

WORLD INTERFAITH HARMONY WEEK



The Official UN Observance in the 1st Week of February

Event Title: VI XIRE Praising the Queen of the Sea Yemonjá

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Venue: Yemanja Monument, Amores Beach

Address: Rua do Pepe, Amores Beach, Barra da Tijuca, Rio do Janeiro, Brazil

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Event Details:

On February 2, we held a political-cultural event for the celebration of the Yemonja deity, the touches of the Ketu, Jeje, Angola and Umbanda Nations, valuing Afro-Brazilian culture, through its popular expressions, customs, and traditions of a People. It happened in Pier 1,





Barra da Tijuca, Amores Beach in Rio de Janeiro in the Monument to Iemonja Queen of the sea.

This was an action that also contributed to the fight against religious intolerance and the fight for respect. The depredation of the image of lemonja in 2012, points to the urgency of actions, which in partnership with public agencies and organized society, establish effective policies to combat religious intolerance and racism.

Everyone in Fight for Respect! For the Nationalization of the Day of Iemonja!

PROGRAMMING began 1 feb. - 15h "Walk through the Waters" and walk out of the Nowa Cumig Center (Cosme Velho) towards Pier 1 of Barra. At 9:00 pm the vigil took place in the Barra da Barra.

On February 2, at 8:00 am Breakfast at the Ile Omo Ejá followed Carreata starting at Rua Porto Carrero, 350, near Cordovil station. At 10 o'clock the Wheel of Talk took place with the important theme "Conserving the home of the Queen of the Sea". Participants: Thanks to Nascimento (Inter-Religious Movement of Rio de Janeiro - MIR), Eku Abo Environmental Education Project, Athamis Barbara (Nowa Cumig Center), Christiane Aires (environmentalist), presentation of the Senhores dos Mares Project. According to Ifa, in the Cuban tradition, read the letter of the year.

At 2pm Xirê in praise of the Queen of the Sea (Ketu, Jeje, Angola and Umbanda) Ogan Xambá. The 15h Touch of Shaman Drums and ancestral songs by the Nowa Cumig Center Native Traditions Center, guided by Athamis Bárbara, Center coordinator. When finally at 4:00 p.m., in addition to a baptismal ceremony, we witnessed the Delivery of the Water previously blessed and coming from various sources in Rio de Janeiro and other states and countries too ... to the sea !!!

5pm Delivery of the balloons of Yemonjá on the high seas.

Fraternization, songs and dances Ojinxé, Afoxé Omo Ifá and Roots of Truth. Integration and Participation of the Nowa Cumig Center of Native Traditions of Rio de Janeiro - Walk Ceremony for the Waters.

The Nowa Cumig Center for Native Traditions joined the people of Yemonja to celebrate the Queen of the Sea on their day, February 2.

Following an ancient tradition of the Anishnabe nation, one of the original peoples of North America, members of the Nowa Cumig Center and its spiritual counselor, Athamis Barbara, left on their way from the headquarters of the Center in Cosme Velho to Pier da Barra, clean waters of river, waterfall, rain, spring. After the night of February 1, spent in vigil and prayer, these waters were offered to the sea in ritual.

The survival of peoples originating in the Americas depends on the continuity of their cultures, which are inseparable from the preservation of the environment. The earth and the waters are the food for the body and also the spiritual connection with all that is sacred.





Brazil is coveted by the great supply of water and minerals that exist under the earth, under its forests. The neglect and unbridled exploitation of Brazil's riches are leading to suffering. And we should not think that this issue does not concern us because we live in the city. The waters that bathe our city are also sick, contaminated by garbage and sewage.

Human beings, fauna and flora are sacred, as are the sources of life. The waters are sacred. We are born from the waters.

We invite all those who watch over our survival to join the Nowa Cumig Center in this idea in defense of our waters.









XIRE DE KETU, JEJE, ANGOLA, **UMBANDA, PALESTRAS E ATRAÇÕES**

TODOS NA LUTA POR RESPEITO! PELA NACIONALIZAÇÃO DO DIA DE YEMONJÁ!



QUINTA I FEV

15H - CAMINHADA PELAS ÁGUAS. SAÍDA A PÉ DO CENTRO NOWA CUMIG EM DIREÇÃO AO PIER 1 DA BARRA.

21H - VIGILIA EM ACAMPAMENTO NO PIER DA BARRA

SEXTA 2 FEV.

8H - CAFÉ DA MANHÃ NO ILE OMO EJÁ, CARREATA PARTINDO DA RUA PORTO CARRERO, 350, PRÓXIMO À ESTAÇÃO DE CORDOVIL.

10H - RODA DE CONVERSA COM O TEMA "CONSERVANDO O LAR DA RAINHA DO MAR" PARTICIPANTES: PROJETO OKU ABO DE EDUCAÇÃO AMBIENTAL, ATHAMIS BÁRBARA (CENTRO NOWA CUMIG), CHRISTIANE AIRES (AMBIENTALISTA), APRESENTAÇÃO DO PROJETO SENHORES DOS MARES, LEITURA DA CARTA DO ANO. SEGUNDO IFA, NA TRADIÇÃO CUBANA.

14H - XIRÊ EM LOUVOR À RAINHA DO MAR (KETU, JEJE, ANGOLA E UMBANDA) OGAN XAMBÁ

16H - ENTREGA DAS ÁGUAS AO MAR

17H - ENTREGA DOS BALAIOS DE YEMONJA EM ALTO MAR.

CONFRATERNIZAÇÃO, CANTOS E DANÇAS OJINXÉ, AFOXÉ OMO IFÁ E RAÍZES DA VERDADE.

INÍCIO: PÍER DO POSTO 1 DA AV. DO PEPE TÉRMINO: PRAIA DOS AMORES, BARRA DA TIJUCA



































Cerimônia de Caminhada pelas Águas

O Centro Nowa Cumig de Tradições Nativas se junta ao povo de Yemonjá para celebrar a Rainha do Mar em seu dia, 2 de fevereiro.

Seguindo uma antiga tradição da nação Anishnabe, um dos povos originários da América do Norte, os membros do Centro Nowa Cumig e sua orientadora espiritual, Athamis Bárbara, sairão em caminhada da sede do Centro, no Cosme Velho, até o Pier da Barra, levando águas limpas de rio, de cachoeira, de chuva, de nascente. Após a noite de 1 de fevereiro, passada em vigília e oração, essas águas serão ofertadas ao mar em ritual.

A sobrevivência dos povos originários das Américas depende da continuidade de suas culturas, que são inseparáveis da preservação do meio-ambiente. A terra e as águas são o alimento para o corpo e também a ligação espiritual com tudo o que é sagrado.

O Brasil é cobiçado pela grande oferta de água e minérios que existem sob a terra, sob as suas florestas. O descaso e a exploração desmedida das riquezas do Brasil está levando ao sofrimento. E não devemos pensar que esta questão não nos diz respeito porque moramos na cidade. As águas que banham a nossa cidade também estão doentes, contaminadas por lixo e esgoto.

Os seres humanos, a fauna e a flora são sagrados, como são sagradas as fontes de vida. As águas são sagradas. Nascemos das águas.

Convidamos todos os que zelam pela nossa sobrevivência a se juntar ao Centro Nowa Cumig na cerimônia em defesa das nossas águas.

ÁGUA É VIDA!





















