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Calendar of Events

MAY 2015 & JUNE 2015

- **CHAIRMAN JEAN MONESTIME – DISTRICT 2**
 County's 15th Annual Haitian Heritage Cultural Month Celebrations
 "Haiti: Witness the Renaissance, Relive the Magic"
 Kick-off May 1, 2015
 Please see calendar attached
- **HISTORIC HAMPTON HOUSE GRAND OPENING CEREMONY**
 Friday, May 8, 2015
 11:30 A.M.
 4240 N.W. 27 Avenue
 Miami, FL 33142
- **MUSIC IN THE PARK – FREE JAZZ AND BLUES CONCERT**
 Friday, May 8, 2015
 6:30 P.M. – 9:00 P.M.
 Betty T. Ferguson Recreational Complex – Amphitheater
 3000 N.W. 199 Street
 Miami Gardens, FL 33056
 For More Information: (305) 474-3011

Sponsored by Miami-Dade Parks Foundation, City of Miami Gardens Councilwoman Lisa Davis, Miami-Dade County Cultural Affairs Department, Sunshine Jazz Organization, and the Office of Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan – District 1

- **MIAMI-DADE COUNTY MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATIONS**
 Please see the attached flyer for more information regarding the events, locations & times.
- **NORTH DADE YOUTH & FAMILY COALITION PRESENTS
 HOP SKIP JUMP-A-THON – For the health and wellness of children and families**
 Saturday, June 13, 2015
 10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.
 Norwood Park
 19401 N.W. 14 Avenue
 Miami Gardens, FL 33169
 For More Information: (786) 520-4136 or infor@nndyfc.org
- **CITY OF SOUTH MIAMI NINETEENTH CELEBRATION**
 Saturday, June 20, 2015
 Madison Square Project
 59 Place S.W. 64 Street
 South Miami, FL 33143
 More Information Will Be Forthcoming

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April 24, 2015

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Haitian Cultural Heritage Month kicks off on May 1

(MIAMI-DADE, FL) - Miami-Dade County Commission Chairman Jean Monestime is inviting the community to experience the wonders of Haitian culture and cuisine during the County's 15th Annual Haitian Heritage Cultural Month celebrations

The theme of this year's festivities - which will showcase the art, history, music and food of Haiti throughout the month of May - is "Haiti: Witness the Renaissance, Relive the Magic."

The celebrations will kick off on May 1 with the opening of several exhibits of Haitian art around Miami-Dade County. The art displays will be at PortMiami, 1015 N. American Way; Stephen P. Clark Government Center, 111 NW 1st Street; the Little Haiti Cultural Center, 212-260 NE 59th Street; the Center for Haitian Studies, 8260 NE 2nd Avenue; the Haitian Heritage Museum, 4141 NE 2nd Avenue; and Sant La Neighborhood Center, 5000 Biscayne Blvd. #110.

Other highlights include the Third Annual "Taste of Haiti" featuring Haitian cuisine at City of North Miami MOCA Plaza, the Seventh Annual Compas Festival at SunLife Stadium, the Fourth Annual Haitian History Bee at the Stephen P. Clark Center, Zakafest at the Little Haiti Cultural Center, and soccer tournaments at FIU North Campus. Locations, dates and times of all events are listed in the 2015 Haitian Cultural Heritage Month Event, which is available at Commissioner Monestime's district office, 900 NE 125th Street in North Miami, and online at www.miamidade.gov/district02.

"I encourage everyone to come out and explore and enjoy the wonders of Haitian heritage, culture and cuisine," said Chairman Monestime, the first Haitian-American elected to the Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners.

The County recognized Haitian Cultural Heritage Month for the first time in May 2001 through Resolution R-452-01.

For more information, call Chairman Monestime's office at 305-694-2779.

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CHAIRMAN JEAN MONESTIME

Miami-Dade County, District 2 / district2@miamidade.gov



Presents Haitian Heritage Cultural MONTH May 2015

Haitian Art Display at the following location throughout the Month of May

Stephen P. Clark Center (In the Lobby) 111 NW 1st Street 305-694-2779	Haitian Heritage Museum 4141 NE 2nd Ave. 305-371-5988	Little Haiti Cultural Center 212-250 NE 59th St. 305-960-2969	Port of Miami 1015 N. American Way 305-694-2779	Center for Haitian Studies 645 NE 127 Street 305-757-9555	Sant La Haitian Neighborhood Center 5000 Biscayne Blvd. 305-573-4371
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May 2nd
Chairman Jean Monestime
Miami Dade County
& Vice Chairman Keon Hardemon
City of Miami
Haitian Heritage Cultural Month
Opening Reception

Zakafest
Little Haiti Cultural Center
212 NE 59th Terrace Miami, FL
6:00pm-11:00pm
305-960-2669

May 3rd
Haiti Make Over
North Miami Beach Amphitheater
164th Street NE 15th Ave
1:00 PM to 6:00 PM
754-204-8451

May 8th
Conversation with...
Presented by: Purforce, NE2P
& Little Haiti Cultural Complex
in Partnership with
Commissioner Keon Hardemon
Caribbean Marketplace
5927 NE 2nd Avenue, Miami, FL
8:00pm
305-250-5390

May 8th
North Miami's Haitian Heritage Month
Opening Ceremony
Panel discussion on the Haitian flag's
origin and significance
MOCA, 770 NE 125 ST
6pm
305-895-9815

May 9th
Taste of Haiti
MOCA Plaza
770 NE 125th Street North Miami, FL
33181
3pm-9pm
305-694-2779

May 10th
Jazzy Sunday Mother's Day Celebration
with Beethova Obas & Eric Virgal
Moca Cafe & Lounge
738 NE 125th St, North Miami, FL
8pm
305-945-8814

May 14th
Haitian Heritage Museum / Kenya
National Museum
Exhibition: "Rites of Passage"
4141 NE 2nd Avenue Suite 105C
6:30pm
305-371-5988

May 15th
Sant La's Annual Fundraiser
Port Miami Terminal J
1120 Caribbean Way, Miami, FL 33132
7pm
305-573-4871

Annual Haitian Compas Festival Kick-off
Party with Klass, Nu Look, Carimi & TVice
Club Space
34 No 11th St, Miami, FL
10pm
305-372-9378

Big Night Little Haiti
Little Haiti Cultural Center
212 NE 59th Terrace, Miami, FL
6:00 PM-9:00 PM
305-250-5390

Maison "Gingerbread" Exhibit Opening
Little Haiti Cultural Complex (Gallery)
212 NE 2nd Avenue, Miami, FL
6:00pm
305-960-2969

Haitian History Bee
(Preliminary Competition)
Little Haiti Cultural Complex (Theater)
212 NE 2nd Avenue, Miami, FL
3:30pm- 6:00pm
954-505-6717

May 16th
17th Annual Haitian Compas Festival
Sunlife Stadium
2267 NW 199th Street,
Miami Gardens, FL
3:00pm
305-623-6100

Battle of the DJ's - Compas Fest
After Party
Moca Cafe & Lounge
738 NE 125th St, North Miami, FL
10pm
305-945-8814

May 17th
Madam Gougouse Soccer Game
FIU North Miami Athletic Stadium
2555 NE 151 Street, North Miami, FL
2pm

Notre Dame D'Haiti Mass
in Celebration of Flag Day
110 NE 62 Street, Miami FL
7:30 pm
305-751-6289

City of North Miami Beach Spring Fest
Hanford Boulevard on 19th Ave.
(one block north of 163rd Street)
1pm -6pm
305-948-2957

May 18th
North Miami Flag Day Celebration
776 NE 125 Street, North Miami FL
6pm
305-893-6511

Haitian Compas Festival Close Out Party
Etwal & Klass
Moca Cafe & Lounge
738 NE 125th St, North Miami, FL
305-945-8814 10am

May 21st
History Miami Museum Forum
Haiti and the Reverberation of Freedom
Little Haiti Cultural Complex
212 NE 2nd Avenue, Miami, FL
305-960-2969

Sosyete Koukouy
Haitian Caribbean Book Fair
Little Haiti Cultural Complex (Theater)
212 NE 59 Terrace, Miami, FL
5:00pm - 7:00pm
305-757-9922

May 22nd
Hall of Fame, Honoring Piman Bouk
MOCA, 770 NE 125 ST
6pm
305-895-9815

May 24th
Sosyete Koukouy
Haitian Caribbean Book Fair
Little Haiti Cultural Complex
NE 212 NE 59 Terrace, Miami, FL
305-757-9922

May 27th
Fourth Annual Haitian History Bee
Championship
Board of County Commissioners
Chamber
111 NW 1 Street, 2nd Floor, Miami, FL
11:00 am -2:00 pm
305-375-2193

May 29th
Jazz at MOCA, The Creole Jazz Project
MOCA Plaza, 770 NE 125 ST
8 p.m.
305-893-6211

NE2P Poetry Night
Little Haiti Thrift Store and Gift Store
5865 NE 2nd Avenue, Miami, FL
7:00pm
786-908-3724

May 31st
Haitian Mother's Day

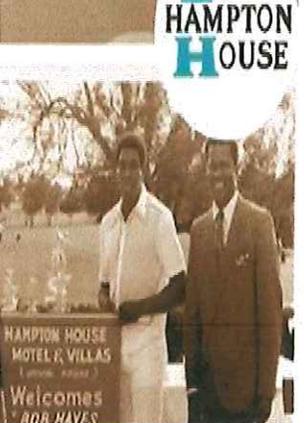
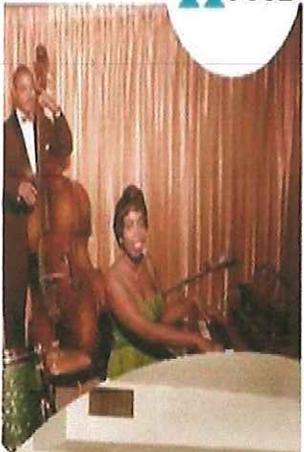
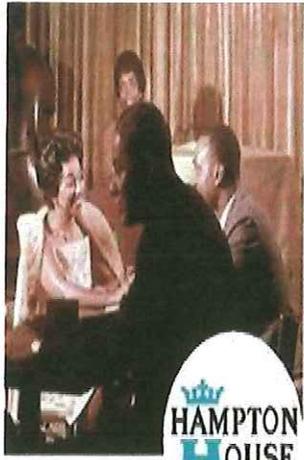
HISTORIC HAMPTON HOUSE

GRAND OPENING CEREMONY

May 8, 2015 at 11:00 a.m.

On behalf of Miami-Dade County Mayor Carlos A. Gimenez,
Chairman Jean Monestime,
District 3 Commissioner Audrey M. Edmonson,
the Board of County Commissioners, and
Historic Hampton House Community Trust, Inc.
you are cordially invited
to attend the grand opening ceremony at

4240 N.W. 27th Avenue
Miami, FL 33142



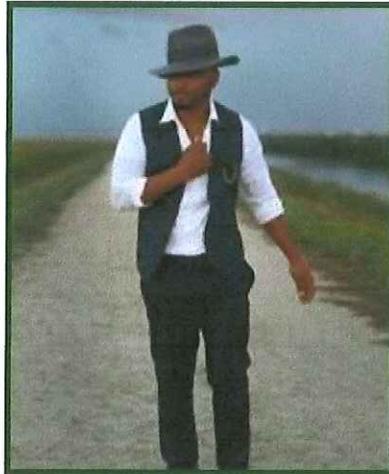


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Free jazz and blues concert to feature George Tandy Jr.

Ike & Val Woods opening act



(MIAMI GARDENS, FL) – Jazz artist George Tandy Jr. will tickle the ivory during Miami-Dade County Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan's signature Music in the Park Jazz and Blues concert. The free event will showcase Tandy, who has been burning up the charts with his jazzy vocals. Also on the ticket will be Ike & Val Woods, local favorites who are a mainstay in the Miami music market. The concert, which is buzzing in the Jazz community, will be held on Friday, May 8, 2015, 6:30 to 9:00 p.m., at the Betty T. Ferguson Recreational Complex, 3000 NW 199th Street, Miami Gardens, Florida, 33056.

Music in the Park is sponsored by the Miami-Dade Parks Foundation, City of Miami Gardens Councilwoman Lisa Davis, Miami-Dade County Cultural Affairs Department, Sunshine Jazz Organization, and the Office of Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan.

Who: Miami-Dade County Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan
City of Miami Gardens Councilwoman Lisa Davis
Sunshine Jazz Organization

What: Music in the Park – Free Jazz and Blues Concert

When: May 08, 2015, 6:30 p.m.- 9:00 p.m.

Where: Betty T. Ferguson Recreational Complex – Amphitheater
3000 NW 199th Street, Miami Gardens, Florida 33056

Miami-Dade County Holidays

Give Mom a Mother's Day she won't forget

Mother's Day is everyday, but marking the occasion gives us a chance to really make sure she knows just how awesome she is. And here are some ways to make her know it. Choose from brunches, museum visits, sightseeing and more. Happy Mother's Day!

Activities

- Celebrate [Mother's Day at the Deering Estate at Cutler's annual Mother's Day Brunch](http://www.miamidade.gov/parks/releases/2015-04-13-mothers-day-brunch.asp) (<http://www.miamidade.gov/parks/releases/2015-04-13-mothers-day-brunch.asp>) on Sunday, May 10, 2015 from 10:30 am to 1:30 pm. Enjoy a variety of appetizing dishes and desserts provided by Chef David Schwadron Catering and Event Design, tour the grand Stone House and historic Richmond Cottage, and take in the natural beauty and grandeur of the Estate.
- [Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden](http://www.fairchildgarden.org/Events-Community-Outreach/Events-Details/ArtMID/486/userid/23/ArticleID/1212/Mothers-Day-Brunch-at-Fairchild) (<http://www.fairchildgarden.org/Events-Community-Outreach/Events-Details/ArtMID/486/userid/23/ArticleID/1212/Mothers-Day-Brunch-at-Fairchild>) knows what your mom wants, and that's choices. Treat your favorite lady to a delicious brunch hosted by the award-winning Creative Tastes Catering and Events Production Company.
- Your Mom can feel like a princess, or queen, as you take a tour of [Vizcaya](http://vizcaya.org/visit-touring-vizcaya.asp) (<http://vizcaya.org/visit-touring-vizcaya.asp>) or she can spend an afternoon on [Vizcaya's North Terrace](http://vizcaya.org/calendar.asp?next=nex#) (<http://vizcaya.org/calendar.asp?next=nex#>), weather permitting, sipping tea and enjoying the picturesque view of Biscayne Bay.
- Voyage through Miami's museums with "Buy One, Get One Free" admission during May, also known as [Miami Museum Month](http://www.miamimuseummonth.com/index.html) (<http://www.miamimuseummonth.com/index.html>). Or, you can also take advantage of "Join One Museum, See Them All" at participating museums during Miami Museum Month. This is your chance to museum hop and experience the Miami cultural scene. Now, Mom can go everywhere she wants to go!
- If your mom loves Farmers Markets, get her excited by taking her to the [Farmers Market](http://www.pinecrest-fl.gov/index.aspx?page=424) (<http://www.pinecrest-fl.gov/index.aspx?page=424>) in Pinecrest Gardens, where she can get excited over fresh organic produce, artisan baked goods, flowers, soy candles and much more. Don't worry, you and Mom can savor BBQ, conch fritters and pizza too as you stroll among the goodies. Be sure that she'll want to take some items home, and maybe you too!
- Try the Mother's Day [Sea Kayak & Snorkel Adventure](https://rms.miamidade.gov/saturn/activities/Details.aspx?session_id=51724&back_url=fi9hY3Rpdml0aWVzL3NIYXJjaC5hc3B4) (https://rms.miamidade.gov/saturn/activities/Details.aspx?session_id=51724&back_url=fi9hY3Rpdml0aWVzL3NIYXJjaC5hc3B4) at the Crandon Park EcoCenter. If you want to dial down the action a bit, there's the Mother's Day [Canoe Tour at Crandon Gardens](https://rms.miamidade.gov/saturn/activities/Details.aspx?session_id=52514&back_url=fi9hY3Rpdml0aWVzL3NIYXJjaC5hc3B4) (https://rms.miamidade.gov/saturn/activities/Details.aspx?session_id=52514&back_url=fi9hY3Rpdml0aWVzL3NIYXJjaC5hc3B4) for a unique adventure on the holiday.





**NORTH DADE
YOUTH & FAMILY
COALITION**

Presents

**Saturday,
June 13, 2015**

10 am to 2 pm.

**Norwood Park
19401 NW 14th Avenue
Miami Gardens,
FL 33169**

Hop Skip

**For the health and
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Jump-a-Thon

- 1. REGISTER YOURSELF OR YOUR TEAM \$25 PER PERSON AND \$10 UNDER 18.**
- 2. TEAMS OF 4 OR MORE ARE \$20 PER PERSON.**
- 3. CREATE A FUNDRAISING PAGE.**
- 4. GET STARTED FUNDRAISING!**

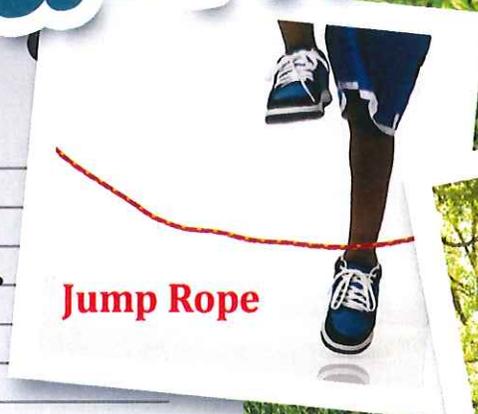
Ask family, friends, and co-workers to sponsor you and then get started accepting pledges.

Hop Skip Jump-a-Thon is a one mile obstacle course of jumping activities at Norwood Park in Miami Gardens. Jumping activities include Jump Rope, Trampoline, Hopscotch, Standing Jumps, Basketball Hoops, Pogo Sticks and Sack Race. Each individual and team must navigate the course to completion.

TEAMS RAISING \$1,000 OR MORE RECEIVE A \$100 GIFT CARD

For more info:

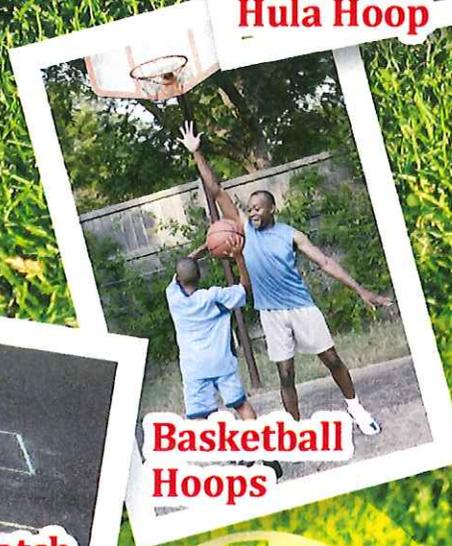
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Jump Rope



Hula Hoop



Basketball Hoops



Hopscotch

