

Grenatian Homeconing Information Package

"Engaging Our Communities - Embracing Our Heritage"

AUGUST 5th - 18th 2012

• Sunday August 5th, 2012

Event – Church Service & Official Opening of Homecoming 2012 Venue – Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, St. George Time – 8:00 a.m.

• Wednesday August 8th, 2012

Event – Thematic Platform Programmes: Part I

Jurisdiction - Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) **New York** Platform - **Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) Training** Venue - St. George's University Times - 9:00 a.m.

Jurisdiction - Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) **New York** Platform - **Mental Health Training (Public)**Venue - Bains Upper Level Conference Room, Grenville, St. Andrew Time - 5:00 p.m.

Jurisdiction - Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) **Washington D.C.**Platform - **Preservation & Protection of the Cultural Heritage of Grenada**Venue - Sedan chair porticos on Church Street, St. George
Time - 10:00 a.m.

Jurisdiction – Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) **Canada** Platform – **Investment & Tourism**Venue – Grenada National Museum
Time – 10:00 a.m.

• Thursday August 9th, 2012

Event - Workshop/Seminar Part I: "Management & Negotiations"

Jurisdiction - Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) United Kingdom

Venue – Sea Wave Upper Level, Hillsborough, Carriacou

Time - 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

About the Seminar: *Pre-registration Required

Event - Thematic Platform Programmes

Jurisdiction - Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) New York

Platform - Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)

Venue – Princess Royal Hospital, Carriacou (Venue to be confirmed)

Times – 9:00 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.

Platform - Mental Health Training (Public)

Venue – Hillsborough Multi-purpose Centre Conference Room, Carriacou

Time - 5:00 p.m.

Event – Workshop/Seminar Part II: "Business & Investment"

Jurisdiction - Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) Canada

Venue – G.I.D.C. Conference Room, Frequente, St. George

Time - 9:00 a.m.

About the Seminar: *Pre-registration Required

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Event - United National Project

Venue - St. David

Time - 10:00 a.m.

About the Project:

Members of all the Political Parties in Grenada would be working together to build a Bus Stop in Vincennes, St. David.

• Tuesday August 7th - Thursday August 9th, 2012

Event - Diaspora Youth Day Camp

Venue - St. Rose Modern Secondary School, Gouyave, St. John

Registration Deadline - Friday June 29th, 2012

About the Camp:

The camp is opened to Grenadian Youths here and abroad between the ages of 11-18. Registration fee EC\$50.00

Mission Statement

It is our mission to ensure that you feel welcome and at home and enjoy what Grenada has to offer. Journey with us as we explore Grenada's History and embrace our rich and vibrant heritage.

Our Vision

The Diaspora Youth Day Camp aims to strengthen our Human Resource Capacity through well-rounded training and seminars, striving for the enhancement of youth development programmes for young Grenadians.

• Friday August 10th, 2012

Event - Thematic Platform Programmes: Part II

Jurisdiction - Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) **New York** Platform - **Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Training** Venue - Medical Stations/Centres, Islandwide Times - 9:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.

Jurisdiction - Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) **United Kingdom**Platform - **Annual Student Stories & Poetry Challenge**Launch Venue - Grenada Boys Secondary School (GBSS) Auditorium, Tanteen, St. George Time - 10:00 a.m.

Jurisdiction - Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) **New York** Platform - **Mental Health Training (Mt. Gay Hospital)**Venue - Mt. Gay Hospital Conference Room, Mt. Gay, St. George Time - 10:00 a.m.

Jurisdiction – Grenada Association of Barbados Platform – **Economic Diversification** Venue – U.W.I. Open Campus, T.A. Marryshow House, H.A. Blaize Street, St. George Time – 1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

• Saturday August 11th, 2012

Event – Family Fun Day Venue – Morne Rouge Playing Field & Camerhogne Park, Grand Anse, St. George Time – 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Outline of Activities:

Sports & Games

Football Match
Cricket Match
Lime & Spoon Race
Sac Race
Three Legged Race
Catching the School Bus
Thread the Needle
Diaspora Race (male)
Diaspora Race (female)
Grenada/Diaspora Relay

Activities

Bouncing Castle
Ride the Donkey/Horse
Face Painting
Air Brush Tattoos
Pin the Donkey Tail
Beer Drinking Competition
Oil Down Eating Competition

Free Entertainment

Young Soca Artists
Kiddie's Band
Moko Jumbies
Acrobats
Drummers
Dancers

• Wednesday August 15th, 2012

Event – Diaspora Shopping Day Venue – Islandwide Time – All Day Participating Stores:

• Thursday August 16th, 2012

Event – Community Projects Venue – Every Parish Time – 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

• Thursday August 16th, 2012

Event – Gala/Dinner & Awards Ceremony Venue – Spice Basket, Beaulieu, St. George Time – 8:00 p.m. Price – EC\$150.00

- St. Patrick Chantimelle Refitting 2 doors on the Chantimelle Community Centre
- St. Andrew Birch Grove Refurbishing toilet facilities at the Palms
 Playing Field in Birch Grove
- St. Andrew Tivoli Beautification of the Bamboo Bridge
- St. David La Tante Constructing & painting 4 picnic type tables/benches for the La Tante Resource Centre
- St. George River Road Dining & Fellowship with Elderly in the Community
- Carriacou Beausejour Constructing seating facilities in Carriacou's Botanical Gardens
- Petite Martinique 5 Food Baskets to the Needy & Tree Planting Project

• Friday August 17th, 2012

Event – Workshop/Seminar Part III: "Copyrights & Royalties"
Jurisdiction - Diaspora Consultative Committee (DCC) **United Kingdom**Venue: Bains Upper Level Conference Room, Ben Jones Street, Grenville, St. Andrew Time: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

About the Seminar: *Pre-registration Required

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Event – Workshop/Seminar Part IV: "Politics & Governance" Jurisdiction – Grenada Association of **Barbados** Venue – U.W.I. Open Campus, T.A. Marryshow House, H.A. Blaize Street, St. George Time – 1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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• Saturday August 18th, 2012

Event – Cool Down Beach Party Venue – Bathway Beach, St. Patrick Time – 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Outline of Activity:

Informal Music by Popular D.J.