

Czech Film Day

Katuaq – Lille Sal

Tuesday 19 October 2021, 4–10 pm

- 16.00 Welcome by Zdeněk Lyčka, former Czech Ambassador to Denmark
16.05 *In a Storm and Winds* project / Introduction by Radim Procházka and Lukáš Masner
16.20 Lecture on Czech Cinematography by Radim Procházka, Vít Poláček, Lukáš Masner and Jan Bušta with film excerpts
Break (17.20–17.35)
17.35 Lecture on translations of Greenlandic literature to Czech by Zdeněk Lyčka
18.05 Animated film *Brumlik and Animuk* by Jan Bohuslav
Get-together with refreshments (18.15–19.15)
20.00 Screening of the film [Jan Palach](#) / Introduction by Viktor Zavadil and Radim Procházka
End of the programme (22.00)

Simultaneous interpretation into and from Greenlandic will be provided



Viktor Zavadil, the lead actor, will present the film in person at Katuaq.

Jan Palach. The student, who burned himself in 1969 to protest against the Soviet invasion to Czechoslovakia. An uncompromising young man who brought the ultimate sacrifice in a hope to rouse the nation from lethargy. His name is known to everyone in the Czech Republic. The film shows the last months of Palach's life, his path from an affectionate son, a devoted friend, a sensitive and thoughtful philosophy student to the "Torch number 1". Two other deaths by self-immolation followed in the occupied Czechoslovakia but the communist regime helped by Soviet tanks regained full control over its citizens for 20 more years.

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