

Film title

Celine and Julie Go Boating

Tagline

Short synopsis

When Celine goes traipsing across a Parisian park, unwittingly dropping first a scarf, then other objects, Julie starts to follow her, picking up each item. So begins a fanciful relationship between the two, which soon sees each of them playfully switching identities in their daily lives.

Long synopsis

Celine is a magician and mythomaniac. Julie is a librarian lost in her memories of childhood. They meet by chance, strike up a friendship, confide in each other, and, fleeing reality, move to an old, calm house where they start imagining a whole other incredible existence full of adventures. They each get caught up in their own game, and, willingly slipping away from reality, invent fantasies nourished by dreams, memories and desires. Their love of life, fantasy and adventure spurs them to set sail.

Technical information and credits

Original title: Céline et Julie vont en bateau
English title: Celine and Julie Go Boating
Year: 1974
Country: France
Language: FR
Subtitles: CZ
Running time: 193 min
Dostupnost: 15+

DVD / Blu-ray: DCP, MP4
Genre: Drama, Fantasy, Comedy
Directed by: Jacques Rivette
Written by: Juliet Berto, Dominique Labourier, Bulle Ogier, Marie-France Pisier, Jacques Rivette, Eduardo de Gregorio, Henry James
Edited by: Nicole Lubtchansky
Cinematography: Jacques Renard
Sound by: Paul Lainé

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Awards

Locarno IFF - Special Prize of the Jury - 1974

Actors

Juliet Berto, Dominique Labourier, Bulle Ogier, Marie-France Pisier, Barbet Schroeder, Anne Zamire

