

December 16th - Millennium Dinner - Scotts Pass – Priest George Irons Ethiopia trod

Mid Dec, 2007 – Members of the Rastafari family in the USA (NY & D.C) and members of the EADUMC (aka MC) plan and coordinate strategies to prepare tangible document for the AU conferences scheduled for early 2008.

**DRAFT 2008 Calendar of Rastafari Pan-African Observances & Interests
- Golden Jubilee of EABIC -**

Month & Date	Activity	Country
JANUARY -	Early 2008, Pan-African (PAIPO) Intellectual Property Organization Stake- holders Meeting - no dates yet.	
7	Genna Ises – Nyahbinghi National Council gathering	Guateng, South Afr.
	-Launch of Sistren’s Support Group (Waitikubuli)	Dominica
20 - Feb 10	26 th African Cup of Nations football tournament	Ghana
21-25	Working Group on follow-up to Durban Conference	St. Lucia
27	Iyanola CAR Annual General Meeting	“
31 – Feb 3	Panel Discussion on HIV/AIDS & CRO Workshop on Self-Esteem	“
FEBRUARY	AU technical meeting, to complete POA, Implementation Plan & Declaration of Principles for Diaspora Summit in April	
7-18	16 th PanAfrican Film & Art Festival	Los Angeles USA
9-10	Rastafari Economic Prosperity I-ference, Rastafari ReggaeVillage	Trelawny, JA
18-24	Global Reggae Conference, “Global Reggae: Jamaican Popular Music A Yard and Abroad”	UWI/Mona, JA
25	12 Tribes 40th Anniversary	
MARCH	1 Bobo Shanti 50th Anniversary	
	- Millennium Council massive global marketing and promotion of global fund raiser (radio stations worldwide)	Global
	2 Commemoration of Victory at Adowa	
21	Bad Friday/Coral Gardens Massacre	Jamaica
21-25	-MC Fundraiser activities commence	Global
25	EOZ 6 th Empress Menen Earthstrong Gathering	Ghana
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APRIL - ALD was originally established at the first ever Conference of Independent States on April 15 1958, but is today observed on May 25, commemorating its declaration declaration at the formation of the OAU in 1963	AU Diaspora Grand/Global Summit	South Africa
15-25	Haile Selassie I visit to the Caribbean	T&T, B/dos, JA & Haiti
21-30	1 st substantive session of Prep Com for 2009 Durban Review	Geneva
MAY	16 – June 6	
	One Are We International Camping Event , Nanyuki	Kenya
25	African Liberation Day	
	-MC Fundraising Campaign ends	Global

		*ICAR Seminar/workshop on Personal/Family Development	St. Lucia
JUNE	16	Leonard Percival Howell Day - MC assessment of funds raised by trustees from major houses, mansions and individuals and prioritizing of Action Plans for project development and disbursement	
Alternative month for		*ICAR Seminar/workshop on Personal/Family Development	St. Lucia
JULY	1-4	Working Group on follow-up to Durban Conference	
	18-25	Fourth Trinity Trod	Antigua & Barbuda
	23	Haile Selassie I Earthstrong	Jamaica
	July 22 – August 4	Rastafari Unification Summit	“
	24-29	-Global Nyahbinghi Consultation, Scott’s Pass Nyahbinghi Centre	“
	31–2 Aug.	-Unification Summit	“
AUGUST	1	Emancipation Day -Election of secretariat officers, organizing working commissions	Jamaica
	2	Seal on Unification Summit	
	4	Rastafari Expo	
	Sunday 17	Marcus Mosiah Garvey Day	
	22-31	CARIFESTA X	Guyana
SEPTEMBER	11	Ethiopian New Year AU Special Summit of Heads of State and Government on Refugees, Returnees and Internally Displaced Persons –Them “ Addressing the Challenge of Forced Displacement in Africa ”	
OCTOBER		Third Black Heritage Festival	Lagos, Nigeria
		Iyanola Council for the Advancemant of Rastafari AGM	St. Lucia
	28	Rastafari Day in Iyanola	“
	31-Nov 4	12 Summit of the Caribbean Rastafari Organisation	Trinidad & Tobago
NOVEMBER	Sat. 1	Election of officers to CRO Executive	T & T
	2	Coronation of Haile Selassie I & Empress Menen	
DECEMBER	17-28	2 nd substantive session of Prep Com for 2009 Durban Review	