

# alternative C I N E M A

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## The Eternal Daughter (12A)

Sunday 3rd March

Drama, Mystery | English

An artist and her elderly mother confront long-buried secrets when they return to a former family home that's now a hotel haunted by its mysterious past. Featuring a towering, deeply moving dual performance by Tilda Swinton, acclaimed filmmaker Joanna Hogg's beguiling new chapter in The Souvenir story is a brilliant and captivating exploration of parental relationships and the things we leave behind.



## Samsara (U)

Sunday 10th March

Drama | Swahili with English subtitles

In the temples of Laos, teenage monks befriend a boy who's accompanying a soul in transit from one body to another through the bardo. A luminous and sonorous journey leads to reincarnation on the beaches of Zanzibar, where groups of women work in seaweed farms. Samsara is an extraordinary and immersive cinema experience that the viewer is asked to lean into, at one point with eyes shut. Boasting mesmerising visuals, the highly immersive and meditative film by artist and director Lois Patiño is a masterfully-crafted, critically-acclaimed contemplation on the Buddhist cycle of life.



## The Taste Of Things plus Q&A (12A)

Sunday 17th March

Drama, History, Romance | French with English subtitles

Passions and delicious food simmer in nineteenth-century France in a stunningly beautiful romance from acclaimed director Tran Anh Hung. Peerless cook Eugenie has worked for the famous gourmet Dodin for the last twenty years. The bond they share through a fondness for food and mutual admiration blossoms into a passionate romance that gives rise to delicious dishes that impress some of the world's most illustrious chefs. But Eugenie is fond of her freedom and has never wanted to marry Dodin. So, he decides to do something he has never done before: cook for her. Enjoy this delectable feast for the senses that includes a twenty-minute Q&A with BAFTA and Oscar-winner Juliette Binoche.



## Days Of Heaven (12A)

Sunday 24th March

Drama, Romance | English

Following its premiere at the Venice Film Festival, the breathtaking new 4K restoration of Days Of Heaven brings Terrence Malick's extraordinary cinematic achievement back to the big screen. Richard Gere, Sam Shepard, and Brooke Adams star in a moving story of two men who love the same woman. Famously shot primarily during the magic hour, Terrence Malick's rapturous tale of love and deceit is widely renowned as one of the most visually arresting films of the last century. Now, following a beautiful 4K restoration, Nestor Almendros's transcendent, Oscar-winning cinematography has truly never looked better.

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