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La Faya 2010

Federation Square, Melbourne
Sunday 28 March 2010
Noon till late



An event not to be missed

Showcasing the rich & colourful culture of people from
the Indian Ocean islands of Mauritius, Rodrigues, Seychelles
& other communities in Victoria

The program will include

- An exhibition - Beyond the Postcard Image, Mauritians & Rodriguans in Victoria
- Down Memory Lane - display of historical photographs
- The Reading Corner, Kids Corner, Health Corner, Community Corner
- Talks, cultural workshops and traditional games
- A variety of exotic, traditional and contemporary songs and dances
- Food Stalls selling traditional Mauritian delicacies and more:
Delicious Mauritius & Lucy's Divine Cakes will bring you a mix of Chinese, Indian, French & Creole cuisine; Le Baobab will provide a taste of African Cuisine
- Variety Concert - BMW Edge from 7.00pm (see program for entry fee)

Brought to you by

The Cultural Historical Association of Rodriguans and Mauritians in Victoria Inc
(C.H.A.R.M Vic) in collaboration with community groups & community members

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| Location - BMW EDGE (indoor) - Opening Ceremony | |
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| 12.00 -1.00pm | Spiritual Celebration – the focus will be on Cultural Diversity, Harmony & Tolerance Speeches – A special welcome for visitors, newly arrived migrants, International Students & guests Featuring St Paul Apostle North & South Schools Choirs, Endeavour Hills & the Cranbourne Lions Concert Band The Mauritian Golden Age Club Choir |
| 12.00 - 4.00pm | Beyond the Postcard Image...Mauritians & Rodriguans in Victoria Down Memory Lane – Display of historical photographs The Reading Corner Air Mauritius Display |
| 1.30 - 4.00pm | Various Talks by guest speakers Anita Bentata: Stress & Trauma; David Spitteler: Asylum Seekers/Refugees – Who Cares? Patrick Morel: History of Mauritius, Jewish Refugees WWII |
| 7.00pm | Grand Finale - Variety Concert showcasing our rich cultural heritage – Entry Fee \$5 for 15 and over, under 15 Free. Prebook your ticket. Thank you for your support, funds will help us cover festival costs. Featuring guest performers: Rnb sensation Kritical, Casey Idol Priscilla Leveque, Jaspورا, Sego Lebrasse, Dance Project, MCCSV, Lindsay Min Fa & more |

| Location - The Square - (outdoor) - program subject to change without notice | | |
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| | St Paul's Apostle North & South Schools Choir | Choir |
| 1:00 pm | Happy Feet (Mauritian Golden Age) | Line Dancing |
| 1:05 pm | Burmese Cultural Dancers | Traditional Dance group |
| 1:15 pm | Mr. Dynamite | Solo Artist |
| 1:25 pm | Bollywood Sensations | Dance group |
| 1:35 pm | Violeta Parra - Chilean Traditional dancers | Traditional Dance group |
| 1:45 pm | The Welcome Ladies | 4 piece band |
| 2:05 pm | Tropical Sensations | Dance group |
| 2:15 pm | Leo Grandcourt | Solo Artist |
| 2:25 pm | Rodriguan Social Club of Vic | Traditional dance from Rodrigues – Kotis |
| 2:35 pm | Les Flamboyant Girls & Ti Marmites | Traditional dance from Mauritius – Séga |
| 2:45 pm | Jaspورا | 6 Piece Band |
| 3:05 pm | Ben Rosemond | Solo Artist |
| 3:15 pm | Kanasuk | Traditional Mauritian Band |
| 3:35 pm | Mario Gentil | Solo Artist |
| 3:45 pm | DVS | Solo Artist |
| | Adele & Schadae | Traditional dance from Mauritius – Séga |
| 3:55 pm | Partaz Nou Kiltir | Traditional dance from Rodrigues |
| 4:05 pm | Absolute Melbourne Band | 4 Singers |
| 4:15 pm | Brittany Leo | Solo Artist |
| 4:25 pm | Take it to the limit | 5 Piece Band |
| 4:45 pm | Rnb sensation Kritical performing live before launching his | Australian national tour |
| 4:55 pm | Mauritian Rush | 5 Piece Band With Dancers |
| 5:15 pm | Mauritian Chinese Cultural Society of Vic Lindsay Min Fa, Caitlyn Min Fa | Traditional Chinese dances & songs Solo Artists |
| 5:35pm | Talk Of the Town | 9 piece band |
| 5:55 pm | Jessica–Jade Bruce | Solo Artist |
| 6:10 pm | Sunset band | 5 piece band |
| 6:40 pm | Dance Project | Dance group |

- What else can you find in the Square?
- The Kids Corner – face painting, colouring & more
 - The Health Corner (Dr Ariane D'Argent) & The Community Corner where info will be available for International Students
 - The Phoenix Beer – Bottlebook stall
 - Special Festival offer – Enjoy the traditional Phoenix Beer from Mauritius at Transport Hotel

| Location – the River Terrace (outdoor) | |
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| 12.00 till 6.00pm 1pm - 3pm | The Food Corner: Tantalise your taste buds, try some exotic traditional delicacies & beverages Traditional games: pétanque, carom, dominoes Cultural workshops: 1pm: Sega & Kotis |
| | 2.30pm – Chilean dance |