

# 2025-2026 PROGRAMMING



**17th Atlanta African Dance & Drum Festival**  
*In the Beginning Was Woman and She Was African!*  
 Marie Basse Djeneba Sako Mama Yeye  
 Barakissa Coulibaly Awa Fikine  
 Nadia Dieudonné Kelly White Omiosegun "Se" Naida Nafi Diabate

July 17-19, 2026 East Point City Annex  
 3121 Norman Berry Drive East Point, GA 30344

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**AFRIKAN DJELI CULTURAL INSTITUTE PRESENTS..**

**DRUM CLASS W/ ERIC GORE 6PM**

**AFRICAN DANCE CLASS OMIOSEGUN "SE" NAIDA 7-8:30PM**

**SAT NOV 8TH**

**\$15 EACH OR BOTH FOR \$25**

**RHYTHMA STUDIOS 555 WHITEHALL STREET SW 2ND FLOOR ATLANTA, GA 30303**

**QUESTIONS? AIYETORO 4043928733**

**Atlanta African Dance & Drum Festival**  
**July 25-27, 2025**  
**Kelly White**

**Afro-Cuban (Orisa Dance)**  
**Sunday July 27 10am**

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**Tri-Cities High School 2575 Harris St East Point, GA 30344**

**Atlanta African Dance & Drum Festival PRESENTS**  
**Afriky Lolo African Dance Company PERFORMING**  
**THE GODDESS ZAOU LI**

**SAT JUL 26, 2025 7PM DOOR 8PM SHOW \$35**

**AN AFRICAN DANCE AND DRUM PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE!**  
**Tri-Cities High School Theater 2575 Harris St, East Point, GA 30344**  
 For tickets and other info, [www.AADD.F.org](http://www.AADD.F.org)

**16th Annual Atlanta African Dance & Drum Festival**  
**July 25-27, 2025**  
 Drum | Dance | Shop | Experience

**Dance Instructors:**  
 DJENEBA SAKO DIADIE BATHILY IBRAHIMA SARR SOLO SANA AMAMANSA WHITTEN T-BOY ISMAIL KOUYATE KELLY WHITE IMANIA DETRY & MORE...

**Musicians:**  
 ERIC GORE BOLOKADA KONDE MAGATTE FALL MOUSSA TRAORE BRIGO GUEYE CHEIKH NDONG AMO DAMAS JAHBRI BLACK

**Festival Activities**  
 AFRICAN DANCE CLASSES AFRICAN DRUM CLASSES VENDOR MARKETPLACE WORLDCLASS CONCERT GREAT VIBES!!!!

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**Afrikan Djeli Presents**  
**Guinea Dance with Youssouf Koumbassa**

**Saturday Nov 2 Dec 7 2-3:30pm**

**Copper Penny Arts Center 3423 Covington Drive Chelseas Restaurant Plaza Suite B Decatur, GA 30032**  
**1 for \$20 / 2 for \$35**  
**Info - 404-392-8733**  
[aaddf.org/youssouf](http://aaddf.org/youssouf)

**AFRIKAN DJELI CULTURAL INSTITUTE & THE ATLANTA AFRICAN DANCE AND DRUM FESTIVAL PRESENT**  
**IVORY COAST DANCE CLASS**

**Barakissa Coulibaly** With Special Guest Drummer Eric Bli Bi Gore

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH AT 8PM \$20**

**Moving in the Spirit 1458 La France Street, NE Atlanta, GA 30307**  
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**Afrikan Djeli Presents**  
**Youssouf Koumbassa**  
 Come learn the dances of Dununba!

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**Saturday Dec 20th 2-3:30pm**

**Rhythma Studio 555 Whitehall St SW Suite R, Atlanta, GA 30303**

**\$20**  
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**Afrikan Djeli Presents**  
**Guinea Dance Classes with Youssouf Koumbassa**

**Saturday Feb 22 2-3:30pm**  
 Moving in the Spirit  
 1458 La France Street NE Atlanta, GA 30307

**Sunday Feb 23 3-4:30pm**  
**The Dances of Dununba**  
**Copper Penny Arts Center 3423 Covington Drive Suite B Chelseas Restaurant Plaza Decatur, GA 30032**  
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