

**BRILLIANT LOCAL TALENT AT THE 7TH ANNUAL FRIENDS FOR PEACE
DAY, SAT. OCTOBER 3RD 2009, OTTAWA CITY HALL**

Free concert at Ottawa City Hall with incredible local talent. Don't miss the opening at 10.00am with Sound Shaman Jeremy Sills on Crystal Bowls, followed by The Bhakti Connection's kirtan then a peace meditation from Bhuvaneshwari Devi. The lively Coffee House Ensemble takes the stage followed by the up and coming PEACEWORK band – folk, rock and blues at its best.

In the afternoon enjoy the Celtic Harp opening with Hoda Nassim and performances from songstress Christina Marchant and friends, Laughter Yoga and the finale - Bollywood Bam with Mukande Kaur – everyone laughs and dances! Also listen to Master story teller Jo Maple and hear the Visions for Peace from Peace Award recipients Hans Sinn and Moe Atallah. Donations collected on the day go to the Nelson Mandela Children's Foundation.

People can expect great entertainment, inter-faith action, activist speeches, interaction with dancers and musicians, good food, Silent Auction bargains and fellowship, while inspecting a showcase of concerned groups. Come and be part of the celebration of the 7th Friends for Peace Day. It closes the two week Peace Festival in our fair city. Admission is free.

Professor Emeritus Ian Prattis of Carleton, co-ordinator, explains why he and his friends present the event: "To provide the opportunity for the diversity of Ottawa to stand together for peace, social justice and planetary care – and to have a good time doing it."

When: Saturday, Oct 3, 2009 from 10AM to 4PM,
Where: Jean Pigott Place, in Ottawa City Hall,
Why: Build bridges for peace, planetary care & social justice
How: Through song, dance, food, social activism and Fun!
Who: Organized by *Friends for Peace* and their friends.
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