

GERMAN-MALTESE CIRCLE

German Film Evening

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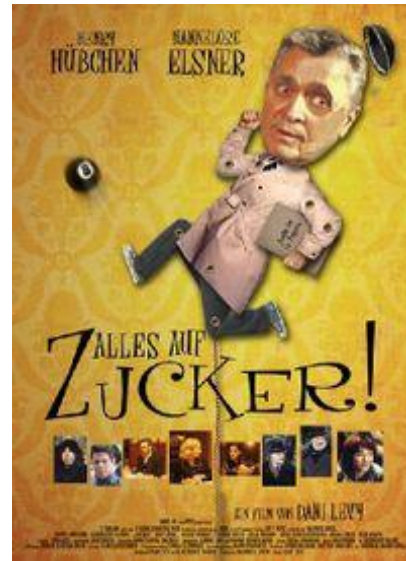
Venue: Messina Palace,
Triq San Kristofru, Valletta

Time: 18.30 hours

Alles auf Zucker!

(Go for Zucker!)

In German with English sub-titles



Alles auf Zucker! (90 minutes) is a German comedy film, released internationally in 2004. Directed by Dani Levy, the cast includes Henry Hübchen, Hannelore Elsner, Udo Samel, Golda Tencer and Steffen Groth.

Director Dani Levy, himself Jewish, has made an ironic comedy about modern Jewish identity in present-day Germany. Henry Hübchen stars as Jäcki Zucker.

Jakob Zuckermann alias Jäcki Zucker is Jewish. But he says he's got nothing to do with "that club", ever since his mother and his little brother left him behind the Iron Curtain in the GDR when he was young. Therefore when he learns of the death of his mother, he does not care. However he has to care, since his younger brother pays him a visit with his own family. According to Jewish tradition, they have to observe the seven-day Shiv'ah period of mourning and their *Mamme's* will requires them to reconcile in the presence of the rabbi and the family. If they fail, her assets will be bestowed upon the Jewish community of Berlin, and not them.

The movie was critically acclaimed in Germany and won a number of awards, most notably – the **2005 Deutscher Filmpreis**.

Entrance is free.

Members of the German-Maltese Circle and their friends are welcome!