

Thursday, June 3, 1999

Fort Worden State Park, Port Townsend, WA

Yes, pre-festival workshops are available! Our special one-day event features workshops, private lessons and an evening potluck. Check

out the offerings below, sign up on the form on the other side and get warmed up for the festival a full day ahead. We'll see you here.

WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS

12:00 - 2:00 Paul Mataruse

Paul will teach his composition "Babamudiki", which features mbira dzavadzimu and marimba. For the song description, see festival guide. Mbira players, bring an mbira dzavadzimu (Leonard Nicoll's tuning) or nyunga nyunga (Chigamba tuning). 10-15 people.

2:30 - 4:30 Musekiwa Chingodza

A singing workshop, with possible drumming, dance, and mbira. 10 to unlimited people

2:30 - 4:30 Sheasby Matiure

Advanced marimba. Participants will decide on songs at the workshop. 10-15 people.

5:00 - 7:00 Tute and Irene Chigamba

Tute and Irene will pick one song and teach you as much as possible about how the drumming, singing, hosho and mbira are used together... and then move into the dancing. They will leave the class content flexible depending on the interests and experience of the participants. No prerequisites. All welcome. All levels. Needed: Drums, hosho, and earplugs... your voice and your feet. 10 to 50 people.

PRIVATE LESSONS

Private lessons with Musekiwa Chingodza, Paul Mataruse, or Sheasby Matiure will be one hour unless otherwise arranged. Arrange details of what will be taught with the teacher. (Some teachers are still in Zimbabwe, so we have little detail at this time.)

Sheasby Matiure can offer private lessons in nyunga nyunga (bring yours), drumming, or hosho.

Paul Mataruse is interested in teaching his own version of Chemtengure on mbira dzavadzimu (G tuning) and

nyunga nyunga (Chigamba tuning). This version can be played together with marimbas.

Paul Mataruse is also willing to have workshops with ensembles so that we develop some of his songs and give them an understanding of how he interprets Jiti music.

Private lessons with Tute or Irene Chigamba are \$10 to \$20 (you decide) for a 1/2 hour lesson, plus \$10 extra if you wish to make a tape (not to be reproduced or sold) of the last 10-15 minutes of the lesson.

THURSDAY EVENING SOCIAL POTLUCK

Watch for details in your PreFest confirmation letter, arriving around May 27th.

PLEASE NOTE...

Please be aware that everything you sign up for here (workshops, private lessons, lodging and food) will only happen if the minimum number of people sign up. For

refund policy, see festival registration packet page 2. You will receive a full refund for any event that is canceled because too few people register.

Please return your form postmarked on or before May 10

to: Susan Niles-Brown, 2055 Patterson, Eugene OR 97405

If you have questions, call Susan at 541-686-9622 (day) or 541-485-1466 (eve.)

PREFEST '99 SIGN UP

Name: _____ Address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ Country: _____ Postal/Zip code: _____

Day phone: _____ Night phone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

Check here the workshops you wish to attend

- 12:00 - 2:00 Paul Mataruse Babamudiki \$20
- 2:30 - 4:30 Musekiwa Chingodza Singing and more \$20
- 2:30 - 4:30 Sheasby Matiure Advanced marimba \$20
- 5:00 - 7:00 Tute and Irene Chigamba Singing and more \$30

TOTAL
WORKSHOP
COST = \$ _____

Private Lessons

What would you like to learn? _____

How much experience do you have playing this instrument? _____

Do you want to share your private lesson with another person? _____ Who? _____

What is the earliest time on Thurs. that you could begin? _____ Are you be available Wed.? _____

- 1 hr private lesson with Musekiwa Chingodza - \$30
- 1/2 hr private lesson with Tute Chigamba (\$10 to \$20) - \$ _____ + tape \$10
- 1/2 hr private lesson with Irene Chigamba (\$10 to \$20) - \$ _____ + tape \$10
- 1 hr private lesson with Paul Mataruse (choose your own fee) - \$ _____
- 1 hr private lesson with Sheasby Matiure - \$20
- Our ensemble is interested in working with Paul Mataruse (choose your own fee) - \$ _____

TOTAL
LESSONS
COST = \$ _____

Accommodations and Food

Dorm rooms are available on Wednesday and Thursday night. If you already have Thursday housing (See enclosed confirmation form), please do not request Thursday housing here. Prices are per person and include two meals (Wednesday night: dinner Wednesday and breakfast Thursday; Thursday night: lunch Thursday and breakfast Friday)

Check which night(s) you would like accommodations:

- Wednesday, June 2 - \$30
- Thursday, June 3 - \$30

If possible, I prefer single double with _____

TOTAL
ACCOMMODATION
& FOOD COST = \$ _____

Check here if you are ordering linens at Zimfest (\$11.50). Otherwise, you can bring your own sleeping bag and towels.

If you don't want to stay at Fort Worden, alternative accommodation may be available. Call Nancy Santilli at 360-385-0907 for more information.

THURSDAY EVENING POTLUCK: I will bring a dish I'll contribute \$5 toward the cost of food

If you have special needs or other information we should know in processing your form, please write on a separate sheet.

Thank you!!! See you in June!!!!

TOTAL ENCLOSED = \$ _____
(Workshops, Lessons,
Accommodations & Food)
Please make check or money order payable
to: Zimfest '99
(WE CANNOT ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS)

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to: Meta Hough, 118 Alberta, Eugene OR 97404