

The opening ceremony of the 26th edition of the Film Days of Carthage: JCC.

Tunis, Saturday the 28th November 2015 recognized the opening of the 26th edition of the Film Days of Carthage (French : JCC), under the patronage of the Ministry of Culture and the National Center for Cinema and image.

Hosted every year, the JCC was founded in 1966 by the Tunisian filmmaker Tahar Cheriaa and the Tunisian Minister of Culture. Its grand prize is the Tanit d'Or, the "Golden Tanit", named for the lunar goddess of ancient Carthage.

Presented by Mourad Zeghidi, the ceremony took place at 8 pm in the Municipal Theater of Tunis. The Red Carpet knew the passage of numerous Tunisian and international artists, comedians and film-makers, such as:

- Victoria ABRIL
- Souleymane CISSE
- Khaled Abu El Naga
- Feryel Youssef
- Hend Sabry
- Amr Youssef
- Maya Diab
- Yared Zeleke
- Kinda Allouche
- Saloua Khattab
- Hana Chiha
- Carmen Loboss

Ibrahim Letaief, the festival's president inaugurated the cinema event by a thin and a direct speech, and invites the Minister of Culture to announce the official opening of the 26th edition of the JCC.

The ceremony paid tribute to the giants of the Arabic and international Tunisian cinema, as Dorra Bouchoucha, Nouri Bouzid as well as Nadia Berrchid, Amine Bouhafa, Sofiene el Feni for the Caesars obtained in 2014.

The ceremony master Mourad Zeghidi also presented the various members of juries of the various official competitions and invited them to join him on stage together with the president of the JCC, Ibrahim Letaief.

The 26th edition of the JCC counts more than 500 registered movies, among which 68 Tunisian, Arabic and African movies will participate in the various official competitions:

- Official Competition Feature Films.
- Official National Competition.
- Official Competition Documentaries.
- Official Competition Short Films.

The program of 22.11.2015 :

10h: Special projection and debate, tribute to Assia Djébar on the 4^{ème} Art.

12h30: Press Lunch, 5^{ème} floor AFRICA hotel, in Mont Kenya

13h: Tribute to Manuel Oliverira with the présentation of Elso Roque on Mondial.

17h30: LAMB, opening film d'ouverture on CinéMad'art.

17h: 2 films projection : tribute to Habib Masrouki on the 4^{ème} Art.

21h: Madame Courage projection with the presence of the moviemaker Merzek Alouache on Colisée.