

# Jamaica Land We Love

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LEADERSHIP  
INNOVATION  
EXCELLENCE  
EXPERIENCE  
PASSION  
YOUTH  
DIVERSITY  
INCLUSION  
ACHIEVEMENT  
ARTS & CULTURE  
DANCE  
COMMUNITY  
PRIDE  
INDEPENDENCE  
RESILIENCE  
COURAGE  
COMMITMENT  
YOUTH  
MILITARY  
SERVICE

**YOU ARE INVITED**

An OFFICIALLY DESIGNATED Jamaica 50 Event

**Jamaica 50 Celebration Inc.**

under the patronage of Her Excellency Sheila Sealy Monteith, Jamaica's High Commissioner to Canada;  
Seth George Ramocan, Jamaica's Consul General to Toronto;  
Senator the Honourable Don Meredith, Honorary Jamaica 50 Canada Patron;  
the Honourable Margaret Best, Ontario Minister of Consumer Services  
& Councillor Michael Thompson, City of Toronto

**Jamaica 50 Celebration Inc. and the Jamaican Canadian Association  
In association with CBC**

A Spectacular Star-Studded, four-part evening honouring  
**50 YEARS OF JAMAICA'S INDEPENDENCE**  
& Our Contributions to Canada

Featuring Performances by:

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Kreesha Turner • Steele • Nana McLean**

Ammoye • Blakka Ellis • DJ Eugene Chang of Psycho Soul  
Dwayne Morgan • Heritage Singers • Jessica Yap • Kafaye Rose  
KasheDance • Marc Trinidad • Stephen Lewis & the KCC Choir • Wire

**Musical Director: Jay Douglas**

With the Jay Douglas All Stars Orchestra

With Hosts, CBC Television's

**Dwight Drummond & Anne-Marie Mediwake**

**Saturday, August 11, 2012, 5:30pm**

Metro Toronto Convention Centre

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The Jamaican Canadian Association Legacy Endowment Fund

**A Message From the Co-Chairs**



Sandra Whiting



Audrey Campbell

We invite you to join in Jamaica's golden jubilee celebration of 50 years as an independent nation at the **Jamaica Land We Love Gala** on Saturday, August 11, 2012 at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre.

Every detail of this evening has been carefully crafted to ensure that your experience is memorable, in fact, unforgettable. From **The '62 Reception** to the **Dinner in Hope Gardens, Jamaica Jubilee** and the **After Party**, you will be transported back in time to when the pride of a nation was born to the present day as we join together to celebrate the journey and contributions of Jamaicans in Canada.

Toronto's **Jamaica Land We Love Gala** is one of several around the world that has been designated by the Jamaican Government as an Official Event of Jamaica 50. We look forward to sharing this once-in-a-lifetime evening with you as together we will create our memories of Jamaica's 50th anniversary in 2012.

It's going to be nice yuh see! You will have a Boonoonoonos time, come out and join us...

**Sandra Whiting**  
Event Producer,  
Sandra Whiting and Associates

**Audrey Campbell**  
President,  
Jamaican Canadian Association

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## Jamaica Land We Love GALA



A media-graphic black and white snapshot peek into the euphoria of 1962  
when Jamaica raised the black, gold and green.



All that glitters is golden in the GALA's elegant dining room. Feast on fine Jamaican  
cuisine in a fresh, fragrant and scenic dining experience inspired by Jamaica's iconic  
Hope Gardens – installation through a creative collaboration of guest designers of  
The Jamaica Horticultural Society and Landscape Ontario.



Lights, Camera, Action – visuals, music, dance, comedy, spoken word – a jaw  
dropping cast of Jamaican and Canadian artists and personalities command centre  
stage in a spectacular multi-media showcase of stirring sight and sound – the  
honouree, our beloved Jamaica.



The thunderous energy and electric colours of Jamaica's nightclubs  
today – partiers dance the night away – with set performances by featured  
artists – old and nu-skool.

### Four-Part GALA Evening

'62 Reception, Dinner in Hope Gardens, Jamaica Jubilee, The After Party | \$175, \$350 and \$500

### Jubilee Show Package

'62 Reception, Jamaica Jubilee and The After Party | \$75

## GALA Ticket Information

### Individual Tickets

#### \$175

- Four-Part GALA Evening

#### \$350

- Four-Part GALA Evening
- VIP invitation to the Exclusive Meet & Greet Celebrity Lounge
- Priority dinner seating

#### \$500

- Four-Part GALA Evening
- VIP invitation to the Exclusive Meet & Greet Celebrity Lounge
- Celebrity-hosted dinner seating
- Name listed in the Souvenir Program Book

### Patron Packages

#### LIGNUM VITAE \$20,000

- Gala Dinner seating for 10 persons
- Full page ad in Souvenir Program Book
- Corporate name listed in Souvenir Program Book
- Company logo in onscreen Logo Loop
- Company logo and name on website
- Recognition from podium
- On-site visual display of Corporation
- 10 VIP invitations to the Exclusive Meet & Greet Celebrity Lounge
- 10 invitations to The '62 Reception
- Valet parking
- Option for Celebrity-hosted dinner seating
- Feature Profile article in the Jamaica50 Newsletter

#### HUMMING BIRD \$15,000

- Gala Dinner seating for 10 persons
- Half page ad in Souvenir Program Book
- Corporate name listed in Souvenir Program Book
- Company logo in onscreen Logo Loop
- Company logo and name on Jamaica 50 website
- Recognition from podium
- 10 VIP invitations to the Exclusive Meet & Greet Celebrity Lounge
- 10 invitations to The '62 Reception

#### BLUE MAHOE PACKAGE \$10,000

- Gala Dinner seating for 10 persons
- Quarter page ad in Souvenir Program Book
- Corporate name listed in Souvenir Program Book
- Company logo in onscreen Logo Loop
- Company Logo and name on Jamaica 50 website
- 2 VIP invitations to the Exclusive Meet & Greet Celebrity Lounge
- 10 invitations to The '62 Reception

#### HIBISCUS PACKAGE \$5,000

- Gala Dinner seating for 10 persons
- Name listed in Souvenir Program Book
- Company Logo or name on Jamaica 50 website
- 10 invitations to The '62 Reception

#### ACKEE PACKAGE \$3,500,00

- Gala Dinner seating for 10 persons
- Name listed in Souvenir Program Book
- 10 invitations to The '62 Reception

## Presented by:

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