

Festival of Traditional Music

January 5-12 1995

Thurs January 5 3.00-4.30pm
Wayang at the A.N.G. - Indonesian Shadow Puppet play, with Indonesian puppeteer, Widiyanto, accompanied by Suara Naga - the University of New England Gamelan from Armidale.

Thurs Jan 5 5.30-6.30pm
ROM Ceremony - Part 1
Lawns at National Library - Free.

Fri Jan 6 1.00-2.00pm
Suara Naga, the University of New England Gamelan - a traditional Indonesian orchestra.
Canberra Centre - Free



Kailash Dance Company

Fri Jan 6 5.30-6.30pm
ROM Ceremony - Part-2
Old Parliament House lawns - Free

Sat Jan 7 2.00-3.00pm
The University of New England Gamelan
Old Parliament House - \$2 entry

Sat Jan 7 5.15-6.30pm
ROM Ceremony - Part 3
AITSIS courtyard - Free

Sat Jan 7 9.30-11.30pm
A traditional Wayang performance - Indonesian shadow puppet play accompanied by a gamelan orchestra made up of musicians attending the Conference.
University House (outdoors) Free - bring a blanket and a cushion..

Sun Jan 8 1pm
Hellenic Dancers appearing at the Tuggeranong Hyperdome - free

Sun Jan 8 2.30- 3.30pm
Kailash Dance Company - Australia's internationally acclaimed Indian Dance Company directed by Padma Menon.
Australian National Gallery Foyer

Sun Jan 8 7.30-11.30pm
Bush Dance with Wongawilli, Australia's foremost traditional bush dance band. - Cost \$8 at door. Drinks can be purchased.
Yarralumla Woolshed, Cotter Road

Mon Jan 9 8.30-10.30pm
A Greek evening - some of the best of Australia's Greek dancers and musicians from the Newtown Academy of Music and the Aristotelion Academy of Greek Traditional Dancing
Hellenic Club, Phillip - Tickets cost \$6 with supper.
Please book ahead on (06) 281 0899

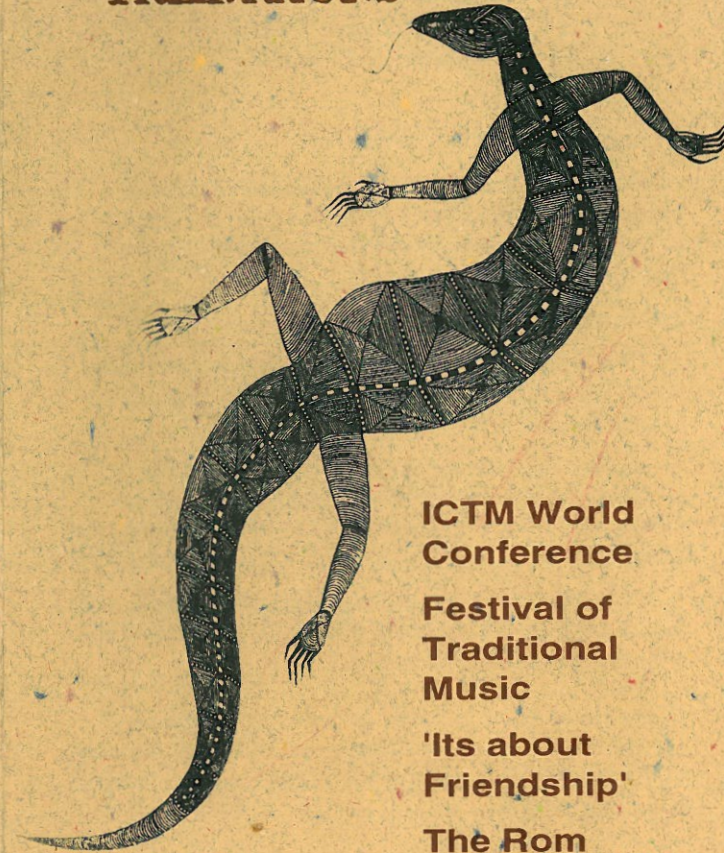
Tues Jan 10 8.15-9.45pm
A Chinese concert -Australia's best Chinese performers - all conservatorium trained with a string of orchestra and broadcasting credits.
ANU Arts Centre - \$8, \$5 kids & conc - Buy tickets at door.

Wed Jan 11 7.30-11.00pm
Aboriginal Concert. Kev Carmody, Aboriginal Islander Dance Theatre, Tiddas. Australia's finest indigenous performers
Llewellyn Hall, School of Music - \$25, \$15 Ph Canberra Ticketing (06) 257 1077 to book...or at the door.

Thurs Jan 12 11am-12pm
Aboriginal Islander Dance Theatre present a workshop on Aboriginal dance - come and find out more about it and have a go!
Old Parliament House - \$2 entry

The Festival is sponsored by the Australia Council for the Arts, the ACT Government through its Cultural Council, the Embassy of Greece and the Greek Orthodox Community & Church of Canberra & District.

A FEAST OF CULTURES AND TRADITIONS



**ICTM World
Conference**

**Festival of
Traditional
Music**

**'Its about
Friendship'**

**The Rom
Ceremony**

**National
Aboriginal and
Torres Strait
Islander Art
Award
Exhibition**

**December 1994 -
January 1995**

International Council for Traditional Music

33rd World Conference

Canberra School of Music
January 5-11 1995

To coincide with the Conference:-

▷ 'Its About Friendship' - an exhibition at the National Library of photographs by Axel Poignant and others, as well as artefacts documenting the Rom ceremony.

▷ Rom ceremony performance

▷ The Australian Heritage Commission's National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Art Award at Old Parliament House.

▷ A Festival of Traditional Music will include performances by Australian Aboriginal, Chinese, Indonesian, Indian, Maori and Greek musicians and dancers.

▷ A Bush Dance at the Yarralumla Woolshed, with the music from Wongawilli and special guests the Monaro Colonial Dancers.

More information on the conference may be obtained from Australian Convention & Travel Services, GPO Box 2200 Canberra ACT 2601 or by phoning (06) 257 3299

Further information on the Festival of Traditional Music may be obtained from the National Folk Festival on (06) 249 7755

The Conference is sponsored by: Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies (AIATSIS); Canberra School of Music, Institute for the Arts, ANU; Australian Tourism Commission; Australian International Development Aid Bureau; Australian Commission for UNESCO; the ACT Government; Qantas.

Part of Australia's living heritage... The Rom Ceremony

A rare opportunity to see this traditional ceremony, which builds and consolidates friendly relations among Aboriginal people in Arnhem Land. A Rom pole will be presented in the final stages of the ceremony. The ceremony will be presented in three parts on the lawns of -

The National Library Thurs Jan 5: 5.30-6.30pm
Old Parliament House Fri Jan 6: 5.30-6.30pm
AIATSIS Sat Jan 7: 5.15-6.30pm

The Rom performance is sponsored by AIATSIS, Bawinanga Assoc., National Museum of Australia, Australian Heritage Commission, ATSIC.

'Its About Friendship' Rom, a ceremony from Arnhem Land

An exhibition celebrating the Rom ceremony. It features stunning photographs by noted Australian photographer Axel Poignant, bark paintings and the ceremonial poles.

The Exhibition Gallery, National Library of Australia
17 December to 26 February 1995

A travelling exhibition developed by the National Library of Australia, the National Museum of Australia and AIATSIS. Made possible by Visions of Australia.

Photo by Axel Poignant: Tom Malakaliya, a senior owner of Jambich Rom, leads the accompaniment to the decoration of the pole, 1952



2nd National ABORIGINAL & TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER Heritage ART Award EXHIBITION

The Theme - "The Art of Place" - highlights heritage sites significant to Australia's indigenous people and raises awareness about the National Estate - places worth keeping for the future

Old Parliament House Canberra
16 December to 22 January 1995

WORKS FOR SALE

A unique opportunity to view and buy indigenous art

- ▷ AFFORDABLE - at artists' prices; no commission added - prices range from \$100 to \$20,000
- ▷ CONVENIENT - the nation's best art, right at Christmas
- ▷ QUALITY - works from artists who are represented in national and international collections, as well as emerging artists.
- ▷ INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY - The range and diversity has to be seen!!

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Sponsored by: Ansett Australia, WIN TV, Old Parliament House, Newway Transport, Brassey Hotel, The Lobby Restaurant, AIATSIS, ATSIC, Australian Cultural Development Office.