultrait, Editor in chief of Surf Session magazine.

Alongside the Jury members, the Festival this year has the privilege of having two honor presidents:

Joël De Rosnay

Renowned scientist and France's surf pioneer: Joel de Rosnay is « Adviser for la Cité des Sciences et de l'Industrie ». PhD in science, scientific writer and President of Biotics International. He has also been France's surf champion in 1960, longboard champion in the France Master in 1986, and three times participant to the world surf championships. In his new book « Surfer La Vie », published on May 16th 2012 at Editions LLL, « Les liens qui libèrent », he questions how to think and build tomorrow's world while surfing on life.

Jean-Louis Poupinel

Symbolic figure in the 80's French surf, Jean-Louis Poupinel has lead generations of local surfers through his performances (European champion in 1980) and his motivation. He's in charge today of the technical division of Quiksilver.



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## TRAILER

### SESSION #9 / IN BRIEF

#### FREE OUTDOORS SURF MOVIES SCREENED ON GIANT SCREENS

- In Competition:  
16 international films / 4 short films
- 1 film Out of Competition

#### INTERNATIONAL JURY

- The President of the Jury
- 7 Members
- 1 public vote - for the Conseil General 64 Award

#### AWARDS (« FINS ») INCLUDE:

- Best Film
- Best Film Music
- Best Shot
- Best Surfer
- Best Editing
- Internet-users Award endorsed by the Conseil Général 64
- Award endorsed by the Conseil Régional d'Aquitaine



### WHERE? WHEN? HOW?

- "Chambre d'Amour" in Anglet, Tuesday, July 10th - Friday, July 13th, 2012  
3-oceanfront screening sites, from 4:30 pm to 8 pm, and from 10 pm till midnight.  
Photo exhibition in « l'Espace de l'Océan »
- Free and open to all, complimentary sun chairs.

### THERE'S NO BETTER SCENERY

Ever since it first appeared on the Basque Coast in the 1950's, surfing has increasingly asserted itself. It must be said that Anglet, with its 4.5 km of beaches and its 11 surfing spots, is now recognized the world over as an inescapable surfing destination. The Surf Club de France was born in 1963 in the Chambre d'Amour, a symbolic location where the festival is hosted today.



## SCREENPLAY

### A GOOD SCENARIO

#### A FESTIVAL FOR ALL

The International Surf Festival was built around a strong ambition: to distinguish and reveal the artistic qualities of surf films to a large audience.

As the directors' creativity becomes greater every day and as there's an obvious lack of visibility of these productions in Europe, Surf film deserved an event up to its name. Through the quality of the selected films that offer an international scope of the most beautiful images of that genre, the International Surf Film Festival's purpose had been created, as a unique cultural and artistic event.

While offering an open space for all, situated outdoors and free of charge, this festival first serves the purpose of friendly moments of discussions about ideas on surf culture. During a screening, passing tourists, surf amateurs and professionals of board sports share the same deckchairs as to admire images shot all over the world.

### ZOOM IN: THE SURF FILM

#### WATER TALES...

As technologies develop, the shooting equipment for surf films has known a significant evolution. Simultaneously to this modernization, productions have greatly diversified while expressing a greater creativity. Over the last years, stories have been built through carefully written scripts beyond sensational images, musical scores have been especially created, and a true quest for esthetics and editing has become more present.

Among strong sensations, poetry, portraits, documentaries and drama, the Surf Film Festival establishes its style: water tales with a universal scope.

### SPOTLIGHT ON: AN ECO-FRIENDLY INITIATIVE

For the third consecutive year, Bruno Delaye Production, the city of Anglet and local company INOVECO have joined forces to organize an eco-friendly and responsible event, through practical and measurable actions at a local level:

- Transportation: Carpool promotion and extended service of public transportation to and from the event location at the Chambre d'Amour.
- Set-up and management of the event site: recyclable plastic glasses, low-energy LED screen, collaboration with local suppliers, waste separation, electric boxes instead of generators, dry toilets, etc.
- Communication: printing on recycled paper
- Organization of side events to raise public awareness with the "Surfeurs Solidaires" association



## THE PROGRAM

### RENDEZ-VOUS

Location: Le « Jardin de la grotte » in the « Chambre d'Amour »

Tuesday 10th of July, 9 :30 pm: Opening Ceremony with the participation of the Jury, partners and Festival planners.  
Friday 13th of July, 9 :30 pm : Official prizes awarded during the Closing Ceremony.

### SCREENINGS

#### TUESDAY

17H00	PEGADAS SALGADAS
18H30	UP CYCLING
18H40	HEY HO LET'S GO SURFING
18H50	PARTIR
19H00	DEAR SUBURBIA
19H30	SURFINGMEMORY
21H30	OUVERTURE
22H00	L'APPEL DE LA VAGUE
23H00	INTENTIO

#### WEDNESDAY

17H00	GAUCHOS DEL MAR
18H30	FOR BETTER FOR WORSE
19H15	OCÉANIDES
22H00	TEAHUPOO UNCUT
23H00	COME HELL OR HIGH WATER

#### THURSDAY

17H00	SURFING AND SHARKS
18H30	THAT FIRST GLIDE
22H00	A PARADIGM SHIFT
23H00	EL MAR, MI ALMA

#### FRIDAY

16H30	SURFEURS... SOLIDAIRES
16H45	SZÖRFFILM
18H00	MIRA MAR
18H30	SEWN - New zealand seen through longboarders
21H30	CLÔTURE
23H00	FEUX D'ARTIFICE

### EXHIBITIONS

Open to the public from 14H to 20H - Espace de l'Océan



Julien BINET, aquatic photographer



Gérard DECOSTER, Expo SurfArtFestival



WITH THE COOPERATION OF ...

**JIM GANZER,**  
Jury President

Jim Ganzer founded the Jimmy'z clothing company in 1984 and sold the label in 1990. Jim then went back to working his fine art career in Malibu California and Costa Rica. Jimmy'z was re-launched in 2012.



**ALEX DE SONIS**

French-Brazilian surfer, he begins to « shape » in 1989. In his new homeland, the Basque Country, in 1994, he created the company Sonis Surfboards. He is passionate about the big swell.

**FRANCOIS APPLAGNAT**

He currently works for the Bayonne CCI, helping foreign companies set up in the Basque Country. Musician, he's traveled the 5 continents seeking out the best waves, and is a real aficionado of surfing films.



**HAYLEY EDMONDS**

English journalist and anchorwoman, she has been presenting the show FAT on Canal Street for two seasons. Trained for champions' interviews, in particular during the European Winter XGames, Hayley has set for herself a premium position in the extreme sports.

**MARGAUX  
ARRAMON-TUCOO**

At 20 years' old, Margaux is a Professional longboarder and artist. She grew up in Biarritz in the Basque Country, and has been traveling for the past 2 years, implementing projects focused on surfing and art.

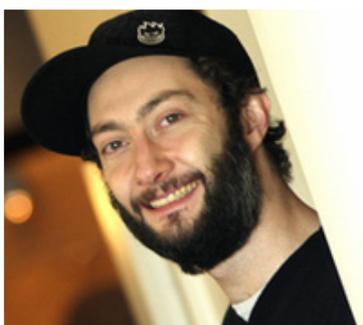


**MELANIE GARBAN**

She has developed the marketing and the image of the die of the sliding sports at Nike for 4 years. She instigated surfing and its lifestyle in France with events such as Nike 6.0 or the Roundhouse of Anglet in 2011.

**VINCENT DESAGNAT**

Currently in the shooting of « La Vraie Vie des Profs », he will appear in the Michael Youn new movie called « Vive La France ». With a true passion for skateboarding, he created his brand DUDEskateboards in 2008.



**BLAKE HARRINGTON**

Young Californian surfer and skater, he re-launched with success Maui and Sons Vintage, founded by his father, and the Jimmy'z brand with Jim Ganzer.



## NOW SHOWING: FILMS IN COMPETITION

### A PARADIGM SHIFT



Réalisation: Steve Cleveland  
Production: SurfcraftMedia  
Durée: 43' / USA

The latest movie by SurfCraftMedia to be released in Spring 2012: Great surfers riding all types of surfboards, on all types of waves. Filmed In Australia, California, Hawaii, Mexico, and Micronesia.

### GAUCHOS DEL MAR



Réalisation: Joaquín & Julián Azulay  
Production: Gauchos del Mar  
Durée: 60' / ARG

Two brothers pursue their dream of surfing the American Pacific. Simplicity, freedom, passion, brotherhood, environmental consciousness and social responsibility are the messages they transmit.

### COME HELL OR HIGH WATER



Réalisation: Keith Malloy  
Production: WOODSHED Films  
Durée: 42' / USA

Shot primarily in 16 mm, the film takes a unique look at the culture, beauty and simplicity of the sport, capturing the stories and locations of those who belong to this community.

### INTENTIO



Réalisation & Production :  
Loïc Wirth  
Durée: 34' / BRA

A moment to breathe and think...and ask questions about the world we live in, and the way we live in it. Intention intends to spread a positive energy with subjective messages, having the ocean and the surfers as a platform to do so.

### EL MAR, MI ALMA



Réalisation: Stephen Jones  
Production: Rebel Waltz Films  
Durée: 54' / AUS

This movie is a visual love song to the surf blessed land of Chile, its people, and the ocean that defines it. With environmental themes and political undercurrent, the film paints a picture of Chile's beauty and association with the sea, centered on the intimate act of surfing.

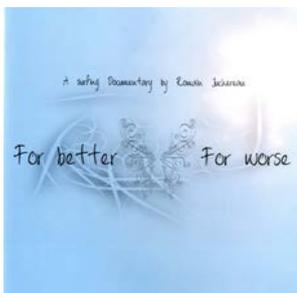
### L'APPEL DE LA VAGUE



Réalisation: Damien Vercaemer  
Production: ARTE France /  
Woods TV Dissidents  
Durée: 55' / FRA

This film revisits 50 years of popular history, asking the same question to yesterday's and today's surfing champions : « How did you become and addict ? ». Some beautiful answers to the backdrop of crashing waves.

### FOR BETTER, FOR WORSE



Réalisation&Production:  
Romain Juchereau  
Durée: 34' / FRA

Filmed in France and Cornwall, this documentary tells the stories of 3 couples, changing their lives and making sacrifices for surfing, and get a healthy lifestyle far from the cities.

### MIRA MAR



Réalisation & Production :  
Pandora Decoster  
Durée: 23' / FRA

At Miramar beach, surfing is banned; the guards watch it constantly but two young rebels, driven by their passion for surfing, try to sneak in the ocean.



## NOW SHOWING: FILMS IN COMPETITION

### OCEANIDES



Réalisation: Lorène Carpentier  
Production: Keet a Breast  
Foundation  
Durée: 45' / FRA

This movie is a poetic vision of surfers, nymph, along Pacific and Atlantic Oceans, Caribbean, Coral, and Tasmanian Seas... these places become the theatre of marine and submarine visions of light and life.

### SURFINGMEMORY



Réalisation: Gérard Decoster  
Production: SurfArtFestival  
Durée: 19' / FRA

Surfing Memory retraces the traveling exhibition of over a thousand objects related to surfing, that have been collected with love, talent, and many a sleepless night by Gerard Decoster.

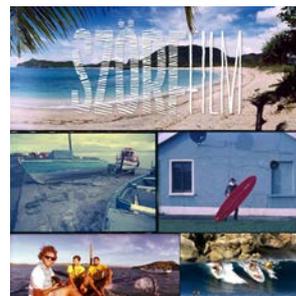
### PEGADAS SALGADAS



Réalisation: Luciano Burin  
Production: Scult  
Durée: 76' / BRA

This documentary outlines the manner in which the surfing culture is an integral part of the Santa Catarina Island, and offers its identity to the cultural, social and touristic profiles of Florianopolis (in southern Brazil).

### SZÖRFFILM



Réalisation: Peiman Lotfi, Károly Spáh  
Production: HungaSurf  
Durée: 50' / HUN

The SZÖRFFILM follows three extraordinary Eastern European guys who try to escape from their destiny and find freedom through surfing. Their journey takes them from Budapest to Ireland until the Indonesian archipelago.

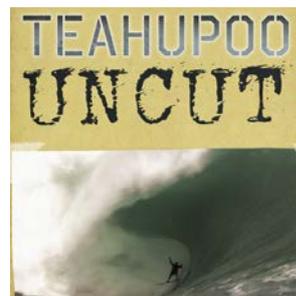
### SEWN - New zealand seen through longboarders



Réalisation: Nicolas Brikké  
Production: Soltwata  
Productions LTD  
Durée: 60' / NZ

SEWN is a surf film/documentary that will take us on a surf trip chasing swells around the North Island of New Zealand, meeting up with and surfing with people who keep the spirit of longboarding alive.

### TEAHUPOO UNCUT



Réalisation: Shagga Saffigna  
Production: Shaggadelic  
Productions  
Durée: 45' / AUS

Simon «Shagga» Saffigna captured the biggest session ever seen at Chopes from the best spot!

### SURFING AND SHARKS



Réalisation: Julian Watson  
Production: Soletreader  
Durée: 55' / AUS

Documentary about the constant threat South African surfers face every time they paddle cut into the ocean, home to one of the largest concentrations of sharks in the world.

### THAT FIRST GLIDE MOVIE



Réalisation: Mike Waltze  
Production: Waltze Productions  
Durée: 74' / HAWAII

The sport of Stand Up Paddle has deep roots in both early Polynesian and Hawaiian History. Filmed in Hawaii, Fiji, and Tahiti, That First Glide is a must see movie for everyone!



## NOW SHOWING : SHORT FILMS

### DEAR SUBURBIA



Réalisation: Kai Neville  
Production: Nike  
Durée: 11'30 / USA

Kai Neville has created a new genre of surfing movies, and has recently filmed Dear Suburbia. Filmed in Japan with Dane Reynolds, Conner Coffin and Yadin Nicol.

### PARTIR



Réalisation: Christophe Brachet  
Production: Mon Voisin Productions  
Durée: 6' / FRA

Dreams are the driving force of our existence... Sometimes dreams carry us away from everything. Dreams also mislead us and force us to face our own reality, nevertheless, there's always another option: to leave?

### HEY HO LET'S GO SURFING



Réalisation & Production:  
Nathan Oldfield  
Durée: 3'08 / AUS

A salty surfing adventure, featuring the slipperyisms of Sage Joske, Brett Caller & Jake Bevan, brought to you by the good folk at The Critical Slide Society.

### UP CYCLING



Réalisation & Production:  
Henrique De Castro Perrone  
Durée: 10' / BRA

UPcycling is a short film about transforming an old longboard into a brand new board. By showing the beauty of this process, it also suggests new views on how enriching using renewed equipment could be.

## OUT OF COMPETITION

### SURFEURS... SOLIDAIRES



Réalisation: Audrey Hoc & Mélanie Vinolo  
Production: Association Traits d'Union  
Durée: 11' / FRA

Iban is a tourist guide in Bayonne. But he is also President of Association "Surfeurs Solidaires", founded in 2001. The association helps with the creation of surfing schools in Morocco, Madagascar, and in the Ivory Coast. In February 2012, Iban and Melanie leave for Algeria. It is the first mission of Surfeurs Solidaires in Algeria.



## PARTNERS

The Festival is organized by:

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## PRESS INFO

The official website of the Festival : [www.surf-film.com](http://www.surf-film.com)

On the social networks:

 <http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=21817849312>

 <http://twitter.com/SurfilmFestival>

### PRESS ROOM

#### Now available

- Press Kit (French / English)
- Teaser of the Festival
- Official poster artwork
- Free of rights photos
- Detailed info on each film

#### After the Festival:

- Free of rights photos and footage
- A newsfeed with: footage from awarded films, lifestyle footage, official opening and closing ceremonies, Award ceremony, interviews of surfers, film-makers and members of the jury.

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