



Celebration of African Australians NATIONAL AWARDS

VENUE: PARLIAMENT HOUSE CANBERRA **DATE:** 27 JULY 2013 **TIME:** 5PM - 11PM

5.30 - 6.00 pm Guests to start arriving **Security Check**

5.30 - 6.00pm Guests and VIPs arriving
NETWORKING Songambele International Gospel Band to welcome guests
Drinks to be served on arrival



6.00 - 6.05pm All Guests seated Great Hall

OPENING

6.05 - 6.10pm
MC Welcome
Kathy Novak
Newscaster SBS TV



Aboriginal Acknowledgement
Australian National Anthem
&
African Union Anthem **OPENING**



6.10 - 6.20pm Burundian Drummers
ENTREE



6.22 - 6.36pm Songambele International Gospel Band



Speech by
John Nze-Bertram
Chairperson
Principal
Convenor



6.37 -6.47pm

Awards Presentation

Outstanding Ambassadors and High Commissioners Award

Hall of Fame



Speech by Representative of the Australian Prime Minister, The Hon. Kevin Rudd MP:

Hon. Kate Lundy
Minister for Multicultural Affairs



Speech by Representative of the Leader of the Opposition, the Hon Tony Abbott MHR:

Mr Zed Seselja
Senate Candidate

for the ACT

6.50 – 7.00pm Imanzi

MAIN MEAL



Cutting of Awards Ribbon by Hon. Lundy -- supported by Mr. Seselja, Judge Soulio and H.E Selepeng (This signifies goodwill to recipients, organisers and the community.)

7.02-7.10pm

Afrodisiaq



7.12-7.32pm

Fashion Show

Shekudo



SZN



Kwamee



Coco Africa



Ruby Red Hair



Mitta Studio



7.32-7.45pm

Awards Presentation

Living Legends Awards

Excellence Awards

Outstanding Professional Achievement Award



Speech by Hon Judge Rauf Soulio, Chairperson, Australian Multicultural Council



Speech by H.E. Mr Molosiwa Selepeng Botswana High Commission

Dean of African Missions in Australia

**Awards
Presentation**

7.45-8.00pm

Friends of Africa Awards

Outstanding Services to the African Australian Communities Awards - (Organizations)

Outstanding Support to the African Australian Communities Awards - (Individuals)



His Excellency
Mr

Mohamed MAEL-
AININ

Ambassador
Extraordinary and

Plenipotentiary of the Kingdom of
Morocco



Her
Excellenc
y

Ms Jacqueline N. ZWAMBILA

Ambassador Extraordinary and
Plenipotentiary the Republic of
Zimbabwe



Her
Excellency





Ms. Koleka A.
MQULWANA

High Commissioner of the
Republic of South Africa




8.02-8.12pm

ASA



<p>Awards Presentation</p> <p>8.14-8.30pm</p>	<p>Captains Awards</p> <p>Champions Award</p> <p>Community Leaders of the Year Award</p>	 <p>Chief Minister Australian Capital Territory represented by Ms Mary Porter MLA Chair of the Standing Committee on Planning, Public Works and Territory and Municipal Services ACT Legislative Assembly</p>	 <p>His Excellency Mr Ayoola Lawrence OLUKANNI The High Commissioner of the Federal Republic of Nigeria</p>	 <p>Dr Bulent Hass Dellal OAM Director SBS Board , Executive Director Australian Multicultural Foundation, Chairman Centre for Multicultural Youth</p>
	<p>8.32-8.52pm</p>	<p>Fashion Show</p> 		

<p>8.52-9.10pm</p>	<p>Young leaders of the year awards</p> <p>Young fashion designers of the year Awards</p> <p><i>Hair Dressing and Mark-up Artist of the Year Award</i></p>	 <p>Mr. Joseph Skrzynski AO SBS Chairman</p>	 <p>His Excellency Dr Hassan Hanafy Mahmoud EL-LAITHY Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Arab Republic of Egypt</p>	 <p>His Excellency Mr Nabil Lakhali The Ambassador of the Republic of Tunisia</p>
<p>9.10-9.20pm</p>	<p>Lucky Lartey</p> <p>DESSERT</p> 			
<p>9.22-9.35pm</p>	<p>Most outstanding performers of the year awards</p> <p>Most Outstanding performing troupes of the year awards</p>	 <p>Mr Pino Migliorino Chair The Federation of Ethnic Communities' Councils of Australia</p>	 <p>His Excellency Mr. Enoch NKURUHO High Commissioner of the Republic of Uganda</p>	

<p>9.35-9.50pm</p>	<p><i>African Ambassadors and High Commissioners Choice Award</i></p>	 <p>Zimbabwean Ambassador's Choice Award</p> <p>Presented by</p> <p>H.E. Ms. Jacqueline N. ZWAMBILA Ambassador Extraordinaire and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Zimbabwe</p>	 <p>Tanzanian High Commissioner's Choice Award</p> <p>Presented by</p> <p>Mr Sossy MSOMI The Tanzanian Honorary Consul in South Australia</p>	 <p>Kenyan High Commissioner's Choice Award</p> <p>Presented by</p> <p>Mrs Yvonne N WAMALWA Acting High Commissioner for the Republic of Kenya</p>
<p>10.00 – 10.45pm</p> <p>11.00pm close</p>	<p>Network and Dance til you drop</p>			

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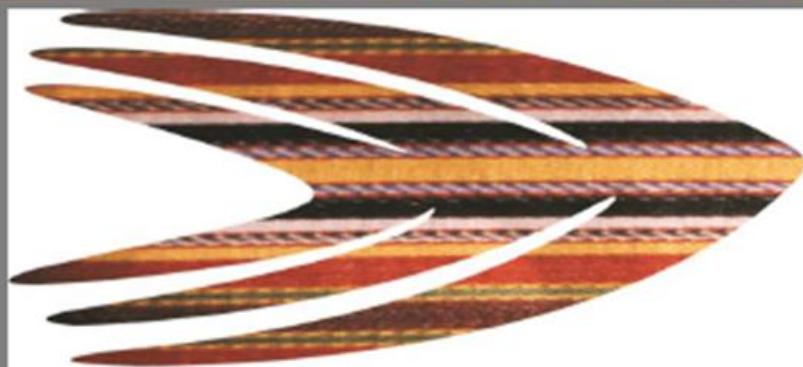
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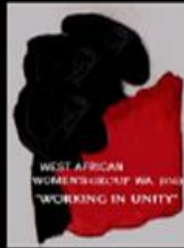


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