



HARLEM ARTS FESTIVAL

2012

FRIDAY-
SATURDAY

JUNE 29-30
1PM-8PM

#HARLEMARTSFEST

RICHARD RODGERS AMPHITHEATER
MARCUS GARVEY PARK

FREE ADMISSION

FREE LIVE
MUSIC
DANCE
THEATER
VISUAL ARTS
SPOKEN WORD
KIDS' ACTIVITIES
VENDORS
AND MORE!

FESTIVAL GUIDE

The Harlem Arts Festival presents free live music, dance, theater, and poetry performances, visual arts, and activities and classes for youth and families. The festival was founded to highlight the creative wealth of the community and to celebrate the artistic legacy of Harlem by presenting the art that's made here, now.

In this guide, you will find:

The 2012 Festival Map

This map lists the locations of various festival events and activities. On it you can also find a description of what happens at each location.

Performance Schedule

All performances on the Main Stage and Second Stage, taking place Friday, June 29, and Saturday, June 30 are listed in this schedule.

Visual Arts Listing

This is a mini guide of the photographers, sculptors, painters, and fine artists showing their work in the Gallery Walk and the Vendor Space.

Kids' Program

All youth and family activities taking place at the Kids' Corner on both days of the festival are listed here. Start With Art classes and performances that will be in the Harlem Library on Saturday, June 29, are listed as well.

Festival Vendors and Supporters

Check this list for the businesses selling their goods on Saturday, June 30th on Marcus Garvey Park West, and the individuals and organizations who have been our biggest supporters.

If there is something missing from this guide, feel free to ask us! Festival greeters will be stationed throughout Marcus Garvey Park to answer any questions you might have.

Enjoy the festival!



PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, JUNE 29

1PM MUSIC
The SouL'D Out Band
Main Stage | 1:00pm-1:45pm

2PM DANCE
Leah Tubbs/ModArts Dance Collective
Main Stage | 2:00pm-2:30pm

3PM MUSIC
Shine and the Moonbeams
Main Stage | 3:00pm-3:30pm

THEATER
Kanene Holder
Second Stage | 3:30pm-4:00pm

4PM THEATER
Harlem KW Project, LLC
Main Stage | 4:00pm-5:00pm

POETRY
Mayhem Poets
Second Stage | 5:00pm-5:15pm

5PM DANCE
Guerilla Dance Collective
Main Stage | 5:45pm-6:00pm

SPOKEN WORD
AMMAE & Troupe
Second Stage | 5:30pm-6:00pm

6PM DANCE
Arch Dance Company
Main Stage | 6:00pm-6:30pm

MUSIC
Lynette Williams
Second Stage | 6:30pm-7:00pm

7PM MUSIC
Harlem Symphony Orchestra
Main Stage | 7:00pm-8:00pm

SATURDAY, JUNE 30

1PM MUSIC
Gary Samuels & The Prayz'N Hymn Ensemble
Main Stage | 1:00pm-1:30pm

MUSIC
Isaac Katalay
Second Stage | 1:30pm-2:00pm

2PM MUSIC
The Mighty Third Rail
Main Stage | 2:00pm-2:45pm

MUSIC
Gwen Laster
Second Stage | 2:30pm-3:00pm

3PM DANCE
Illstyle & Peace Productions
Main Stage | 3:00pm-3:30pm

SPOKEN WORD
James Browning Kepple
Second Stage | 3:30pm-4:00pm

4PM MUSIC
Benjamin Barson
Main Stage | 4:00pm-4:30pm

DANCE
Guerilla Dance Collective
Second Stage | 4:30pm-4:45pm

5PM

THEATER
Shelah Marie
Second Stage | 5:00pm-5:30pm

6PM DANCE
Vernard J. Gilmore/La Verdad
Main Stage | 6:00pm-6:45pm

7PM THEATER
Queen Esther & Francesca Harper
Main Stage | 7:00pm-8:00pm

START WITH ART!
SATURDAY, JUNE 30 11AM-4PM

HARLEM LIBRARY 9 WEST 124TH STREET
PERFORMANCES & ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS AGES 5-15!

VISUAL ARTS GALLERY WALK

Gallery Walk visual artists will display their work on Friday and Saturday. Artists in the Vendor Space will be showing Saturday, June 30th, only.

PAINTING & CANVAS-BASED ART
Bryce R. Zackery
Gallery Walk

PAINTING & CANVAS-BASED ART
Judy Levy
Gallery Walk

SCULPTURE, CRAFTS, FINE ARTS
Laura Gadson
Gallery Walk

PHOTOGRAPHY
Leon Barber
Gallery Walk

PAINTING & CANVAS-BASED ART
Maxine DeSeta
Gallery Walk

PHOTOGRAPHY
Ricardo Muniz
Gallery Walk

PAINTING & CANVAS-BASED ART
Thomas Edwin Heath
Gallery Walk

PAINTING & CANVAS-BASED ART
Veronica Tyson-Strait
Gallery Walk

PAINTING & CANVAS-BASED ART
Andre Woolery
Vendor Space

PHOTOGRAPHY
Ilene Squires
Vendor Space

SCULPTURE, CRAFTS, FINE ARTS
Marissa Jackson
Vendor Space

PAINTING & CANVAS-BASED ART
Rudolph Greenaway
Vendor Space

KIDS' CORNER & START WITH ART

The Kids' Corner, located at the northwest corner of the park will have activities and crafts Friday and Saturday. Start With Art, happening Saturday, June 30th only, will take place in the Harlem Library.

KIDS' CORNER

Fri-Sat, June 29th & 30th, 2012
12pm-4pm, Marcus Garvey Park

Both festival days at the Kids' Corner feature activities like face painting, arts and crafts, and more!

Friday, June 29, 12:00pm-4:00pm:
Family Yoga with Land Yoga

Saturday, June 30, 12:00pm-4:00pm:
Button-Making with Cooper Hewitt

Mural Making and Arts & Crafts with Harlem School of the Arts

Visual Arts Workshop with Artistic Dreams

START WITH ART!

Saturday, June 30th, 2012
11am-4pm, Harlem Library

11:00am-12:00pm
Merengue Dance Class, Ballroom Basix

12:00pm-12:45pm
Poetry Workshop, Mayhem Poets

1:00pm-2:00pm
Harlem Swing Dance Class, Ballroom Basix

2:00pm-2:45pm
Theater Workshop, Harlem School of the Arts

3:00pm-3:45pm
Griots in Concert, Yaffa Productions

FESTIVAL SUPPORTERS

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Ballroom Basix

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ABOUT THE FESTIVAL

The Harlem Arts Festival is a free annual festival presenting Harlem-based and affiliated music, dance, theater, and visual arts. The mission of HAF is to inspire and nourish the artistic community. It also aims to promote arts education and literacy through arts-related discussion forums, educational workshops, and performance opportunities and activities for youth and family. The first Harlem Arts Festival will be held at the Richard Rodgers Amphitheater in Marcus Garvey Park June 29-30, 2012.

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