

Pre-Festival

THURSDAY

World Storytelling Café

7.00pm onwards

Juliana Marin - performance
Followed by open mic

FRIDAY

World Storytelling Café

7.00pm - 8:00pm

Baden Prince tells stories for
children

SATURDAY

World Storytelling Café

7.00pm onwards

Sef Townsend - performance
Followed by open mic

World Storytelling Café

9.00pm

Amy Douglas
Blast! Live from Marrakech

Sunday 12th February

World Storytelling Café

1.00pm - 2.00pm

Baba-C, Hajiba AL-Azzalia, Dawn Ellis

2.00pm - 3.30pm

"Healing Stories, Lucie Andersen-Wood"

4.00pm - 5.00pm

Rguibi Sghir, Alastair K Daniel, Liz Weir

5.00pm - 6.00pm

Open Mic

Monday 13th February

World Storytelling Café

11.00am - 1.00pm

Michael Kerins
Storytelling to writing
Workshop

World Storytelling Café

1.00pm - 2.30pm

Chandrika Joshi, Donald
Nelson, Taffy Thomas

Music Museum

12.00pm - 3.00pm

‘The Conversation’
Introduction to the
Museum
Patrick Manach followed
by ‘Mothers in Stories’
introduced and led by
Amy Douglas

Dar Bellarj

3.00pm - 5.00pm Grand Opening

Opening words and press conference
Jaafar Kansoussi, Mike Wood, John Row, Zouhair
Khaznaoui, Lucie Andersen-Wood, Vanessa
Branson

Dar Bellarj

5.30pm - 9.00pm Our global Village

Africa and Diaspora
Continental Europe
The Americas
India and Iran
Ireland and UK
Morocco

Jamaa El Fna (square)

6.00pm onwards

World Storytelling Café

7.00pm onwards

Led by Sarah Lloyd-
Winder
Ceilidh. Tell a story, sing
a song.

Baden Prince, Mariam Cannane, Sef Townsend,
Abderrahim Agourram, Chandrika Joshi, Donald
Nelson, Despina Ariou, Norman Perrin, Zakia El
Youbi, Mohamed Bariz, Madelaine Graham,
Alastair K Daniel, Youness Al-Azzalia, Rona
Leventhal, Brahim Daldal, Eimear Burke, Dawn
Ellis, Nadia Ouchagour, Serge Laly, Hakima Mardi,
Valentina Zocca, Zahra Afsah and friends.....

Tuesday 14th February

World Storytelling Café
11.00am - 12pm
Acenovation
Virtual presentation

World Storytelling Café
12.00pm - 1.00pm
Zahra Afsah
Fabric and curtain
narratives, a Persian
storytelling technique
Workshop

World Storytelling Café
2.00pm - 3.00pm
Hakima Mardi, Latifa
Amghare

World Storytelling Café
3.00pm - 4.00pm
Baden Prince, Despina
Ariou, Norman Perrin

World Storytelling Café
4.00pm - 5.00pm
Brahim Daldali, Clare
Goodall, Debra Weller

World Storytelling Café
5.00pm - 6.00pm
Open Mic

World Storytelling Café
6.30pm - 7.30pm
Young International
Tellers (hybrid)

World Storytelling Café
7.30pm onwards
Led by Eimear Burke
Ceilidh. Tell a story, sing
a song

Riad Spice
(On the roof terrace)
12.00pm - 1.30pm
Dance your story with
Lucie Andersen-Wood

Café Clock
2.00pm - 3.00pm
Hafida Hamoud, Salma
Ait Aammou, Giorgiana
Popan

Café Clock
3.00pm - 4.00pm
Marion Leeper, Serge
Laly, Aine Iftene

Café Clock
4.00pm - 5.00pm
Usifu Jalloh, Diaka
Salena Koromo, Momo
Heiss

Café Clock
5.00pm - 6.00pm
Colin Urwin, Chandrika
Joshi, Aiachi Benjakan

*May include mother
tongue telling

Jamaa El Fna (square)
6.00pm onwards
Michael Kerins, Maria Gillen, Maia Ganatra,
Mohamed Koucham, Bob Kanegis, Keith Rogers,
Zouhair Khaznaoui, Marion Leeper, Aïni Iften,
David Thompson, Usifu Jalloh, Diaka Salena
Koroma, Catalina Figini, Mehdi El-Ghali, Rona
Barbour, Amr Ali, Mohamed Wahba, Salma
Kamal, Stefania Ganzini, Colin Urwin and
friends.....

Al Muniya
12.00pm - 2.00pm
Building characters we
are comfortable with .
Workshop

Al Muniya
2.00pm - 3.30pm
Rguibi Sghir, Georgia
Matsouka, Gaurav
Madan

Al Muniya
3.30pm - 5.30pm
Panel, Justine De Mierre,
Amy Douglas, Liz Weir,
Jaafer Kansoussi, Lucie
Andersen-Wood
Chair Fatima
Early women tellers and
collectors and how we
retell their legacy

Al Muniya
5.30pm - 6.30pm
Rona Leventhal, Youness
Al-Azzalia, Sarah Lloyd-
Winder

Music Museum
12.00pm - 3.00pm
'The Conversation'
Spinning Yarns
introduced and led by
Catalina Figini and
Baba-C

Music Museum
4.00pm - 9.00pm
Music and storytelling
Dawn Elli, Polina
Tserkassova, Mohamed
Koucham and Hakima
Mardi
Show with Sef Townsend
and friends
Megan Wisdom, Mossy
Christian

Riad El Fenn
7.00pm - 9.00pm
Roots , Heart and Wings
Juliana Marin, Zahra
Afsah, Zakia EL Youbi,
Mariam Cannane, Liz
Weir

Wednesday 15th February

World Storytelling Café
11.00am - 1.00pm
Debra Weller
Storytelling for children
Workshop

World Storytelling Café
1.00pm - 2.00pm
Madeleine Grantham,
Mohamed Koucham,
Juliana Marin

World Storytelling Café
2.00pm - 3.00pm
Veronica Chambers
online collaboration with
Graciela Verónica
“La Juje”

World Storytelling Café
3.00pm - 4.00pm
Open Mic

World Storytelling Café
7.00pm onwards
Led by Colin Urwin
Ceilidh. Tell a story, sing
a song.

Dar Bellarj
1.00pm - 4.00pm

Richard Hamilton ‘The last storyteller’

Fiona Valpy ‘The Storyteller of Casablanca’

Brian Bouillon Baker ‘Joséphine Baker,
l'universelle ’

Abdelouahed Talbi ‘Jemâa El Fna Square Speaks
For Itself’

Moulay Abdellah Alaoui ‘Marrakech A Thousand
and One Stories’

Dar Bellarj
4.30pm
Gathering

Dar Bellarj
5.00pm departure

Storytellers procession to Jemma al Fnaa
Dress up and celebrate

Jamaa El Fnaa (square)
24 hour hikayathon of continuous telling
Justine de Mierre, Taffy Thomas, Liz Weir,
Abderrahim AL-Azzalia, Baden Prince, Papa
Ousman Faye, Hajiba Al-Azzalia, Gaurav Madan,
Clare Goodall, Juliana Marin, Mohamed Bariz,
Valentina Zocca, Baba-C, Zouhair Khaznaoui,
Baden Prince, Jaafer Kansoussi, Megan Wisdom,
Mossy Christian, Popan Giorgiana, Mustapha Al-
Hanch, Polina Tserkassova, Veronica Chambers,
Zahra Afsah, Zakia El Youbi, Debra Weller, Donald
Nelson, Nadia Ouchagour, Youness Al-Azzalia, Sef
Townsend, Alastair K Daniel, Sarah Lloyd-Winder,
Richard Hamilton, John Row and friends.....

Music Museum
12.00pm - 3.00pm
‘The Conversation’
Goddesses, Heroines and
Women Tricksters
introduced and led by
Justine de Mierre

Nasrudin tales
introduced and led by
Baden Prince

Henna café
12.00pm - 1.00pm
Hajiba Al-Azzalia, John
Row, Hichem Darouich

Henna café
1.00pm - 2.00pm
David Thompson,
Chandrika Joshi,
Mustapha Al-Hanch

Henna café
2.00pm - 3.00pm
Valentina Zocca, Nadia
Ouchagour, Catalina
Figini

Henna café
3.00pm - 4.00pm
Salma Kamal, Amr Ali,
Mohamed Wahba

Thursday 16th February

World Storytelling Café

10.00am - 1.00pm

Despina Ariou
Reworking old myths
Workshop

World Storytelling Café

2.00pm - 3.00pm

Valentina Zocca, Popan
Giorgiana, Hafida
Hamoud

World Storytelling Café

3.00pm - 4.00pm

Open Mic

World Storytelling Café

4.00pm - 5.00pm

Sara Krchid, Usifu Jalloh,
Polina Tserkassova

World Storytelling Café

5.00pm - 6.00pm

Jim Brule
"End of Life &
Transformational stories"

World Storytelling Café

6.00pm onwards

Led by Justine de
Mierre
Ceilidh. Tell a story,
sing a song.

Riad Arabesca

2.00pm - 4.00pm

Taffy Thomas,
Abderrahim AL-Azzalia,
Despina Ariou, Polina
Tserkassova, Juliana
Marin

The role of storytelling in
bringing people together
and increasing
Understanding across the
world.
Conference

Riad Arabesca

4.00pm - 5.00pm

Momo Heiss, Baden
Prince, Madelaine
Grantham

Riad Arabesca

5.00pm - 6.00pm

Alastair K Daniel,
Hakima Mardi, Rona
Barbour

Jamaa El Fna (square)

6.00pm onwards

Dawn Ellis, Amy Douglas, Mohamed Ajam, Latifa
Amghare, Polina Tserkassova, Debra Weller, Hafida
Hamoud, Momo Heiss, Youness Al-Azzalia, John Row,
Zouhair Khaznaoui, Georgia Matsouka, Mohamed Bariz,
Jim Brule, Abderrahim Agourram, Despina Ariou,
Hichem Darouich, Mariam Cannane, Michael Kerins,
Richard Hamilton, Serge Laly, Salma Ait Aammou,
Brahim Daldali, Salma Kamal, Sarah Lloyd-Winder,
Taffy Thomas, Diaka Salena Koroma, Usifu Jalloh, John
Row and friends.....

Music Museum

11.00am - 3.00pm

'The Conversation'
Healing Stories led by
Lucie Andersen-Wood.
Powerful Women led by
Liz Weir

Henna café

12.00pm - 1.00pm

Youness Al-Azzalia,
Stefania Ganzini, Maria
Gillen

Henna café

1.00pm - 2.00pm

Abderrahim Al-Azzalia,
Brahim Daldali, Clare
Goodall

Café Clock

3.00pm - 4.00pm

Zakia El Youbi,
Veronica
Chambers, Maia
Ganatra

Café Clock

4.00pm - 5.00pm

Open Mic

Café Clock

5.00pm - 6.00pm

Aiachi Benjakan, Bob
Kanegis, Donald Nelson

Café Clock

7.00pm onwards

Abderrahim AL-
Azzalia, Mohammed
Koucham

*May include trickster tales

Friday 17th February

World Storytelling Café

12.00pm onwards

Norman Perrin

The story stone

Workshop

Music Museum

12.00pm onwards

'The Conversation'

Nefarious Stories

Richard Hamilton

World Storytelling Café

3.00pm - 4.00pm

Salma Kamal, Sara

Kchirid, Mohamed

Koucham

Riad Arabesca

3.00pm - 4.30pm

Working on personal and anecdotal story

Workshop

Al Muniya

3.00pm - 4.30pm

Opportunity to showcase collaborations developed during the festival

Henna café

3.00pm - 4.00pm

Sef Townsend, Jim

Brulé, Mustapha Al-

Hanch

World Storytelling Café

4.00pm - 5.00pm

Open Mic

Riad Arabesca

4.00pm - 5.00pm

Choosing and moulding stories

Influences, audience and ourselves understanding

across the world.

Conference

Al Muniya

4.30pm - 6.00pm

Aiachi Benjakan,

Mustapha Al-Hanch,

Clare Goodall, Eimear

Burke

Henna café

4.00pm

Dawn Ellis

The henna party

World Storytelling Café

5.00pm - 6.00pm

Sarah Lloyd-Winder,

Bob Kanegis, Jim Brule

Riad Arabesca

5.00pm - 6.00pm

Clare Goodall, Soukaina

Habiballah and others

Bringing the past alive

Henna cafe

5.00pm

Unveiling

Hafida Zizi artwork

*May include tales about the natural world

Saturday 18th February

World Storytelling Café

11.00am - 1.00pm

Donald Nelson
Building storytelling
workshops in libraries
Workshop

Al Muniya

12.00pm - 2.00pm

Polina Tserkassova
Collecting stories on the
road
Workshop

Riad Arabesca

1.00pm - 2.00pm

“Explorations of Internal
Family Systems and
other healing stories.”
Led by Marine

Music Museum

12.00am - 3.00pm

‘The Conversation’
Dangerous Women
introduced and led by
Juliana Marin

World Storytelling Café

2.00pm - 3.00pm

Salma Kamal, Valentina
Zocca

Al Muniya

2.00pm - 3.00pm

Zahra Afsah, Brahim
Daldali, Debra Weller

Riad Arabesca

2.00pm - 4.00pm

Rupal (Maia) Ganatra
Bringing on the next
generation
Workshop

Henna café
1.00pm - 2.00pm
Open mic
including collaborations

World Storytelling Café

3.00pm - 4.00pm

Open Mic

Al Muniya

3.00pm - 5.00pm

A Thousand and One
Night and the history of
Sufism and
Storytelling in Morocco

Riad Arabesca

3.00pm - 5.00pm

Challenging Stereotypes
and dealing with our past
warts and all

Henna café
2.00pm - 3.00pm
Papa Ousmane Faye,
Chandrika Joshi, Sarah
Lloyd-Winder

World Storytelling Café

4.00pm - 5.00pm

David Thompson,
Momo Heiss, Stefania
Ganzini

Henna café
3.00pm - 4.00pm
“Lucky”
Hamed

World Storytelling Café

5.00pm - 6.00pm

Rona Leventhal,
Nadia Ouchagour,
Hajiba Al-Azzalia

Al Muniya

5.00pm - 6.00pm

Open mic
including collaborations

Riad Arabesca

5.00pm - 6.00pm

Soukaina Habiballah,
Rona Barbour, Keith
Rogers

Henna café
4.00pm - 5pm
Open mic

Henna café
5.00pm - 6.00pm
Youness Al-Azzalia,

Palais de Congress

7.00pm. Onwards

Show finale and festival closing

Ancestral voices

- 1- Opening act: Directors' talk by John Row and Zouhair Khaznaoui
- 2- Musilm/Jewish story from Al-Andalus by Sef, Sara and Siham
- 3- Sufi Musical Storytelling by The Marrakech Young Sufi Band
- 4- Homage to Haj. Ahmed Ezzarghani
- 5- Maalem's one man show by Mohamed Bariz.
- 6- Ancestral Voices by Taffy Thomas
- 7- Closing act: Cosmo and Salma Ait Aammou (marrakchi storyteller).

Sunday 19th February

The house of memory museum
Essaouira
12:30pm-2.00pm
Jewish storytelling tradition

AL Khaima square
Essaouira
2.00pm - 4.00pm
Jamaa el Fna visits Essouira, halqa performance

World Storytelling Café
8.00pm onwards
Worldwide Story Round

Post-Festival

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

World Storytelling Café 8.00pm onwards Bob Kanegis - performance Followed by open mic	World Storytelling Café 8.00pm onwards Polina Tserkassova - per- formance Followed by open mic	World Storytelling Café 8.00pm onwards Baba - C - performance Followed by open mic	World Storytelling Café 8.00pm onwards John Row - performance Followed by open mic
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