

## Press Release

### Film Screening: One of Those Days When Hemme Dies

Part of the project **Karşı / Käpsöi: Artistic Mobility Across the Aegean**

**Lesvos Solidarity (Lesvos) and Seyir Derneği / Ayvalık International Film Festival (Ayvalık)**  
invite you to a special screening:

#### **One of Those Days When Hemme Dies**

**Director:** Murat Fıratoğlu

**Country:** Turkey

**Year:** 2024

**Genre:** Drama

**Duration:** 82'

*A simmering, almost silent rebellion unfolds on a sweltering, stifling day.*

*Murat Fıratoğlu's debut blends tragicomedy with poetry,  
unfolding the inner life of a worker on the edge.*

The screening is part of the artistic project **Karşı / Käpsöi**, a collaborative initiative between local art communities in Lesvos, Chios, Patmos, and Sigri, and their counterparts in Ayvalık, İzmir, Pergamon, and Çanakkale.

The **Karşı / Käpsöi** project — meaning “across” or “opposite” in both languages — draws inspiration from the geographic, cultural, and linguistic proximity of the local artistic communities on both sides of the Northern Aegean. At the same time, the Turkish word “**karşılaşma**” (encounter) conveys the spirit of the project: strengthening artistic and social ties through creative collaboration.

**Karşı** unfolds over eight months and includes exchanges, workshops, discussions, and a printed publication. Its goal is to build sustainable collaborations between neighboring organizations that have much to learn from one another. As part of the project, 8 independent art initiatives have joined forces: four from the Greek side and four from the Turkish side: **Lesvos Solidarity (Lesvos) & Seyir Derneği (Ayvalık)**, **Carr (Chios) & Maquis Projects (İzmir)**, **Restia (Sigri) & Sarı Denizaltı Sanat İnisiyatifi (Pergamon)**, **Patmos Ceramic Tiles (Patmos) & sub (Çanakkale)**.

 Cine Arion, Smyrnis 9, Mytilene

 4 July 2025, 18:00–20:30

 Free Admission

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