



Festival of Cultures News

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Mark Your Calendars:
8th Annual
Festival of Cultures
May 14, 2011
10am-4pm in Lee Park
www.festivalofcultures.org



CCS Adult Learning Center's Festival of Cultures a Recipient of Whole Foods' Nickels for Non-Profits April 2011

Did you know that when you shop at our local Whole Foods Market, you receive a nickel back for every reusable bag you bring in to use? While you could take the nickel off your bill, this is also a great opportunity to support a local non-profit.

During the month of April please use your nickels to support the Charlottesville Adult Learning Center's Festival of Cultures. Those small coins do add up quickly and help us to continue bringing this fun free celebration of diversity to our community.

With thanks and great appreciation to Whole Foods Market and all those who contribute their nickels!

New This Year...

Fiber arts demonstration and weaving craft—come visit the angora rabbits!
Global Creations—ESL students sell handcrafted items
CHS Chorus singing a welcome song—don't be late!

And Returning....

Reader's Theater with elementary ESL students
UVA Klezmer Ensemble and African Drumming with Darrell Rose
Many cultural exhibits—travel the world in Lee Park

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

Ever wonder what has happened to those international newcomers who participated in past Festivals?

Meetra who organized the Afghan dancers....
Now in her 3rd year at JMU



Anja of the Balkan Bakery... soon opening her new restaurant in the former Under the

Roof location on Main St.

Nancy, Bebe, and Josiane, originally from Central African Republic... now living—working and studying—in D.C.



Thank you to our supporters:

- AlbemarleFamily and Charlottesville Welcome Book
- Bama Works Fund in the Charlottesville Area Community Foundation
- Blue Ridge VA Chapter—UNA
- The Han Studio
- Piedmont Council of the Arts

Community Culture Quilt

This year's quilt will be on display at C'ville Coffee during the month of April.

Rather than raffling it as in past years, we are selling it to help raise funds for the Festival—stop by C'ville Coffee and take a look!

Or for more information
245-2819



Volunteers wanted!

Call 245-2819 or sign up at www.festivalofcultures.org to volunteer on Saturday, May 14th

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