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Welcome to the latest edition of **HANA NEWS**.

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On **01482 491177** or **email: admin@hanaonline.org.uk**



The International Festival of Newland Avenue is the first festival of this kind to be organised in the most cosmopolitan area of the City of Hull. Newland Avenue is well known for its success in accommodating people from all ethnic backgrounds and its vibrant

The message of the festival to the rest of the City of Hull is that we all can live, work, learn and enjoy together and that the fact that we are diverse and different is in fact the richness of our community, it is something to celebrate, something to be proud of, something we need to preserve and enrich. As a result of consultations with a variety of groups, a charitable community organisation has been established to work together and deliver the International Festival of Newland Avenue.

The organisation is known now as **International Heart of Hull**, a name chosen by children of local schools after they were explained the purpose of the festival.

The International Festival is a complete week full of events in different venues of Newland Avenue, including music, dance, art, samples of gastronomy, traditional costumes, handicrafts, workshops on language, tradition and culture, lectures, exhibitions and presentations from around the world. The communities and groups themselves are preparing their participation in the Festival and the organisers would like to decorate Newland Avenue with more than 200 flags from countries from all continents.

The Festival aims at raising awareness and understanding of our diversity as something positive worth celebrating. This is the first International Festival of Newland Avenue, but plans are being made to organise a Festival every year and create a tradition in Newland Avenue for everyone to look ahead to.

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International Heart of Hull
151 Newland Avenue
Hull—HU5 2ER



Hull Community Network and SEARCH event:

- A half-day workshop for faith groups and church leaders
 - How does Hull Work?
 - Know what an LSP (ONEHULL), LAA, Area Partnership mean?
 - Understand how decisions are made in communities
- Endsleigh Centre - Beverley Road
FREE EVENT
(Light lunch provided)
Phone: 01482 611891
Fax: 01482 611852
Address: 34-38 Beverley Road
Hull, HU3 1YE
info@hullcommunitynetwork.org

Faith in the City!

Discovering How Your City Works



Challenging Dependency

Drug Awareness

An event Especially for Minority Communities.

On 23 October, CDP are organising a special event to promote awareness of the services available to help people suffering from problem drug and alcohol use. It will be held at The Octagon Conference Centre, in Walker Street, at 10:00. There will be a buffet lunch at the end of the morning.

CDP is a charity and provides some of the key drug services in Hull. They have been working with a number of minority community groups, including HANA, to develop this Event. Together, we have identified a significant lack of knowledge among many groups of the services that are available and this Event is aimed at giving everyone the right information - information that could help members of your community, your family and friends.

This is not going to be just drug workers talking to the audience - we want your views too. There will be no more than 30 minutes of presentation and this will be followed by an open forum. Attendees will meet in small groups to ask questions, raise concerns and problems and make suggestions. Each group will have at least one drug or alcohol worker and at least one community group worker present. They want to understand what the needs of minority communities are.

Full details will be available on CDP's web site www.challengingdependency.co.uk by 14 September. From the Home Page, click on Support & Information in the green navigation bar, then on Special Events in the left hand menu. You can also get to the same page by selecting CDP Services from the left hand menu and then clicking on Ethnic Minorities in the menu on the Services page.

Leaflets about the Event will also be available shortly and we will be asking people who are interested to return a short response slip, so that we can estimate numbers more accurately.

Chinese Cultural Concert!

Experience the distinctive oriental sound of china in a colourful and entertaining event, featuring:

An extract of Cantonese Opera
Traditional Chinese Music & Song
Tai Chi Stance & Dance demonstration

Tuesday 16th October 2007

The Freedom Centre, Preston Road, Hull. Tel: (01482) 710 100

Tickets: £10, £5 Concession, Available in advance or at the door.



The award-winning Sadeh Lok Housing Group

is one of the UK's leading Black and Minority Ethnic Housing Associations. What's more, they are an exciting and progressive specialist enterprise agency!



Sadeh Lok Housing Group
A BME Organisation in partnership with our people

If you'd welcome a challenging, fulfilling role and have a passion and commitment to make a real difference, then Sadel Lok would like to hear from you!

They are looking for the right people to join their Board. There are positions available on the controlling Governing Body, Subsidiary Board and Scrutiny Committees. As a Board member, you'll have the benefit of a comprehensive training and development programme. Roles are remunerated but you may wish to volunteer your time and recover expenses only.

If you are interested in joining our vibrant, inspiring organization and can commit to a minimum of 12 evening meetings and a strategic training weekend each year, please contact Susan Scargill on **(01484) 435715** or email sues@sadehlok.co.uk

HM Prison Everthorpe are recruiting a **Psychological Assistant**

Primarily the work will involve delivering Offending Behaviour Programmes to prisoners. In addition, the successful candidate is also expected to contribute to the overall work of the Psychology Team.

Salary £14,089 per annum

For further information and an application pack please contact Adele Robinson on 01430 426644. **Closing Date 12TH October 2007**

Attracts 35.5 days annual leave (inc public & privilege days)

THE PRISON SERVICE IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES EMPLOYER
APPLICANTS FROM A BME BACKGROUND PARTICULARLY WELCOME



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HANA's primary aim is to promote the well being of BME communities in the Hull and East Riding Area by providing a voice and advocate on their behalf, and by representing their interests in the range of influential or decision-making contexts. This role is supported by capacity-building amongst BME groups, signposting and referral on the one hand and engagement with partnership bodies on the other.

We aim to be of service to BME communities by facilitating consultation and feedback on issues which affect them and by conducting research into subjects which concern them, and particularly into local service provision to identify obstacles which may make take-up difficult for BME people.

Black History Month - opportunity to submit entries

Black History Month allows us to remember the struggles and achievements of Black people. To celebrate this month, the Wilberforce Institute for the study of Slavery and Emancipation invites the people of Hull to design a piece of creative artistry (anything from a piece of art or music to essays, poems, short stories or video diaries).

It is suggested that contestants relate their life experiences to a Black icon or discuss how a Black role model has inspired them, but they are also free to discuss the relevance of Black History Month (For example, do they think that it is necessary? A piece of tokenism? A waste of time?). The closing date for entries will be October 19th 2007.

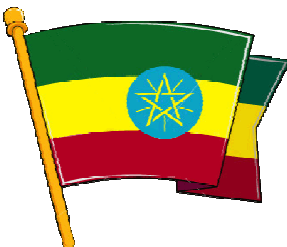
Entries can be submitted to:

Daniel McNeil
WISE - Oriel Chambers
27 High Street
Hull - HU1 1NE



There will be different prizes for the 13-18 age group (e.g. Hull Leisure Passes, ipods, camcorders) and 18+ age group (cash prizes). These will be presented at a gala evening with distinguished guests from politics, education, the media, culture and sport on Oct 26th. Confirmed guests include Nicole Stamp, an award-winning actor and director from Toronto, and Naomi Pabst, a prominent intellectual from Yale University.

Happy New Year 2007!



A happy New Year or **Enkutatash** to our Ethiopian members who celebrated the dawn of a new millennium on September 11th 2007.

In Ethiopia **Enkutatash** is a time for family reunions, and visiting friends.