

Summer Anime Series 2009

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LUPIN THE III THE CASTLE OF CAGLIOSTRO

Friday, July 31st @ 6:30pm

When master thief Lupin III, also known as “The Wolf,” realizes he has stolen a fortune’s worth of phony bills, he sets out to expose the counterfeiting culprits. His search leads him to an impenetrable fortress in the land of Cagliostro, where he and his colorful gang of outlaws cross swords with the mysterious monarch. Adventure ensues as Lupin is forced to battle fierce ninjas and rescue a damsel in distress in his quest to uncover the key to the lost Cagliostro fortune.

Long before Studio Ghibli, Academy Award winning director Hayao Miyazaki made his directorial debut with this classic anime adventure. Since then the film has stood the test of time, gaining a legion of across the globe. Don’t miss this chance to see why Steven Spielberg once called it “One of the greatest adventure movies of all time.”

Japanese with English subtitles. 102 min, 1979. Directed by Hayao Miyazaki.

This event is free and open to the public. Seating is limited and will be granted on a first come, first served basis. Reservations required. Please send your name, affiliation, the number in your party and the names of your guests to jiccrsvpsummer09@embjapan.org.

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Aug. 28 • Death Note II: The Last Name

Following on the heels of the first *Death Note* movie, Light Yagami joins the investigation of the serial killer known as “Kira,” trying to uncover L’s real name so he can kill him with his Death Note. L suspects that Light is Kira, but a new rash of murders are taking place around the world, with a “Second Kira” claiming responsibility. When Light learns the identity of the Second Kira, he suggests they join forces to get rid of L. Will L be able to catch Kira before he is killed?

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