

HERITAGE MONTH 2003: CALENDAR OF EVENTS

24-31 AUGUST

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
Sunday 24	Mogale Arts and Culture Festival	Coronation Park, Krugersdorp
Thursday 28	Launch of Heritage month: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A media events to announce Heritage Month • Deputy Minister to launch • Possible announcements by Gauteng of Heritage events, other provinces welcome to do the same • Film documentary on indigenous music • Performance on indigenous music instruments by MTM Foundations and children of the heritage music school • Exhibitions – relevant instruments to be played at each exhibition (e.g. Khoi San, Marabastad) • 	Transvaal Museum
Thursday - Saturday 28,29 & 30	Standard Joy of Jazz Joburg International Festival	Standard Bank Arena
Saturday 30	Drakensberg Music Awards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minister to hand over the awards 	
30 August	Thari Entsho Traditional Dance Festival	Nquthu - KZN
	Carnival (Celebration of local talent rich diversity of our nation) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 floats • Library van • Vintage Vehicles • Horse Drawn Wagon 	Route: JHB stadium - Wolmerans, Harrison and Jeppe streets to

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dancers from all cultures • Jazz Musicians • Choristers • Sports Federations • Heritage Societies 	MFS
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1 – 7 SEPTEMBER

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
Wednesday 3	Presidential Guard Parade: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlighting the National Symbols during the Parade • Hoisting of the National Flag • School choir(s) to sing the National Anthem • Minister to address the public on the National Orders (Orders to be displayed on the square) • Competition for children to identify the Orders (prize to all who completed the form = small national flag) 	Church Square
Thursday 4	Launch of the Indigenous Music Project: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opening ceremony • Small ensembles • Individual musicians • Poetry 	Auditorium of University of Venda
Friday 5	Indigenous Music Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion on indigenous music • Traditional music performances • Poetry • Presentation of awards 	Auditorium of University of Venda
Saturday 6	Indigenous dance competition: Mokgibo, Mohobelo and Mangae	Qwaqwa, Makabela Hall

8 – 14 SEPTEMBER

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
Thursday to Friday 11, 12 & 13	Dance Programme <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identification, promotion & development of new dance talent • Showcasting and selecting the best of Gauteng for participation in the Grahamstown arts festival • Providing a platform for networking within the industry • 	Dance Factor y Market Theater Turbine Hall (tbc)
Sunday 14 Sept	Indigenous Music Competitions: Umzansi, Umkhomazi, IsiShameni	Stable Theatre (Durban)

15 – 21 SEPTEMBER

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
Sunday 21	Indigenous Music Competition: Venda-Tshigombela, Pedi-Dinaka, Makgagasa, Tsonga- Itlangu, Sotho-Mokgibo, Zulu-IsiShameni, Umzansi, Umkhomazi, Xhosa-Umcentso, Tswana-Setapa	Mega Music Hall, Newtown, JHB
Sunday 21	Standard Bank Joy of Jazz by the river	Dickenson Park – Vereeniging

22 – 28 SEPTEMBER

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
Wednesday 24	Heritage Day Celebrations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Speech by Minister of DAC,• Cultural performances• SANDF Parade• Floats• 20 busses from within 70 km of Pretoria (separate programme)	Union Buildings
Saturday & Sunday 27 & 28	Choral Programme: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Promotion and celebration of the 50 best choirs in Gauteng• Selection for participation in the National Sasol Festival• Providing a platform for networking among role players in the music industry	City Hall
Saturday 27	Launch of Indigenous Music Research Project	Main campus University of Zululand

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