



turkish festival

WASHINGTON, DC

SUNDAY • SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 • 11AM–7PM

Pennsylvania Avenue NW between 12th & 14th Streets

www.turkishfestival.org

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SCHEDULE OF STAGE PERFORMANCES*

STAGE PROGRAM SPONSOR: **Yalcin Group Enterprises**

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Emcees: Ms. Demet Cabbar, Ms. Ebony Nicole Kelly, Ms. Özge Övün Sert

Sound Technicians: Klassic Sound and DJ Turk | **Backstage Coordinator:** Sevtap Schreffler

11:15 Warm-up Music by DJ Turk

11:30 A la Turca Music by Group Rosslyn

11:50 Turkish Folk Dance Performances

Ankara Seymen by Hacettepe University Children and Youth Folklore Group (Hacettepe)
Blacksea Horon by Turkish Women's League of America Ataturk School Folk Dance Group
Aegean Bravery Dance by Gokalp Necioglu and the Necioglu Boys
Turkish Potpourri by Kardelen Turkish Dance Ensemble (Kardelen)
Line Dance from Gaziantep Region by Hacettepe
Aegean Girls Dance by Turkish Women's League of America Ataturk School Folk Dance Group
Halay Dance with Audience and Turkish Music by DJ Turk

12:45 Rhythm Show – Beyond Boundaries:

Afro/Brazilian/Turkish Percussion Show by Batala & Hacettepe
Rhythm Show and Blacksea Horon by Hacettepe

13:15 Ladino Songs of the Jewish People of Turkey by Trio Sefardi

14:00 Turkish, Azeri and Central Asian Dances

Kochecke Women's Dances by Hacettepe and Kardelen
Lazgi, Darya Tashkin (Uzbek), and Gulyarcan (Uyghur) by the Silk Road Dance Company
Potpourri (Central Anatolia, BlackSea, Aegean Zeybek) by Hacettepe and Kardelen

14:50 Acknowledgements by the Festival Organizers – ATA-DC & Turkish Festival Committee

Recognition of Festival Sponsors and Volunteers
Acknowledgement of Young Cultural Ambassadors

15:00 Dance 4 Peace Initiative by ATA-DC, All Dance Groups, and Audience

15:10 A la Turca Music by Group Rosslyn

15:30 Connecting Cultures: From Central Asia to South America

Hayrona – Uyghur Dance by Nomad Dancers
Topkapi Nights by Raqs Habibi Teen World Dance Company
Uzbek Dance from Central Asia by Nomads
Salsa Dance by Catherine Ayla and JJ
Latin Dance by Zafire Ladies in DC directed by Bebé

16:00 Turkish Groove by Group Turkoise

17:00 Turkish Romani Gypsy Dance by Hacettepe (on the floor)

17:15 Turkish Gypsy Funk by NY Gypsy All Stars

18:15 Turkish Folk Dance Performances

Turkish Romani Gypsy by Hacettepe (on stage)
Turkish Belly Dances by Carolina Hernandez
Davul Show and Blacksea Horon by Hacettepe
Dance with DJ Turk

19:00 End of the Festival

TURKISH COFFEE AND FORTUNE TELLING AT THE COFFEE & TEA TENT

TURKISH COFFEE \$5 :: TURKISH COFFEE & FORTUNE TELLING \$20 :: TEA (BLACK) \$2



SHADOW THEATRE

For the first time at the Turkish Festival, the Shadow theatre will be shown in the big tent. Come to see Karagoz and Hacıvat's THE MAGIC TREE show.

SHOW TIMES:

12:00 | 13:30 | 15:00 | 16:30

Come early reserve your seat.



BUSINESS NETWORK TENT

Located on Pennsylvania Ave. NW and 13th street

BUSINESS CARD EXCHANGE TABLE

Bring 150-200 Business Cards with you and place them on the Business Card Exchange table for people to pick up. It is free. Promote your business and yourself to more than 20,000 visitors.

JOB BOARDS

If you are looking for job, employee, business partner, business opportunities or investors, this is for you. Stop by the Business Network tent. Write your message on the white board.

ROUND-TABLE MEETINGS AND Q&A

We have many experts who will share their knowledge with you on the Business Network tent.

- Why this is the best time to invest in Turkey?
- What is the Turquality program?
- How to select your business location?
- Decision making tools & Investment incentives
- Franchising
- Grow your business
- Business Marketing

And more...
Don't miss it!

TURKISH BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Stop by our tent and pick up a hard copy of the latest 2018-2019 Turkish Business Directory.



* Subject to Change

FESTIVAL COMMITTEE

All Festival committee members are volunteers who work endless hours beginning six months prior to the festival to make this event a success. This year's festival committee consists of the following individuals:

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Patsy Jones*

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Hande Ayan*, Demet Cabbar*, Gizem Salcigil White*, Feriha Istar*, Sitki Kazanci*

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Supporting Members

Burcu Lale Yüksel, Afraim Katzir, Young Cultural Ambassadors, ATA-DC Board of Directors

* ATA-DC Board Members

ARTS & CRAFTS FOR KIDS

Kids' Tent will present Turkish culture with hands-on activities, offering children and their parents the opportunity to create unforgettable memories.



T-SHIRT

ONE T-SHIRT \$20

TWO T-SHIRTS \$30

All t-shirt proceeds support the Turkish Festival



KILIM WEAVING DEMONSTRATION

12:30 - 13:00 | 15:30 - 16:00 | 18:00 - 18:30



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