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# A NOTE FROM THE CULTURAL TEAM

The AFK wishes you all a happy New Year and hopes it is going to be a fruitful one!

After a vibrant year 2022 with no less than 94 events organised by the AFK at our premises on Bukoto street or in various places around Kampala, we are ready to rock you in 2023. And indeed we shall start with Rock'n Roll on the 20th of January from the rooftop, with a mixed Ugandan and French band to entertain you. They are bound to rock our Casbah.

On Saturday 21st January, come and get a taste of France at the AFK as we open our doors for you to try our language classes (French, Luganda, Swahili ... yes! We love languages and we promote the diversity of languages!) and activity workshops (such as Taekwondo, crochet, skateboard, breakdancing and more). Enjoy French delicatessen (pastry, bread, wine etc.) as well as fun activities for the kids. We will also be showcasing an Akatuuti event produced by the Pearl Rhythm Foundation in which children are the main performers...

The 2023 highlights will be: Francophonie festival in March, World Music Day in June, Njogera Français-The DELF Schools' Competition (*2nd Edition*) all year long, and the Akatuuti events for emerging artists which will be run in partnership with East African Records. We will also run regular events showcasing Ugandan artists in all genres, as well as movie nights, open stages, exhibitions and many more.

We have a surprise in store for emerging Ugandan artists as we are actively working with our colleagues in Nairobi, Arusha, Bukavu, Goma and Bujumbura to organise regional artistic tours. A competition to select a Ugandan project to be sent touring in the region will be organised while we host artistic projects from our Kenyan and Tanzanian neighbours and friends.

The AFK is the meeting place in Kampala, a place for the francophone and broad community to meet and exchange. It has been around since 1954 and has promoted generations of artists and taught French to many Ugandans. There is a café called Déjà Brew with food and beverages where you can sit back and relax... and probably speak a bit of French! Come and join us, even as members, and enjoy a thousand things to do, including volunteering with us.

**At the AFK, we love languages, we love culture, we love Uganda, we love French, and above all.**

**WE LOVE YOU!**

**This booklet is available online**

Visit <https://www.afkampala.org/upcoming-events/> to download your PDF version

**6<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2023**

## **ROOFTOP INAUGURATION AND LAUNCHING OF THE YEAR WITH GZK**

**DATE: Friday, 6th January**

**TIME: 6 pm**

**VENUE: AFK / GZK Rooftop**

**FREE OF CHARGE**

The Rooftop of our premises has been given a new freshness with a brand new fresco.

We invite you to the inauguration of this fresco with an afternoon where Hip Hop will be honoured in all its forms: Dance, Beatbox, graffiti, DJ, Rap.

In partnership with Authentic Voices Africa and Goethe Zentrum Kampala.



**11<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2023**

# **MOVIE NIGHT**



## **THE GIRL IN THE YELLOW JUMPER ~ By Ali Loukman**

**DATE: Wednesday, 11th January**

**TIME: 6.30 pm**

**VENUE: AFK Basement**

**FREE ENTRY**

As rumours spread that a serial killer on the loose is still committing murders, an off-duty policeman has to take an elderly witness living in a remote part of Uganda back to town.

On the way, the policeman takes care of an injured man. On the way back to town, the passenger tells the policeman about the events that led to him being injured in the middle of the road.

**14<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2023**

## **HIPSTEP UGANDA BREAKING CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**DATE:** Saturday, 14th January

**TIME:** 2 pm

**VENUE:** AFK Rooftop

**FREE ENTRY**



Hipstep Breaking event was founded in 2018 as a breaking cypher by Opio Steven (Bboy Pencilmc) with the goal of unity and bringing together all breakers from all parts of the country in order to promote breaking and also to provide opportunities for breakers in Uganda.

**27<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2023**

### **KARUNGI + OPENING ACT** **(UGANDAN POWERFUL POP VOICE)**

**DATE:** Friday, 27th January

**TIME:** 7 pm

**VENUE:** AFK Basement

**ENTRY FEE:**

**25,000 UGX (for AFK members)**

**30,000 UGX (Early Birds)**

**35,000 Ugx (At the Gate)**

Get your ticket through Flexipay by dialing \*291#. The Merchant Code is 240943.

Payment reason: "KARUNGI". Tickets are also physically available at the AFK reception.



Karungi is a talented and creative Ugandan artist. Her sweet and penetrating voice will not leave anyone indifferent and promises a colourful evening. Having already performed at several venues, including the Pearl Rythm Festival, Sheila promises an energetic show, accompanied by her live band and collaborations.

**A future reference in Ugandan music: Not to be missed!**



# IDENTITIES

**EXHIBITION BY AICHA  
MUTEBA MAKANA (DRC)**

Art Exhibition Launching

**FRIDAY 20TH  
JANUARY  
6PM**

**Alliance Française Kampala  
Plot 52 - Bukoto Street**

*Cocktail and artist presentation*

Free of charge - Artpieces on sales

From 8pm

**The Big Five and the Impalas**

(Classic Rock Cover)

Donations Box for **M-Lisada**

Association that use music to rescue people



**Aicha Muteba Makana has named his exhibition 'identities'.** Indeed, he is inspired by his numerous encounters and travels in order to highlight the differences but also the common points of the different identities that he has encountered in his journey. Aicha Muteba is a graduate of the Academy of Fine Arts in Kinshasa, a world-renowned artist who has exhibited in some of the most important galleries. **He is a major artist on the African contemporary scene.**

**He will be present at the opening to explain his work and to meet his public around a cocktail.** The works will be available for sale.

After the cocktail, a **concert by the band "The big 5 and impalas"** (classic rock cover) will take place on the rooftop - the proceeds of which will go to the association "The Big 5 and Impalas" which promotes access to music for all.

# 30 minutes Sample classes

French, Luganda and Swahili



Register for classes and  
get a reduction of 10%

**21 JANUARY**  
**10:30AM – 7PM**

4:30PM – AKATUUTI:  
#THEREISNOPLANETB  
LED BY JUDE MUGERWA

# OPEN DAY FRENCH MARKET

## & Fun activities

Breakdance  
Skateboard  
Taekwondo  
Face painting

and  
more

French  
Market

Craft & Fashion  
Souvenir gifts

Wines  
Bread &  
Pastries  
Cheese



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17<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2023



## OPEN STAGE: COMEDY / STAND UP WITH PABLO KIMULI

**DATE:** Friday, 17th February

**TIME:** 6 pm

**VENUE:** AFK / GZK Basement

**FREE OF CHARGE**

For the first open stage in 2023 in collaboration with the Goethe-Zentrum Kampala we are glad to welcome Pablo Kimuli again.

**We will receive different humorists to enjoy stand-up comedy!**

Stay tuned for the opening of applications to run.

Instagram: [@alliancefrancaisekampala](https://www.instagram.com/alliancefrancaisekampala)

18<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2023

## R'AFRIKA: (CONGOLESE TRADITIONAL HIPHOP)

**DATE:** Saturday, 18th February

**TIME:** 7 pm

**VENUE:** AFK Basement

**ENTRY FEE:** 30,000 UGX (for AFK members + early birds) 35,000 UGX (At the gate)

Get your ticket through Flexipay by dialing \*291#. The Merchant Code is 240943.

Payment reason: **Rafrika**

Tickets are also physically available at the AFK reception.

All from DRC, R'Afrika was created in 2015 in Kampala and is composed of 4 heads including Giga, LM King, Goon Lamifa, and NB Calmos. With a wealth of experience (Amani Festival, Nyege Nyege, Afropalooza, World Music Day, Blanket and Wine...), they promise a dynamic show that combines the best of both worlds. rap, folklore, Congolese rumba, Afro beat, ndombolo and much more.

A show not to be missed!





25<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2023



Presents

# AKATUUTI

Led by Aïcha Muteba Makana



# RENCONTRE

25th  
February  
2023

Free of charge

AFK Rooftop and basement

6p.m

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**Akatuuti# rencontre** (which means meeting) is directed by a Congolese visual artist Aïcha Muteba Makana.

A visual artist and performer recognized throughout the world, he has led an original creation bringing together various disciplines and artists around the theme of the meeting, whether artistic, spiritual, family, cultural or human.

**The proposed performance will also be the occasion to close his exhibition "Identities".**

## SOIRÉE POLYGLOTTE

**DATE:** Saturday, 14th Jan & 4th Feb

**TIME:** 3 pm

**VENUE:** AFK Library / Deja Brew

**FREE ENTRY (for the first time)**

**ENTRY FEE: 10 000 UGX**

Get your ticket through Flexipay by dialing \*291#. The Merchant Code is 240943. Payment reason: **POLYGLOTTE**. Tickets are also physically available at the AFK reception.

Whatever your language level or your nationality, practice different languages while you make new friends and discover new cultures.

Learn English, Spanish, French, German, Chinese, Russian, Arabic, Portuguese, Italian, Japanese... If you are an expat, a globe trotter or business traveler, a real polyglot, or simply curious to discover new cultures. You will be given a badge with your name and the languages you speak or want to learn. The main rule is that you are not supposed to interact with a member who shares the same mother tongue.



## 19<sup>TH</sup> - 22<sup>ND</sup> JANUARY 2023



## LES NUITS DE LA LECTURE : READING NIGHTS

**DATE:** 19th - 22nd January

**TIME:** 2 pm

**VENUE:** AFK Conference Room

**FREE ENTRY**

After love in 2022; the reading night will turn to another kind of thrill since the theme chosen for this 7th edition is that of fear.

**Slam poetry, music, presentations and art exhibitions.**

## ART ET CULTURE



**TITLE: Terrarium Workshop**  
**DATE: Saturday, 28th January**  
**TIME: 9:30 am**  
**VENUE: AFK Library**

**FEE: 50,000 UGX per person**

Get your ticket through Flexipay by dialing \*291#. The Merchant Code is 240943.

Payment reason: **TERRARIUM**. Tickets are also physically available at the AFK reception.

In Terrarium workshops, you will learn how to make a miniature garden or forest in a bottle. A terrarium is also a way to get creative with family and friends in a fun way. It can be a good team building activity as it promotes creativity and teamwork through the process of making terrariums together as a group.

**Open for everyone: young children and adults !**

**CINÉDUC**

**TITLE:** Tout simplement noir  
**DATE:** Saturday, 4th February  
**TIME:** 1 pm  
**VENUE:** AFK Library

**FREE ENTRY**

A 40-year-old failed actor decides to organize the first black protest march in France, but his often burlesque encounters with influential figures in the community and the interested support he receives from Fary, cause him to hesitate between a desire to be in the spotlight and his activism...

**Free for members/students and 5000 UGX for non members/ students).**



## ONE HOUR FOR TALES: L'HEURE DU CONTE



**TITLE:** Les quatre musiciens de Brême

**DATE:** Saturday, 11th February

**TIME:** 11 am

**VENUE:** AFK Library

**FREE ENTRY**

Open to the public: but only 2 free attendances are allowed if you are not a member. Otherwise 5k per kid.

An opportunity for kids (4-10 years old) to listen to tales and participate into interactive activities all in french.

25<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2023

## LIBRARY

## CUISINE DU MONDE : CUISINE FRANÇAISE

**DATE:** Saturday, 25th February

**VENUE:** AFK Conference Room

**TIME:** 3 pm

**ENTRY FEE:**

**50,000 UGX per person**

Get your ticket through Flexipay by dialing \*291#. The Merchant Code is 240943.

Payment reason: **CUISINE**. Tickets are also physically available at the AFK reception.

Cuisines du monde is a quarterly activity where you learn about a cuisine of a certain region while enjoying the foods and drinks.

On the 25th of February, you will be able to **learn more about French gastronomy !**





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