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16-17, 22-23
August
Baab Bird
Bird Show
2008

You won't find a more entertaining, and quite possibly earsplitting, introduction to Thai superstardom than this series of arena shows by veteran singer, actor, heartthrob extraordinaire Baab Bird Bird. Tickets for the shows at Impact Muang Thong Thani through www.thaiticketmajor.com



12 August
The Queen's Birthday/
Mother's Day

Her Royal Highness Queen Sirikit Kitayakara is considered the Mother of the Nation, so it makes sense that her birthday – a public holiday – is also Mother's Day across the nation. Alongside squabbling siblings out lavishing their mother with flower garlands or a slap-up meal, expect to see glowing lights and portraits of the Queen lining many streets, most flamboyantly along Ratchadamnoen Avenue. Head there in the evening – there's bound to be a crowd out. Or, if you're mothers in town, why not treat her to lunch or dinner at one of Bangkok's swanky hotel restaurants? See page 76 of our dining section for ideas.

29 August-14 September
12th Thai Short Film
and Video Festival

Scratch your short, independent film itch with a visit to this long-running, Thai talent-nurturing onefest. Joining the array of homegrown shorts this year will be exclusive foreign efforts and documentaries. Ok, so not all films will have English subtitles but it will be a great chance to scope out the venue: the brand new Bangkok Art and Culture Centre at Pathumwan Junction (opposite MBK shopping mall). For more details call 02-800-2716 or email the organizers at thaishortfilmfestival@gmail.com.



Until 10 August
Navin's Sala

Navin's Sala, a retrospective exhibition spanning the 15-year career of internationally renowned Thai-Indian artist Navin Rawanchaikul, continues at Raimon Land's The River Promenade, on the banks of the Chao Phraya. For more information call 02-252-3900, or visit www.bangkokartmap.com



9-17 August
Furniture
World 2008

Turn your tired condominium into a realm of the latest and greatest furniture trends – be it minimal, Zen or plush – with the help of this Furniture Fair at the Queen Sirikit National Convention Centre. www.furnitureworld2008.com

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NAVIN'S SALA

A Retrospective Exhibition by Navin Rawanchaikul

THE RESIDENCE. THE LIFESTYLE. THE ADDRESS.

THE RIVER

The River Promenade
July 4 - August 10, 2008
Daily 10am - 6pm
(Free Admission)

TAXIMAN RETURNS!!!

Hail a ride in the latest incarnation of the famous Navin's Taxi Gallery

MASTERPIECE!!!

Be the first to see the new nine-metre long Navin's Sala billboard painting featuring a cast of characters from his 15-year career and pick up a bumper copy of the artist's new monograph, packed with collaborative insights

EXCLUSIVE!!

Get your hands on the latest fashion accessories from the brand new line of Jim Thompson's Pha Khao Mar Collection by Navin Production

How to access The River Promenade

By Car:

The River is located on Charoen Nakhorn Rd, beside Soi 13 close to the Peninsula Hotel. Limited parking is available at The River Promenade.

By BTS/Boat:

The River's complimentary shuttle boat is available throughout the exhibition. The boat leaves regularly from the Hotel Shuttle Boats Pier at Takasin Bridge, or can be arranged by calling The River Promenade: 02-861-1921. To reach the pier, take the BTS Sky Train to the last stop, Saphan Taksin, and follow signs.

DON'T MISS!!!

Collect the limited edition "Quotations From Comrade Navin" ceramic bust and book set specially produced to celebrate the formation of the Navin Party.



JIM THOMPSON

