The Embassy of Japan

X

The Centre for Japanese Studies

at the Gordon Institute of Business Science

invite all to a screening of...

THE WIFE OF GEGEGE

(DIRECTED BY TAKUJI SUZUKI)



Plot Summary

A love story depicting the younger days of Mizuki Shigeru, author of "Gegege no Kitaro," the well-known comic on 'yokai' (supernatural beings), and his wife Mura Nunoe, who supported him through the years. Like the hit TV drama version, the film is based on Nunoe's autobiography, but it focuses mainly on their days as newlyweds when they lived through extreme poverty, and provides a heart-warming account of their struggles as they start a life together. In Shimane prefecture, 1961, 29 year-old Nunoe (Fukiishi Kazue) and Shigeru (Kudo Kankuro), a manga artist who lost his left arm in the war, get married, just five days after being introduced at a matchmaking meeting. They move to Tokyo and endure a life of abysmal poverty. (c) 2010 MIZUKI production "Gegege no Nyobo" Production Committee

Date: Saturday 12 April, 2014 **Time**: 14:00

Venue: GIBS (26 Melville Road Illovo Jhb)

Entrance: Free*

*Seats will be available on a first come first served basis. A maximum of 4 tickets can be reserved per adult. E-mail bookings can be made on or before 31st March, 2014 by sending an e-mail to: **vanessa.jardim@pr.mofa.go.jp**

Embassy of Japan

Gordon Institute of Business Science Centre for Japanese Studies

