



Scotland-Russia Forum Events September 2011- January 2013
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TALKS

16 Sept 2011	Exhibition opening: "Poyekhali! Yuri Gagarin and the Dawn of Space Exploration"
7 Oct 2011	Ken MacTaggart: "The Flight of Yuri Gagarin and the early Soviet space programme"
14 Oct 2011	Mairi Koroleva: "Mikhail Lermontov. A Russian Poet with a Secret Side to his Soul"
18 Nov 2011	Robert Leach: "Fathers of the Modern Theatre"
20 Jan 2012	Michael Rodgers: "Vladimir Nabokov: Sirin to V.N."
24 Feb 2012	Maria Andipa: "Icons in the Early Christian and Byzantine world"
22 March 2012	Richard Rose: "Where Are We Now? A post election look at Russia."
19 April 2012	Harvey Pitcher: "Chekhov the Humorist"
4 May 2012	Vitaly Vitaliev "Life as a Literary Device. A Memoir of survival"
8 Oct 2012	Poetry reading by Irina Mashinski
19 October 2012.	Richard Davies Wooden Churches in the Russian North
16 November 2012	Ben Judah "How Far Can Russia's New Opposition Go?"
17 January 2013	Robert Chandler "Russian Magic Tales from Pushkin to Platonov"

EXHIBITIONS

17 Sept - 28 Oct 2011	"Poyekhali! Yuri Gagarin and the Dawn of Space Exploration"
16 Sept - 28 Oct 2011	" KOZMOS : Man's first flight into space"
5 Nov 2011 – 28 Jan 2012	"Russian Theatre in Performance" Photographs by Ken Reynolds
4 Feb – 17 March 2012	"Byzantium. Gateway between East and West"
22 March – 18 May 2012	Pictures by artists, illustrators and cartoonists working at the trial of Mikhail Khodorkovsky and Platon Lebedev : "Drawing the Court"
26 May – 30 June 2012	"Britain through the eyes of St. Petersburg artists" led by Anatoly Zaslavskiy
4 Aug - 22 Sep 2012	"Soviet Grand Designs" (Art festival event)
26 Sept - 3 Nov 2012	Battle of Borodino 1812: model diorama
29 Sept – 3 Nov 2012	Wooden Churches in the Russian North
10 Nov – 22 Dec 2012	Edinburgh's Soviet Cinema

OTHER ACTIVITIES

16 Sept - 28 Oct 2011	Schools programme. Schools were invited to bring groups of pupils to the exhibition and to arrange a taster Russian class at the same time
16 Sept - 28 Oct 2011	First Orbit - film
17 Sept 2011	Book sale
Sept - May, monthly	Чай и Чат
30 Sept 2011	Student Party
16 Dec 2011	SRF AGM
17 Dec 2011	Informal discussion: "What do you think about the Russian elections?"
14 Jan 2012	Theatrical Mini Entourage
23 and 30 March 2012	Dead Souls - theatre

OTHER ACTIVITIES

14 June 2012	2012 John Smith Fellows Reception
4, 10 and 11 Aug 2012	Dead Souls - theatre
18 August 2012	Art Workshop for children - Russian Abstract Art
25 August 2012	UK-Russian Relations Today. A Festival of Politics event in the association with the SRF
25 August 2012	Russian Art Workshop: from realism to abstract
21 Sept 2012	SRF EGM
28 Sept 2012	Student welcome party
14 December 2012	SRF AGM 2012
15 December 2012	Christmas Book Sale

CINEMA CLUB

17 Nov 2011	The films of Yuri Norstein
11 Jan 2012	Kin-Dza-Dza!
25 Jan 2012	Mirror
8 Feb 2012	Farewell; The Lighthouse
22 Feb 2012	Three films by Evgenii Bauer
7 March 2012	Russian Ark
21 March 2012	Tulpan
13 May 2012	The making of Longbird
4, 11, 18, 25 April 2012	Siberiade I, II, III and IV
28 October 2012	Я шагаю по Москве / I Walk Around Moscow
10 November 2012	Exhibition opening and screening of "Komsomol".
9 and 16 Dec 2012	Paradjanov's last films