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Guyana Cultural Association of New York (Guyfolkfest) Award Recipients

Past Recipients

- Agard, John & Grace Nicholls - 2004
- Allsopp, S.R.R. - 2002
- Alves, Bonny - 2005
- Andries, Lloyd - 2005
- Bishop, Rudy - 2003
- Bobb-Semple, Ron - 2002
- Braff, Johnny - 2002
- Braithwaite, Maurice - 2002
- Brandis, Negla - 2002
- Britton Queh Queh Group, Lio - 2005
- Broomes, Art - 2003
- Burrows, E.R. - 2002
- Cambridge, Vibert - 2005
- Cameron, Pat - 2002
- Campbell, David - 2003
- Carew, Jan - 2004
- Carter, Martin - 2002
- Chan, Megan - 2002
- Chan, Neil - 2005
- Charles, Dudley - 2005
- Charles, Tom, & The Syncopators - 2003

Quality of life in most societies is measured by cultural undertakings and their effect. One of the more positively impactful events since Guyana's political independence is Carifesta 1972 and this year, the Guyana Cultural Association of New York (GCA) celebrates that culturally defining occasion along with the country's 40th anniversary of Independence.

Among the many legacies of the Carifesta 1972 experience is the higher-level vision and presentation of a cultural mosaic across boundaries. It is also the cultural innovation that acknowledged ancestors and elders, nurtured the emerging, encouraged the blossoming, and showcased the blooming artistes in all Guyanese cultural endeavors. GCA's ethos is born of those characteristics and therefore its annual awards reflect them as well.

Starting in 2002 a cross section of the Guyanese society have been

2011

Tributes

Upcoming
Events

Vendors

- Chin, Godfrey - 2004
- Critchlow, Ivan - 2003
- Cummings, Aubrey - 2004
- Dabydeen, David - 2004
- Dalgetty, Wrickford - 2004
- Das, Mahadai - 2003
- Davson, Victor - 2004
- Desouza, Dennis - 2003
- Douglas Daniel, Vivienne - 2005
- Douglas, Andrea - 2005
- Drepaul, John Slingshot - 2005
- Edgehill, Desiree - 2004
- Emanuel, Juliet - 2005
- Forrester, Phillip - 2004
- Forsythe, Victor - 2004
- Fredericks, John - 2005
- Gajraj, Terry - 2002
- Gilkes, Michael - 2004
- Girard, Chuck - 2004
- Glasford, Des & Combo 7 - 2003
- Goring, Claire - 2004
- Grant, Eddie - 2002
- Griffith, Linda - 2005
- Guyana Music Teachers Association - 2003
- Guyana Police Male Voice - 2003
- Hall, Malcolm - 2004
- Hamid, Ayube - 2003
- Harris, Wilson - 2004
- Haynes, Annie - 2003
- Hemmerding, Hilton - 2003
- Heydorn, Bernard - 2002
- Hinds, Basil - 2004
- Holder, Ramjohn - 2003
- Holland, Loris - 2003
- Hooper, Eddie - 2004
- Hoppie, Winston - 2005
- Josiah, Moses - 2004
- Kalicharran, Romanee - 2004
- Kempadoo, Peter - 2002
- Khan, Rafiq - 2003
- Knights, Charlie - 2004
- Lanyi, David - 2005
- Lawrence, Margaret - 2005
- Lee, Vivian - 2002
- Lopes Seales, Olga - 2002
- Lowe, Vesta - 2003
- Lynch, Ivor - 2002
- Mack, Trenton - 2005
- Magdeline, Sister Rose - 2005
- Malcolm Corrica - Lord Canary -

recognized and formally acknowledged by the Guyana Cultural Association of New York. An alphabetized list of all past Award recipients is shown below.

Ronald H. Lammy,
Co-Chair Awards Committee
June 2006

- National Dance Company - 2005
- Nichols, Clement E. - 2003
- Nichols, Phillip - 2003
- October Edun, Rose - 2005
- Pereira, Beryl - 2005
- Phillips, Roland - 2003
- Phillips, Tony - 2003
- Pieters, Edith - 2003
- Pilgrim, Billy - 2003
- Pilgrim, Frank - 2005
- Pollard, Mase-Lall - 2003
- Primus, Sandra - 2005
- Proctor, Keith - 2004
- Pyaree, Pitra - 2004
- Ramdhani, Ustad - 2004
- Richmond, James - 2005
- Rickford, John - 2004
- Robinson, Ron - 2004
- Rodney, Henry - 2004
- Rodrigues, Basil - 2003
- Rogers, Bert - 2004
- Rogers, Daphne Elaine - 2004
- Rogers, Eddie - 2004
- Rudder, Akoyah - 2005
- Sadeek, Sheik - 2004
- Sage, Boyie - 2005
- Sam, Hugh - 2003
- Sargeant, Elsie - 2005
- Schultz, Rector - 2004
- Seales, Al - 2003
- Seales, Ray - 2005
- Serrao, Bing & The Ramblers - 2003
- Seymour, A.J. - 2002
- Shah, Malini - 2005
- Shaw, Nadira & Indranie - 2003
- Shaw, Rudolph - 2004
- Shurland Wilson - King Fighter - 2002
- Simmons, George & The Rythmaires - 2003
- Singh, Gora - 2005
- Singh, Pritha - 2005

2003

- Martin, Dave - 2002
- Matthews, Marc - 2004
- McAndrew, Wordsworth - 2002
- McDonald, Ian - 2003
- McIntock, Philip - 2005
- Menezes, Sister Noel - 2002
- Mittelholzer, Edgar - 2004
- Monica Chopperfield - Lady
Guymine - 2003
- Moore, Billy - 2003
- Moore, Colin - 2005
- Muttoo, Henry - 2004
- Singh, Rajkumari - 2002
- Sobryan, Andre - 2004
- Stewart-Shaw, Sandra - 2005
- Sue-A-Quan, Trev - 2003
- Taitt, Clairmonte - 2004
- Taitt, Helen - 2005
- Tassa Explosion - 2003
- The Atlanta Guyana Association -
2002
- The Link Show - 2002
- Valz, Sonia - 2005
- Waithe, Keith - 2003
- Walcott, Verna - 2005
- Williams, Aubrey - 2004
- Williams, Denis - 2004
- Williams, Ras Como - 2005
- Woodside Choir - 2005

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