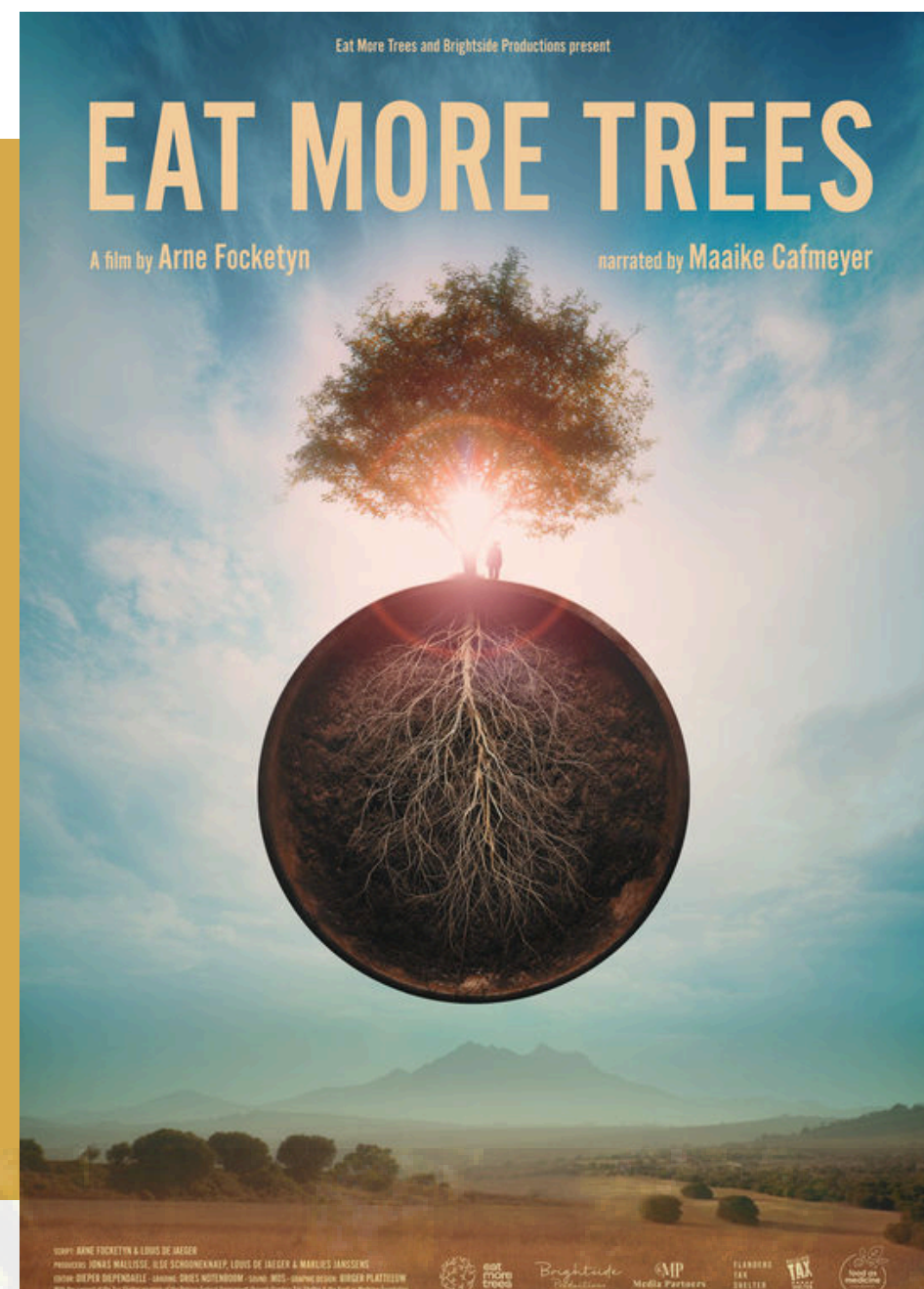


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The United Nations and the European Commission's DG Environment have the pleasure of inviting you to a screening of the documentary **“Eat More Trees”** by Arne Focketyn to mark World Environment Day and EU Green Week.



The film will be followed by a panel discussion with



Arne Focketyn
Film Director

At the age of 8 **Arne Focketyn** was in a sketch show and discovered the power of film and television. He edited his first Hi8-video with his grandfather at the age of 12. A profound curiosity about this world and its inhabitants steered Arne towards making documentaries, with a main focus on humans on a mission to make the world a better place.



Astrid Schomaker
Executive Secretary of the Convention on Biological Diversity

Prior to her appointment as Executive Secretary of the CBD, at the level of Assistant Secretary-General of the United Nations, **Astrid Schomaker** was the Director for Green Diplomacy and Multilateralism with the European Commission in Brussels. There she promoted a global transition to resource-efficient, low-emission, nature-positive circular economies. She also focused on increasing the EU's effectiveness in addressing international environmental challenges, strengthening multilateralism and international environmental governance, and working towards the full implementation of multilateral environment agreements, among other priorities.



Yanniek Schoonhoven
Farmer of La Junquera & CEO Regeneration Academy

Yanniek Schoonhoven is a regenerative agriculture expert and founder of the Regeneration Academy in Spain. With a Master's in Environmental Sciences, she has worked with Commonland and Alvelal, supporting farmers in ecosystem restoration. A certified young farmer, she has spent nine years implementing regenerative practices at La Junquera and has led 70+ courses on sustainable farming. Recognized as a Soil Mission Ambassador (2024), she connects universities, businesses, and international partners to advance regenerative education and research.



Moderator: Sherri Aldis,
Director of the United Nations Regional Information Centre for Western Europe (UNRIC)

This event is brought to you by the United Nations in Brussels, the European Commission's DG Environment and the Cinéma Vendôme.

Synopsis

Farmers Alfonso and Yanniek are trying to save their Spanish farm from desertification in drought-stricken La Junquera. They are switching to sustainable farming methods, fighting against illegal water extraction and the unpredictability of the climate. Their herd of rare cattle is growing, but the question remains whether they can actually turn the tide.

The documentary will be in Dutch, English, and Spanish with English subtitles, and has a runtime of 75 minutes.



World Environment Day 2026

**The signals are clear. What comes next is up to us.
#NowForClimate**



World Environment Day, celebrated on 5 June, focuses on climate change, on the urgent signals the Earth is sending and the signals we choose to send back. The United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)'s global campaign calls on all of us to step in #NowForClimate, and steer a world already in motion. *World Environment Day 2026 calls on governments, cities, businesses, and people everywhere to move in one direction: read the signals around you—and send one back. Every action is a signal. Start a conversation. Fund a solution. Shift a policy. Share a story. Make your moves in ways that move others. What signals will you send this #WorldEnvironmentDay?* More information: <https://www.worldenvironmentday.global/>

EU Green Week 2026

Investing in a nature-positive economy

The EU Green Week is a high-level conference organized by DG Environment, bringing together policymakers, investors, and civil society. The 26th edition of EU Green Week puts the spotlight on the business case for nature, demonstrating that a nature-positive economy is essential for Europe's prosperity, resilience, and competitiveness. For 25 years, EU Green Week - organised by the European Commission's Directorate-General for Environment - has been Europe's leading environmental conference and an annual opportunity to raise awareness, promote and discuss the latest and upcoming developments in European environmental policy.

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