

FREE

Admission



**Saturday
Oct 19**

Anniversary!

11am – 5pm

Haggard Park,
Plano

PLANO
International
FESTIVAL

Celebrating 20 years of multicultural
fun for the whole family!



Wellness Fair & Fitzone

FREE flu & COVID shots
Dental and eye exams • Blood drive
Health screenings
Fitness demos • And more!

11am – 2pm, Courtyard Theater & Saigling House



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Welcome to the 20th Plano International Festival!

Thank you for joining our 20th anniversary celebration! We're so happy you're here! It's you and all our amazing volunteers who have been making this festival happen for two decades. This year we want to recognize a very special volunteer, **Griffin Spears from Boy Scout Troop 221**. For his Eagle Scout project, he and a team of Scouts made the wooden stands holding our flags. Go check them out by the pond. And don't miss these great activities:

- Wellness Fair with free flu shots, COVID boosters and health screenings, from 11 am to 2pm in the Courtyard Theater
- Original artwork from members of the Plano Art Association, also in the Courtyard Theater
- Live chalk art drawing from artist Santos Lozano near the Railway Museum
- Pumpkin patch by Georgia's Farmers Market, also near the museum

The fun won't stop at 5pm! Be sure to check out these special evening activities:

- Live music at McCall Plaza from Bolton Serunjogi, a singer-songwriter born in Uganda and now living in Dallas who melds African and western influences, 5pm.
- The first ever Plano International Sip & Stroll! Get tickets near the Interurban Railway Museum and sample special drinks at restaurants and merchants along 15th Street from 3pm to 6pm.
- Cultural fusion performance Bridges, presented by Garage Arts Project, happening at 6pm in the Courtyard Theater. Bridges combines eastern and western music and dance traditions in an unforgettable show! Tickets available at the door.

As always, don't forget to stop by the Festival HQ tent for a **free gift** when you complete a brief survey, and please sort your trash at our waste stations.

Thank you, and enjoy!

The Festival Team

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Event Program

2024 Honorary Festival Chair – Ann Bacchus

Emcees – Ann Bacchus, Krista Medlock, Mike Mazur

11:00am Parade of Flags
Presentation of Colors – Plano Police Department Color Guard
National Anthem – Brooke Waters

OPENING CEREMONY

Proclamation – Plano Mayor John B. Muns
Remarks – Festival President and MCOR Co-Chair Graciela Katzer

NATURALIZATION CEREMONY

Honorable United States Magistrate Judge Aileen Goldman Durrett, officiating
Co-sponsored with the U.S. Dept. of Homeland Security, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

12:00pm KJ Dance Designs, Junior Dallas Cowboys Cheerleaders – USA
Sarah Moran Flamenco – Spain
Azeri Dallas Dance – Azerbaijan
Zhagaram Silambam – India and Sri Lanka

12:45 Dallas International Folk Dancers – Armenia, Greece, Romania
Texas Women Society – China
Representa Foundation – Colombia
JAGODA Dance Ensemble – Poland

INTERNATIONAL FASHION SHOW

2:15 Afro por Siempre – Peru
Nisreen Hajaj and Dancers – Palestine, Lebanon
Flamenco Passion Dance Company and Academy – Spain
Bulgarian Folk Dance Ensemble “Lyush” – Bulgaria
Ollin-Tonalzin Traditional Aztec Dancers – Mexico

3:15 Thaalam Parai Team – India
North Texas Opera on Tap – Austria
Alma Salvaje Folklore Argentino – Argentina

3:50 TOLOA Polynesian Dance – Islands of Tahiti
Sa’diyya & the Art of Bellydance – Egypt/Middle East
International Argentine Tango Group – Argentina
Natyam Academy of Performing Arts – India

4:45 Grand Finale – North Texas Performing Arts Plano Presents On Your Feet! The Musical – The Story of Emilio and Gloria Estefan

Booths

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- International Women's Club of Plano
- JEI Learning Center Plano
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- New London Enterprises
- North Texas Tollway Authority
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- Outcry Theatre, Inc.
- PCPAAA (Plano Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association)
- Pella Windows & Doors
- Plano African American Museum
- Plano Chamber of Commerce
- Plano Police Dept. Crime Prevention and School Crossing Guards
- Provision Chiropractic
- Ptah
- Rail Station Studios
- Raising Cane's
- Renewal by Andersen
- Renown Weight Loss, Plano
- Rise Power Solar & Storage
- Scottish Society of Dallas
- Shamshah Amir Surani
- Sia Origami Art Craft
- Sogetsu Dallas Branch
- Soulful Herb Alchemy
- Spirit Scents
- Spring Scents
- Straydog, Inc.
- SUDFDA Southern USA Falun Dafa Association
- Taiwanese Student Association at UTD
- Tawonik
- Texas Native Cats
- The Links
- Tiffany's Candles Paparazzi Jewelry
- Ukrainian American Society of Texas UAST
- Ultra Mobile
- Universal Culture Exchange Association
- University of Texas at Dallas
- Usefull
- Yamaha Music School Plano
- Yangua Wellness
- Yobi's Coffee
- Zahra Henna Design
- Zuby's Henna Creations



ALL G's BBQ & Soul ~ Sandwiches with fried ribs, BBQ, smoked ribs or smoked sausage. Loaded fries, loaded BBQ hash browns, BBQ rice bowls with brisket, fried chicken wing basket, collard greens, candied yams, mac & cheese, peach cobbler, pound cake, drinks

Angel Touch Kitchen ~ Grilled chicken, chicken curry, noodles, chicken satay with peanut sauce, sticky rice, shrimp tempura, egg rolls, beef rendang, veggies

Bobaddiction ~ Boba tea, fruit drinks, coffee

Boardwalk Bites ~ Foot-long corn dogs, chicken tenders, ribbon fries, funnel cakes, kettle corn, salted caramel kettle corn, fresh squeezed

lemonade (regular and strawberry), sweet tea

DonutNV ~ Mini donuts, fresh squeezed lemonade, iced coffee

Fast and Furious ~ Teriyaki chicken, Korean BBQ, spicy pork, crispy shrimp, veggie bowls

Kona Ice ~ Shaved ice

Nacho Loco ~ Nachos, tacos, burritos, taco bowls, Elote, rice, beans, chips and salsa

Soft Social ~ Soft serve ice cream, milk shakes, affogatos, berry sundaes

All food scraps and serveware are compostable! To help keep Plano beautiful, please sort your food waste and trash at an Educational Waste Station.

Children's Activities • STEAM • Green

Children's

- American Sewing Guild, Plano Chapter
- AuPair in America
- ArtCentre of Plano
- Artify4Kids, Shepton High School
- City of Plano Animal Services animal adoption, Ave. H
- Maricela and Friends
- Plano Fire Rescue fire truck, Ave. H
- Plano West High School Black Student Union
- Pottery by Karla
- Rotary Clubs of Plano – Passports to the World



STEAM

- Area 52 (FTC Team 18227)
- Code Wiz Plano
- FRC 5431 Titan Robotics Plano Academy HS
- Girls in STEM
- iCode Plano
- iCode School
- Museum of Contemporary Visual Art
- Olsson, Inc.
- Plano Public Library
- Plano West Robotics Club – Robotics demos
- SciTech Discovery Center
- UT Dallas Chess Program
- Wise Computing Academy
- Young Tech Pioneers



Green

- Eco-friendly arts and crafts
- DIY clothes mending and sewing workshop
- DIY eco-friendly cosmetics and cleaning products
- Zero Waste games
- Gardening and composting
- Poetry, dance and music performance celebrating water



Formula for Zero Waste!

Festivals generate a LOT of waste, so we've partnered with Eco-Products, Cowboy Compost and The Organic Recycler to reduce waste from all our delicious food trucks.

And **YOU** are part of the equation!

Biodegradable food service items made of plant fibers



Organic waste collection by local partners



Green Ambassadors to help you sort your waste



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for your community.



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Did you know that 25% to
30% of what goes into our
local landfills is food?



GO ZERO WASTE!



Our Mission:

To reduce waste by composting pre-consumer and post-consumer food scraps and leftovers, which produces nutrient rich soil instead of adding to the landfill.

To inspire people within our community to adopt a zero waste lifestyle and to provide the education and necessary services to achieve this goal.



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The Organic Recycler offers more than high quality, locally sourced landscape materials in the form of premium soil mixes, organic composts, and mulches; We also offer food and beverage recycling for food service companies, grocery chains and food and beverage manufacturers. We offer value-added, sustainable solutions to an ever-growing food & beverage industry in desperate need of these services. Our company strives to create innovative solutions in the recycling sector by investing in new technological processes and equipment that streamline our operations and provide flexible recycling solutions for our customers.

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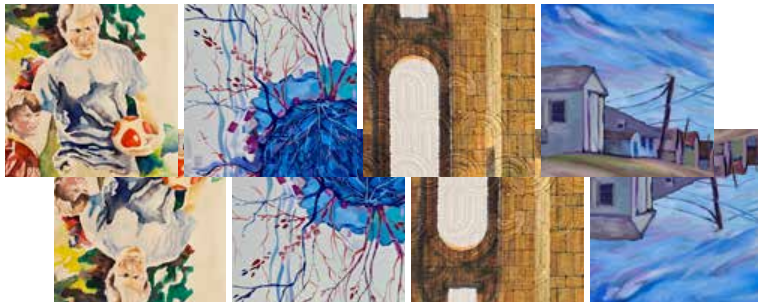
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systems, and help our customers be better
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Global Reflections



Art | The Universal Language

*View original works by local artists, on display all day
in the Courtyard Theater lobby*

BRIDGES

IN ASSOCIATION WITH
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Saturday,
OCT 19



Start at
6:00 pm

Experience a
magical
cross-cultural,
cross-genre
performance
from Garage Arts
Projects

6:00pm
Courtyard Theater

Adults \$15,
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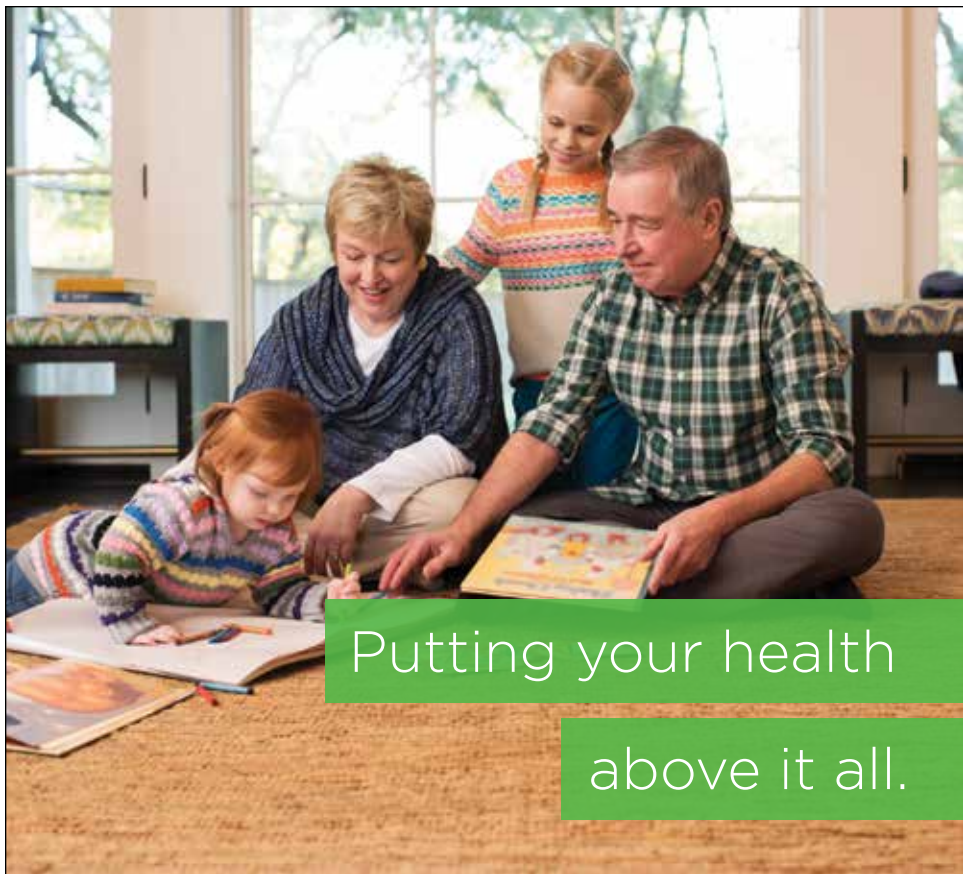
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Wellness Fair

FREE & Fitzone Services and Screenings

11am – 2pm • Courtyard Theater

- Blood pressure and glucose tests, TTUHC Student College of Clinical Pharmacy
- Eye exams, Walmart Vision
- Oral cancer screenings, Vitality Dental Family and Implant Dentistry
- Colgate Bright Smiles, Bright Futures program dental screenings, Plano N. Metroplex TX Chapter of the Links
- Children's Medicaid dental info, DentalQuest
- Communicable disease testing, Prism Health North Texas
- Foot and ankle health, Painted and Polished Studio
- Fall risk assessment, Peak Physical Therapy
- Health risk assessments, AVACEN Medical
- Children's flu shots, Q Day Walk in Clinic and Spa
- Adult flu shots, Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital
- Mammography for screened participants, Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital
- COVID shots, Health Services of North Texas
- Carter BloodCare blood drive
- CPR demos, Plano Science Academy
- Hospice care info, Faith Presbyterian Hospice
- Decision making skills for children, Do I Dare Decide
- Free personal toiletry bags, Zoya Ministries
- Resources for justice impacted, Lioness JIWA
- Insurance info, National Assurance Group
- Medicaid and CHIP info, Parkland Community Health Plan
- Community based services info, SEEDS

Fitness Demos

11am – 2pm • Saigling House • Emcee Michele M. MacArthur

- Zumba Latin-inspired fitness ~ Danny Rojas, Texas Family Fitness
- Kickbox cardio ~ Jafet Cortez
- 3D Yoga and Stick Rotation ~ Chitra, World Federation of Kalari & Silambam
- Zumba Cardio Bally Top 4 Country ~ Kelley Rowland, Plano Parks and Recreation
- Stretch Lab Plano West ~ Mike Thorton
- Warrior Rythm HIIT ~ Kathy Kersey, East Texas Family Fitness
- Hula Hooping ~ Misty Khachatnan
- Conscious Eating Habits ~ Rajababu Premiyappan, Marabukudil
- Line Dancing ~ Freda Horrid, Fitness with Freda
- Brain Exercises ~ Michele M. MacArthur, MCHC MacArthur Accommodations
- Cardio Thai Boxing ~ Kaetlin Braddock, Crunch Fitness
- Environmental Performance ~ Parul Bhatia, Paisley Theater & Dance Academy

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