

WEST INDIAN NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, INC.

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Mr. Mark Kendal, President & Executive Director West Indian National Assoc. Inc. (WIN-A) 5721 McCormick Ave. Baltimore, Maryland 21206

Dear Band Leader:

The West Indian National Assoc. Inc. (WIN-A) invites you to participate in the Festival of the West Indies 2022 **J'ouvert Parade**. As you know, your participation is as vital to the Parade. The Festival will take place this year on September 9th thru 11th 2022 at Druid Hill Park Baltimore MD. The J'ouvert parade will take place on Saturday, September 10, 2022 beginning at 6:00am till 10:00am. This year the Parade will be in Druid Hill Park see attached route.

In an effort to have a smooth operation and execution of the Parade, we have provided you with the registration forms, rules, regulations. Please read this information carefully and return the registration form no later than August 1st, 2022. Please feel free to request any clarification of these items at any time.

Thank you for your support in making the Festival of the West Indies 2022 a success. Should you have any questions, please contact us at (410)-245-0200 or 410-627-3948

Respectfully yours,



Mark A. Kendal President & Executive Director

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THE FESTIVAL OF THE WEST INDIES '2022 RULES AND REGULATION

Registration:

To be eligible for parade each J'ouvert band must:

- 1. Submit the registration form (WIN-A) no later than 5:00pm August 1st, 2022
- 2. Each Band must submit the number of Masqueraders and Purchase \$15.00 wrist band for all participants which will enable them to entry the Festival all day Saturday upon returning from the parade.
- 3. Be accompanied by at least a DJ, Steelband or Rhythm Section.
- 4. Drawing of numbers will be done on Tuesday August 16,2022 at 8:00pm at WIN-A headquarters 5101 St. Georges Ave Baltimore Md 21212
- 5. Be properly assembled at the starting point on **Saturday 10th**, **September 2022 at 5:00 a.m.** Bands not properly assembled at starting time will be relocated. Any band not properly assembled when the last band leaves, will not be considered part of the parade and will not be allowed in the parade.
- 6. Have identifiable marshals. No less than four (4) to ensure an orderly process and good conduct along parade route.
- 7. The application of mud, oil, coco, foam, paint will be done in a designated area and will no be applied on the parade route.
- 8. Under no circumstances the masqueraders will be allowed to dirty any Spectators, Officials or Police officer. This can result in arrest.
- 9. Bandleaders should cooperate with the parade officials to ensure the unimpeded progress of the parade.
- 10. All persons acting in the capacity of marshals or officials of the band must wear prescribed identification during the parade at all times.
- 11. The selling or drinking of alcohol by masqueraders and officials of the band is strictly prohibited and will result in disqualification from the parade or arrest.



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BAND REGISTRATION FORM

Name of Individual, Group or Band				
Contact Name: Title:				
Mailing Address				
City State & Zip				
Home Phone:Cell:				
(with area code)				
Email Address:				
Number of Masqueraders:				
Please check types of music:				
Steel BandRhythm SectionDJ				
You must submit registration by on or before August 1 st , 2022				

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LETTER OF INTENT FORM				
Presenters pl	ease complete this form and return it	t with authorized sign	ature.	
Mail:	West Indian National Assoc. (WIN 5721 McCormick Ave. Baltimore, MD 21206	N-A)		
E-Mail:	westindiannat@aol.com			
STATEMEN	T OF INTEREST			
We,				
related activity 2022 beginn	form in the Festival of the West In ties. We understand that the parading at 6:00 am till 10:00am. This ir band on the WIN-A web site and o	e will begin on Sature form will give us	day, September 10, the opportunity to	
Please us this	s space to clarify the activities listed	above.		
Address				
City		State	Zip	
Telephone #		E-mail		
Band Leader	Signature	Date		

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DRIVING DIRECTIONS

Directions to Druid Hill Park

From all points north – Canada, Boston, New York, New Jersey, Philadelphia

Take 95 south to NJ Turnpike to the end. Cross Delaware Memorial Bridge to 95 South in Baltimore, take 695 West Towson to 83 South take Exit 7 Druid Hill Park (same exit for Maryland Zoo). Parking attendant will instruct you where to park buses and cars.

From all Points South – Washington DC., Virginia

Take Baltimore Washington PKWY to 395 going towards Baltimore (downtown).

Exit on Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. Take MLK Blvd all the way to Eutaw St. Make a left on Eutaw and follow until you get to Druid Hill Park. Parking attendants will instruct you where to park buses and cars.