

This Week's Southeast Asian Entertainment Buzz: Esports, Films, and Stream

Southeast Asia Entertainment · Answer Key · 18 Questions

1. Which Southeast Asian country will become the annual host nation for the SEA Esports Nations Cup (SNC) starting in 2026?

- A) Thailand
- B) Malaysia
- C) Vietnam**
- D) Indonesia

2. The Southeast Asian Games Showcase 2026, part of Summer Game Fest, highlighted new gameplay from which sequel?

- A) No Straight Roads 2**
- B) Until Then: After Images
- C) Gigabash: Final Ascension
- D) Puni the Florist

3. Which two major Asian streaming services have partnered to launch a bundled subscription across Southeast Asia in the second half of 2026?

- A) Netflix and Disney+
- B) Viu and iQIYI International**
- C) Amazon Prime Video and HBO Max
- D) Apple TV+ and Hulu

4. The Da Nang Asian Film Festival (DANAFF) 2026, under the theme "Bridging Asia to the World," is scheduled to run from June 28 to July 4 in which Vietnamese city?

- A) Hanoi
- B) Ho Chi Minh City
- C) Da Nang**
- D) Hue

5. Magnus Carlsen won the inaugural 2026 ASEAN E-Sports Chess Cup, which took place in which Southeast Asian capital city?

- A) Kuala Lumpur
- B) Bangkok**
- C) Jakarta
- D) Singapore

6. Which Filipino animated fantasy adventure series, rooted in Filipino mythology, is set to premiere on June 22, 2026?

- A) Balaraw
- B) The Master Cutter
- C) Sun Chaser**
- D) 18th Rose

7. The SeaShorts Film Festival, an annual celebration of Southeast Asian short film, is accepting entries until June 4, 2026. Which country hosts this festival?

- A) Singapore
- B) Philippines
- C) Malaysia**
- D) Indonesia

8. Which Indonesian animated feature film, produced by Visinema Studios, has been recognized as the highest-grossing Southeast Asian animation of all time?

- A) Jumbo**
- B) Na Willa
- C) Buru Quartet
- D) Noli Me Tangere

9. The 35th Seoul Music Awards (SMA) 2026 is scheduled to be held on June 20, 2026, in which country?

- A) Japan
- B) Thailand
- C) South Korea**
- D) Philippines

10. What is the main theme for the 2026 Da Nang Asian Film Festival (DANAFF)?

- A) Asian Cinema Connects
- B) Bridging Asia to the World**
- C) The Future of Film
- D) Southeast Asian Stories

11. Which of the following is NOT a game highlighted in the Southeast Asian Games Showcase 2026?

- A) No Straight Roads 2
- B) Gigabash
- C) Until Then
- D) Valorant**

12. The 2026 ASEAN E-Sports Chess Cup featured 22 players, including representatives from ASEAN member federations and international invitees. What was the prize fund for the tournament?

- A) \$10,000
- B) \$20,000**
- C) \$30,000
- D) \$40,000

13. Which Thai series, premiering on June 11, 2026, focuses on a young lawyer wrongfully accused of murder who seeks the help of a lawyer known as "The Evil Lawyer"?

- A) Black Coral
- B) The Running of Love and Money
- C) The Scammer Games
- D) The Evil Lawyer**

14. Which of these is a new Thai drama series scheduled for release in June 2026, described as a horror, supernatural, romance, and thriller?

- A) In Love Forever
- B) The Running of Love and Money
- C) Black Coral**
- D) The Scammer Games

15. The SEA Esports Nations Cup (SNC) aims to build a professional esports competition system based on national teams, similar to which type of sports model?

- A) Individual Sports
- B) Extreme Sports
- C) Traditional Sports**
- D) Water Sports

16. Which Indonesian animated feature film, noted for its commercial viability, garnered over 10 million viewers in theaters?

- A) Jumbo**
- B) Ne Zha 2
- C) Visinema Studios
- D) Animation Report 2026

17. According to the State of Influence in APAC 2026 Report, influencer content plays a critical role in which phase of the consumer journey?

- A) Awareness
- B) Purchase
- C) Consideration**
- D) Post-purchase

18. The 35th Seoul Music Awards 2026 is being held at a venue in Incheon, South Korea, described as the country's first performance-specialized venue. What is the venue called?

- A) Olympic Gymnastics Arena
- B) Jamsil Indoor Stadium
- C) INSPIRE Arena**
- D) Gocheok Sky Dome