



ZIMFEST

NZ Jan 26-28 2013

**A WEEKEND PACKED WITH
PLAYING, SINGING & DANCING
MUSIC FROM ZIMBABWE**



Wellesley Country Park

Akatarawa Valley

Wellington

ZIMFEST NZ

Inspired by the visits of Chris Berry and the teachings of NZ's master of Shona marimba, Russell Matthews, we are proud to announce the launch of New Zealand's first **ZIMFEST**.

This will be a celebration of traditional and contemporary music from Zimbabwe through instrumental and vocal performance.

We welcome enthusiasts of African music, whatever their level of experience and hope that there will be something to for everyone to enjoy learning and playing together.

The Wellesley Country Park is less than one hour's drive from central Wellington and set in a beautiful river valley surrounded by bush-clad hills; a magical place to make music and enjoy the company of others.

BOOK SOON; PLACES ARE LIMITED.



ZIMFEST NZ GROUPS AND WORKSHOPS

Over the weekend there will be opportunities for people to opt to participate in the following lessons, ensembles, dancing and singing groups.

Beginner marimba

Advanced marimba

Drumming and percussion

Mbira tuition

Mbira song ensemble

Vocal ensemble

African dancing

ZIMFEST orchestra



ZIMFEST TUTORS

Julian Raphael (Wellington)
marimba & mbira-song

Russell Matthews (Golden Bay)
marimba

Jimi Dale (Auckland)
drumming & mbira

Lala Simpson (Wellington)
dancing

Brendan Taaffe (USA)
Makwayera singing



ZIMFEST PRICES

Please note this is a fully residential music camp; there will be no 'day' registrations.

The programme begins before lunch on Saturday 26th and concludes Monday morning.

Accommodation and all food is included in the price of **\$320**

The *early-bird* price, for registrations paid *in full* by December 15th is **\$295**

Please post registrations to

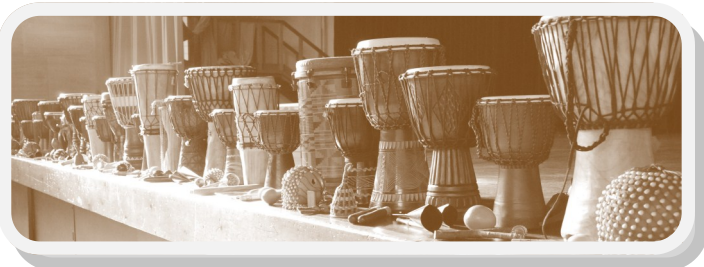
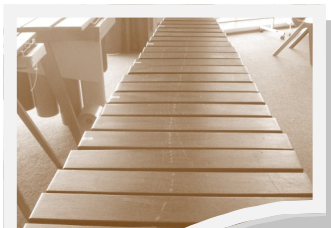
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REGISTRATION

Name.....

Address.....

Email

Telephone.....

Dietary needs.....

Other information, interests or room requests

Please make cheques payable to:

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