CULTURAL HERITAGE ASSOCIATION of NICOSIA

13th MEDITERRANEAN FOLKLORE DANCE FESTIVAL

OFFICIAL INVITATION

Dear Friends,

The Cultural Heritage Association of Nicosia in cooperation with Larnaca Municipality is organizing the **13th MEDITERRANEAN FOLKLORE DANCE FESTIVAL** in Larnaca, Cyprus from **14th to 18th of September, 2018.**
Fourteen (14) groups from countries of the Mediterranean and fifteen(15) from Cyprus will be chosen to participate in the Festival.

CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION:

- All the groups of folklore dance from the Mediterranean countries may participate.
- **BUT WE ARE GOING TO ACCEPT FOLKLORE DANCE GROUPS FROM ANY WHERE AS WE WANT TO GIVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO THE WHOLE WORLD TO COME AT OUR FESTIVAL, SO PLEASE INFORM YOUR FRIENDS TO GET IN CONTACT WITH US**
- The organizer is not responsible for providing visas to foreign nationals (outside the EU) that will need them.
- Maximum group members twenty four (24), including musicians. *(Please note music should be live performance not CD)* – If groups like to bring more people, it is permitted. The additional persons would have to pay 80 Euros per person ,as all other members. This sum includes accommodation, in 4 beds rooms or flats, 3 meals per day and internal transportation to the venues and hotels. Free entrance – to venues and archaeological museums. Cruise and diving and traditional parties, presents and shirt . Whoever would like to book single or double room has to pay the difference but on our special hotel price offers. The single our double rooms has 30 euros difference per night.
- 4 performances will take place in Festival: 3 Ten minutes (10') programme. The group should also be prepared for a full performance of 60′ minutes in case it should be needed. Each group should be prepared for 3 different 10′ minute Programme.
- Groups interested in participating must send a DVD of their work, along with a history of their group and CV's of the members **until 31st of January 2018** to the following address: 17 Elia Venezi str, Engomi 2401, Nicosia, CYPRUS or link to our email, so that we can open and see your performances and the quality of your group.
- If groups decide to come earlier or stay in Cyprus more days, for any reason, they must pay for their accommodation.
- There is a PARTICIPATION fee of 80 Euros (€ 80.00) for each member (per person), for the participation in the Festival which you must pay in advance as we accept your group in the Festival.

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CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

- Spectacular Stage Presentation
- Costumes
- Music & song
- Technique of execution

THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE OFFERS:

- Accommodation in Hotel Apartments 4 persons or more, and 3 Meals per day for FOUR (4) Days.
- Internal Transportation, PARTIES, PRESENTS, CRUISE.

Transport to and from Cyprus is responsibility of each group. The Organizing Committee does not undertake this expense (air tickets, etc)

EXHIBITIONS OF COSTUMES AND PRODUCTS

- The chosen groups will have the right to exhibit and sell products of their country that reflect their tradition.
- During the Festival will take place a Costume Exhibition, where all the chosen countries will exhibit the traditional costumes of their country. A special ceremony will take place at the venue.
- Groups can buy souvenirs from the festival in low prices such as T-shirts-cups-caps-bags-key rings.

Organized By THE CULTURAL HERITAGE ASSOCIATION OF NICOSIA

In co-operation Cultures Services of the Municipality of Larnaca

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