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GERMAN FILM FESTIVAL AT THE CINEMA IN THE OPEN-AIR THIS FEBRUARY 2012

For the whole week-ends of February, the German Embassy and the Goethe Institut partner with the National Parks Development Committee for Cinema in the Open-Air's German Film Festival 2012. Venue is the Rizal Park Cinema in the Open-Air. Screening time is at 7:00 p.m., every Saturday and Sunday. Admission is free.

Cinema in the Open-Air's German Film Festival is a project of the National Parks Development Committee (NPDC), under Executive Director Juliet H. Villegas, the German Embassy, the Goethe Institute and the Film Development Council of the Phils. NPDC Chief of the Cultural & Public Affairs Division Mr. Freddie Edos is the Executive In Charge of the project. Cinema in the Open-Air is designed to entertain and to educate park visitors through the art of cinema.

Featured film for its opening night on Saturday, February 4, 2012, is *Das Leben der Anderen* or *The Lives of Others*, which won the 2006 Oscar for Best Foreign Language Film. The film is about how the Stasi or secret police monitors the cultural scene of East Berlin. *Lila, Lila: My Words, My Lies, My Love*, which is scheduled to be screen on Sunday, February 5, 2012, is a romantic comedy of a waiter, who passes off a found manuscript as his own to impress a girl, only to find himself an overnight literary sensation.

Admission to Cinema in the Open-Air's German Film Festival 2012 is free of charge. The public is cordially invited.

