

La MaMa's 65th Anniversary Block Party



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Art for Healing. Food for Healing.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2026, FROM 1 - 5 PM



**PERFORMANCES
AND INSTALLATIONS BY**
Alex Romania and Stacy Lynn Smith
Amygdala
Kevin Aviance
Battery Dance
DJ Blanka Barbara
Box Cutter Collective
Brooklyn United
CultureHub
I Nyoman Catra
Scout Davis
Douglas Dunn + Dancers
Great Jones Rep
IATI
James John
Mizuho Kappa
Yungchen Lhamo
Members of NYTW's Youth Artistic
Instigators
Pua Ali'i 'Ilima o Nuioka
Queens College Choir
Rod Rodgers Dance Company
Carrie Sijia Wang
Peter Wyer

ACTIVITIES INCLUDING
Bouncy House
Care Cafe with Lois Weaver,
Kim Ima, and Erin Amlicke
Dance Workshop with
Kinding Sindaw
Kids Yoga with Marina Celander
Puppet Making with Loco7 Theatre
Ti Leaves Bracelet Making with
Pua Ali'i 'Ilima o Nuioka
Shakuhachi Flute Making
Demonstration with Perry Yung
And more!

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EVENT EMCEES
Violeta Picayo
Kate Rigg

BLOCK PARTY CHAIRS
Jacqueline Chu
Kwaku Driskell

This event is part of the
Lower East Side Arts and
Culture Open House Weekend
in partnership with FABnyc

WORKSHOP SCHEDULE
1:30pm Shakuhachi Flute Making
Demonstration
with Perry Yung
2:00pm Shakuhachi Flute Making
Demonstration
with Perry Yung
2:00pm Puppet Making Workshop
with Loco7 Dance
Puppet Theatre
3:00pm Dance Workshop
with Kinding Sindaw
3:30pm Ti Leaves Bracelet Making
with Pua Ali'i 'Ilima o Nuioka
4:00pm Kids Yoga
with Marina Celander

All lists as of noon 10/14/2026

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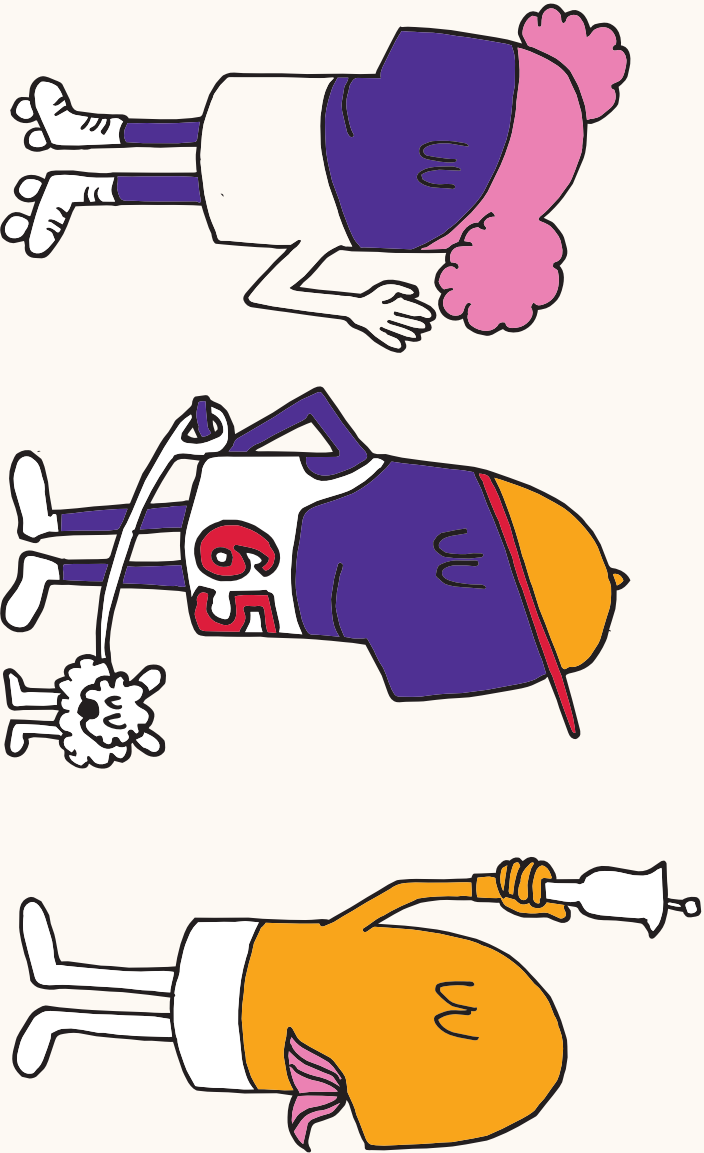
PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

1:00pm	Event Begins	2:30pm	Performance by I Nyoman Catra and Great Jones Rep
1:05pm	Bell Ringing	2:40pm	Performance by IATI
1:10pm	Performance by Pua Ali'i 'Ilima o Nuioka	2:50pm	Performance by Battery Dance with DJ Blanka Barbara
1:20pm	Welcome by La MaMa, Manhattan Borough President Hoylman-Sigal, Council Member Marte, the Office of Council Member Epstein, and the Mayor's Office of Media and Entertainment	3:00pm	Performance by Douglas Dunn + Dancers
1:40pm	Performance by Brooklyn United	3:20pm	Performance by Alex Romania and Stacy Lynn Smith
2:00pm	Performance by NYTW's Youth Artistic Instigators	3:30pm	Performance by Mizuho Kappa
2:10pm	Performance by Box Cutter Collective	3:40pm	Performance by Scout Davis
2:20pm	Remarks from our Local Food Service Organizations	3:50pm	Performance by Amygdala
		4:00pm	Performance by Kevin Aviance
		4:10pm	Performance by Rod Rodgers Dance Company
		4:25pm	Intro to Fourth Arts Block Organizations
		4:35pm	Performance by Yungchenn Lhamo
		4:45pm	Performance by the Queens College Vocal Ensemble
		5:00pm	Event ends

Today is La Mama's 65th Birthday and we are so excited to be with all of you for this milestone! La Mama's Global Block Party, Art for Healing - Food for Healing, celebrates the shared power of art and food to heal, build understanding, and transform our communities. We are throwing this free public party on the block so that everyone can gather to uplift the urgent need for arts and culture in our city. We're so glad you are here!

Through public events, performance, street fairs, workshops, Care Cafés, and more, La Mama has been committed to bringing together different people to share in the power of storytelling, art making, cross-cultural and cross-sector collaborations. This is a vital part of our programming and mission to ignite creative thinking, open up possibilities, and foster solidarity.

Thank you for being part of our **grassroots global arts movement!** Eat, dance, play, and we hope you will be inspired to keep building community in our La Mama Oneness Season.



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