

Friday August 2, 2013
Sheraton Hotel,
Arlington, VA

6:00pm Doors open for guests

8:00-9:00pm Opening Ceremony begins with the ribbon cutting, National Anthen, cultural dance, and drama “Bahlina”.

9:15-1:55am Cultural Music and Dance Performances including: Salina Band from Eritrea and the Kunama Cultural Group from South Dakota

1:55-2:00am Closing Remarks

Event Details

Ticket Sale Options:
 \$90 for 3 Day Multi-Entry Package

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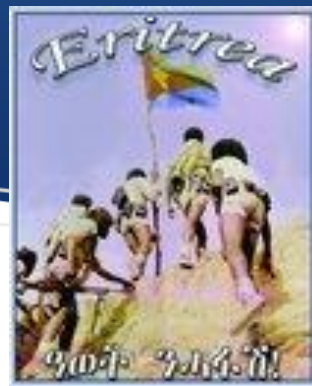
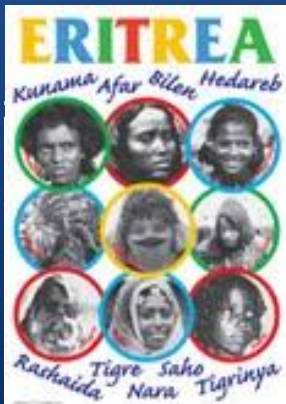
Friday August 2nd \$35.00
 Saturday August 3rd \$50.00
 Sunday August 4th \$35.00

Sports Competition:

Eritrean youth will participate in annual sports competitions at the following locations:

Basketball and Soccer: 1310 Childres St. N.E Washington D.C (Trinidad Rec. Center)

Golf: 2600 Benning Road N.E. Washington D.C (Langston Hughes Golf Course)



Program



Washington D.C.
August 2nd - 4th



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Saturday August 3, 2013 Washington Convention Center

8:00am-4:00pm Sports Competition including soccer, basketball, and golf.

10:00-11:00am PFDJ/PFDJ-2/YPFDJ members meeting with Ambassador Tesfamichael Gerahtu (Rm #207)

11:00-1:00pm Exhibition Opening Ceremony begins with ribbon cutting and exhibition tour (3rd floor)

1:00-2:00pm Lunch Break

2:00-4:00pm Doors open. Panel discussion: Human Rights as a Political Ploy to Destabilize Nations: The Case of

4:00-6:00pm “Eritrean Current Affairs” Seminar with Ambassador Tesfamichael Gerahtu. (Ballroom ABC)

6:00-7:00pm Taste of Eritrea (Rm #305)

6:00-8:00pm E.I.C. member’s annual meeting & workshop (Rm #207)

8:00-9:30pm Opening remarks of the Festival; moment of silence; National Anthem; Opening Cultural Show; Drama “Wirsha Tibe”; Kunama Cultural Group; ERIAM Sisters. (Ballroom ABC)

9:30-2:00am Cultural Music and Dance: Salina Band, Kunama Cultural Group, ERIAM Sisters (Ballroom ABC)

Sunday August 4, 2013 Washington Convention Center

9:00-4:00pm Final Sports Competition for soccer, basketball, and golf (Championship)

2:00-3:00pm Public Seminar: “PFDJ, the highest expressions of the Eritrean people organizational achievements” (Rm #207)

3:00-5:00pm Youth meeting: “The role of the youth in nation building” with Ambassador Gerahtu (Rm #207)

7:00-9:00pm Variety shows including the drama “Awliey” and the sports award presentation (Ballroom)

9:00-1:50am Cultural Music and Dance performances by Salina Band, Kunama Cultural Group, and ERIAM Sisters (Ballroom)

1:50am Closing remarks (Ballroom)