

Grenadian Homecoming Programme

ST GEORGE'S, February 21, 2012 - Hundreds of Grenadian nationals in the Diaspora are expected in the Spice Isle during the month of August to participate in a series of activities including Carnival, Reunions and the Grenadian Homecoming, organised by the Office of Diaspora Affairs (ODA).

The Homecoming, which will be held from August 5-18, 2012 under the theme “Engaging Our Communities – Embracing Our Heritage”, will involve returning nationals engaging in community projects, seminars, a youth camp, and a dinner and awards ceremony.

The Homecoming is the main Calendar event for the ODA in 2012 and plans are on-going to create a platform for Grenadian nationals in the Diaspora to return to the island during the month of August and participate in the activities.

“We are encouraging Grenadians in the Diaspora to be a part of this historic homecoming celebrations this year,” said Elizabeth Greenidge, Permanent Secretary in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

“This is an opportunity for our nationals who are returning home for the summer to engage in various community activities, and exchanging of ideas through workshops and seminars,” she added.

The organisers have also included in the programme a public viewing of the Men’s 400 metre final on the afternoon of Monday August 6, 2012.

Nationals are expected from North America, Europe, Asia and neighbouring islands including Trinidad and Tobago, Barbados, Antigua, and British Virgin Islands.



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“Engaging Our Communities – Embracing Our Heritage”

AUGUST 5th - 18th 2012

August 05:	Church Service
August 08:	Thematic Platform Programmes
August 09:	Workshops/Seminars Part I
August 7-9:	Diaspora Youth Camp
August 12:	Family Day
August 16:	Community Projects
August 17:	Workshops/Seminars Part II
August 18:	Gala/Dinner and Awards Ceremony

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