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What To Do in LA: June 7, 2009

Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences Samuel Goldwyn Theater, 8949 Wilshire Blvd., Beverly Hills. (310) 247-3600. Hollywood's Greatest Year - 1939 All 10 of the Best Picture nominees of 1939 including "Wuthering Heights" Monday, "Dark Victory" June 15, "Love Affair" June 22 and "Goodbye, Mr. Chips" June 29. Mon.-next Sun. Gunga Din (1939) Oscar winners Ben Burt and Craig Barron discuss the "1939 state-of-the-art" sound and visual effects of George Stevens' classic adventure film. Fri., 7:30 p.m.

Cinespia Hollywood Forever Cemetery, 6000 Santa Monica Blvd., Hollywood. Funny Face (1957) Starring Audrey Hepburn. DJ Rob Sevier (Numero Group) spins before and after the screening. Gates open at 7:30 p.m. Visit www.cinespia.org for information. Sat., 9 p.m.

Instituto de la Cinematografía y de las Artes Audiovisuales (ICAA) American Cinematheque at the Egyptian Theatre, 6712 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood. (323) 466-FILM. Recent Spanish Cinema XV A presentation of new films from Spain. Also screening at the Aero Theatre in Santa Monica. Today-Wed.

Bing Theater at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art, 5905 Wilshire Blvd., L.A. (323) 857-6010. Weekend Series: French Crime Wave Featuring a collection of films by directors such as Jean-Pierre Melville, René Clement, Jules Dassin, Jacques Becker and François Truffaut. Today-next Sun.

Billy Wilder Theater at the Hammer Museum, 10899 Wilshire Blvd., L.A. (213) 480-8633. Dance Camera West Film Festival City-wide screenings of dance films from around the world. Visit www.dancecamerawest.org for information. Today-next Sun.

Royce Hall, UCLA, 340 Royce Drive, L.A. (213) 622-7001. The Gold Rush (1925), featuring the Los Angeles Chamber Orchestra Dustin Hoffman presents a restored print of the Chaplin film with live music performed by the Los Angeles Chamber Orchestra. Today, 6:30 p.m.

Bing Theater at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art, 5905 Wilshire Blvd., L.A. (323) 857-6010. Gigi (1958) A musical comedy directed by Vincente Minnelli, starring Leslie Caron and Maurice Chevalier. Part of the Tuesday Matinee series. Tue., 1 p.m.

Skirball Cultural Center, 2701 N. Sepulveda Blvd., L.A. (877) 722-4849. Superman (1978) Christopher Reeve stars as Clark Kent/Superman fighting villainous Lex Luthor, played by Gene Hackman. Tue., 1:30 p.m.

American Cinematheque at the Egyptian Theatre, 6712 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood. (323) 466-FILM. The Secret Policeman's Ball Film Festival Featuring Monty Python members, Sting, Bruce Springsteen, Bono, Eric Clapton and more in Amnesty International Benefit Concerts. Visit www.americancinematheque.com for information. Thu.-next Sun.

Bing Theater at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art, 5905 Wilshire Blvd., L.A. (323) 857-6010. Playboy Jazz on Film Film archivist Mark Cantor presents a series of film clips featuring rare performances by jazz greats such as Freddie Hubbard, Duke Ellington, Louis Armstrong, Bill Evans, Fats Waller, and many more. Thu., 7:30 p.m.