

MELBOURNE

Pasifika Festival

&

CHARITY WALK

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Saturday December 4th

10:00am Charity Walk / 11:00-8pm Festival

Footscray Park, Maribyrnong Boulevard

(stage area beside the playground, see map below)

10:00 am	Charity Walk Registration
10:30 – 11:30	Charity Walk - starts at the WFWP marquee Longer Walk along the river for one hour Shorter Walk for half an hour
11:00 pm	Festival
11:00 – 1:30	Pasifika Village stalls & Entertainment - crafts, food, DJ Village Stalls – food, art and crafts, merchandise, support organisations Children & Youth Activities – face painting, balloon twisting, bouncing castles Zumba Dancing – join in the fun DJ Dean – playing modern and traditional Pasifika music Cultural Dances and Entertainment
1:30 -2:30pm	Official Opening
3 minutes	Masters of Ceremony – Emma Kamupala President, Niue Community Council of VIC ??
3 minutes	Acknowledgment of Country
5 minutes	Opening prayer - Pastor Atapana Poe
5 minutes	Purpose of the Day and Family Peace – Anne Bellavance President, Women’s Federation for World Peace, WFWP)
20 minutes	Welcome by Hon. Katie Hall MP representing Hon. Ros Spence MP, VIC Minister for Multicultural Affairs.
5 minutes	Ava Ceremony with VIPs led by the Samoa Marist Old Boys Association, Victoria
3 minutes	Opening address – James Henry President, UPCOV President, Cook Island Community of Victoria
3 minutes	Welcome by Hon. Kaushaliya Vaghela MP State Member for Western Metropolitan Region
3 minutes	Welcome by Cr. Michael Clark Mayor of Maribyrnong City Council
3 minutes	Pacific Island Communities within the Melbourne landscape - by Cassandra Walton President, Kiribati Community of Victoria
2:30– 5:30pm	Dance Performances
	Pasifika Dance performances Mistress of Ceremonies – Tua Manase-Ale President, WFWP Samoa

The Festival is organised by:

The Women's Federation for World Peace (WFWP) is an NGO in General Consultative Status with the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations. We adhere to the principle that women, working together, taking initiative and empowering one another across traditional lines of race, culture and religion to create healthy families, are resolving the complex problems of our societies and world - www.wfwpaustralia.org

As a Global Partner with:

The United Pasifika Council of Victoria (UPCOV) is a platform for all Pacific Island Communities living in Victoria to come together with a shared mission to support each other and advocate community issues - <http://unitedpasifikacouncilofvictoria.com/>

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