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Filipino band Talahib opens the 11th International Silent Film Festival Manila at the Cineplex of Shangri-La Plaza Edsa with live musical scoring of the 1918 film *El Golfo*, a national heritage of Spain. It was a special project for Talahib and their first participation to the yearly film fest.

Talahib is a band that has been making impact in the Filipino music scene, most notably on the world music genre for more than a decade. Some of its most popular tunes include the cover Dumagat song *On Potok*, Tony Palis' *Babaylan*, and original song *Bathala*.

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The 11th ISFFM was organized by Instituto Cervantes, The Japan Foundation, The Embassy of Austria, The Goethe-Institut Philippinen, The US Embassy, Para sa Sining, and FDCP, and was participated by numerous bands and musicians: Moonleaf ("Underground"), Heloise LaHarpe, Ryan Villamor, and Aldous Castro ("L'Inhumaine"), Tom's Story ("Una Famiglia Perfetta"), The Celso Espejo Rondalla ("Hijosen no Onna"), Kapitan Kulam ("Taglish"), Rivermaya ("Cafe Elektrik"), Sandwich ("Pandora's Box"), and Flippin' Soul Stompers ("The General").

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International Silent Film Festival Manila 2017 opened tonight at Shangri-La Plaza with the screening of the Spanish film EL GOLFO with live musical scoring by Talahib Peoples Music.

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Talahib People's Music

The live musical score was weaved dynamically throughout the story. It was a unique sensation hearing an interplay of jazz, indigenous Filipino instruments, blues and rock with accents of techno and electronica, and kundiman while watching a national heritage film. The opening act featured instrumental versions of the band's repertoire Bathala, Apo Sandawa, and Bakwet.

For the 11th ISFF, Talahib's music ensemble were Burn Belacho on guitars, Jones De Vera and Max Celada on percussions, Bonjo Agustin on acoustic guitar, LJ Pasion on bass, Darrel Roberto on drums, and they are joined by Karl Ramirez of band Pordalab on keys and synth.





Talahib's present members include Janis Anonuevo, Noel Taylo, and managed by Jaime Hernandez. Members through the years include Domeng Molina, Mark Estandarte,


For more information about Talahib and the 11th International Silent Film Festival, you can visit the following Facebook pages:


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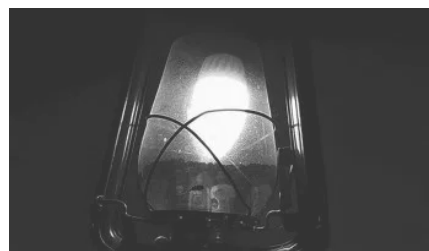
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