

## MBOKA PROGRAMME – AT A GLANCE

### DAY BY DAY PROGRAMME

Date	Activity	Location/Venue	Time
6 Jan	Run4Africa 5 Km run	Manduar Development Hub	09.00
6 Jan	Festival Launch Opening event	Manduar Development Hub	16.00
6 Jan	Ninkinanka Trail	4 days River excursion (Full)	TBC
6 Jan	Mapping our Future: Youth Conference	Alliance Francaise	10.00
7 Jan	Fanal and Masquerade Competition	Senegambia Strip	20.00
9-19 Jan	Numbi Retreat and artist Collaboration Daily activities include Kemetica Yoga & artist programme facilitated by Numbi resident artists	Sandele Eco Lodge	All Day
12 Jan	Ninkinanka Trail	5 or 10 days River Excursion	TBC
12 Jan	Academic Conference	Manduar Development Hub	All Day
12 Jan	International Junior Chef of the Year Competition plus Launch of the Litfest, Bookfair, Good Market: New Dawn with performance readings, music and buffet	Senegambia Hotel	20.00
13 Jan	Hatha Yoga	Djeliba Hotel beachfront	06.45
13 Jan	Pedal Power (5 days)	Senegambia to Basse and back	TBC
13 Jan	Oware (Wuri) Tournament (Day 1); games +workshops	Mymoonia Gardens	11.00
	Bookfair: Book launches; local and international writers	Senegambia Hotel	12.00
13 Jan	Rehearsed reading 'Phillis in London' by Ade Solanke	Ebunjan Theatre	17.00
13 Jan	Linton Kwesi Johnson in performance with Tunde Jegede & Natalia Molebatsi + buffet	Ebunjan Theatre	20.00
14 Jan	Hatha Yoga	Djeliba Hotel beachfront	06.45
14 Jan	Oware (Wuri) Tournament (Day 2); games, workshops + prize giving	Mymoonia Gardens	11.00
14 Jan	Books, Art, "Good Market" Organic and Natural Products Fair Bookfair: Panel Discussion	Senegambia Hotel	12.00
14 Jan	Honouring our literary ancestors: Buchi Emecheta, Dr. Raphina Philott Almeida and Mr Musa Jallow with readings, songs and performances + buffet	Ebunjan Theatre	17.00
15 Jan	Hatha Yoga	Djeliba Hotel Beachfront	06.45
15 Jan	Books, Art, "Good Market" Organic and Natural Products Fair Bookfair: Panel Discussion, book launches from local and international writers	Senegambia Hotel	12.00
15 Jan	African Poetry Library anniversary event: launch of the Yulisa Amadu Maddy Award, (a school creative writing competition) and performances from local and international writers (poetry and fiction)	APL	19.00

Date	Activity	Location/Venue	Time
16 Jan	Hatha Yoga	Djeliba Hotel Beachfront	06.45
16 Jan	Kankurang and Masquerade Festival	Janjanburay	All Day
16 Jan	Books, Art, "Good Market" Organic and Natural Products Fair, Bookfair: Panel Discussion Book launches from local and international writers	Senegambia Hotel	12.00
16 Jan	Readings in mother tongue	TBC	TBC
17 Jan	Hatha Yoga	Djeliba Hotel Beachfront	06.45
17 Jan	Books, Art, "Good Market" Organic and Natural Products Fair Bookfair: Panel Discussion. Book launches from local and international writers	Senegambia Hotel	All Day
17 Jan	LKJ Reggae Lecture followed by interview /Q&A with Alieu Bah	The Gambia College	20.00
18 Jan	Hatha Yoga	Djeliba Hotel	06.45
18 Jan	The Clouds present Poetic Redemption	Alliance Francaise	20.00
18 Jan	Numbi Arts Open Day	Sandele Eco-Lodge	All Day
18 Jan	Books, Art, "Good Market" Organic and Natural Products Fair Bookfair: Panel Discussion	Senegambia Hotel	11.00
18 Jan	Stadium Event	STADIUM	TBC
18-19 Jan	Responsible Tourism Seminar	POSTPONED. SEE PAGE 12	
19-22 Jan	Senegambia Novelty 'Fun Run' Peace Run Barra to Dakar Run <a href="http://www.senegambiapaceerun.org/news">www.senegambiapaceerun.org/news</a>		08.00

### EXTRAS!

**One Day Excursions** - Trips to Juffure; Yaboye Home Cooking; Picnic & Wrestling Match

**Two day Excursions** - Community based tourism; Senegal

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13-18 Jan	Creative Writing Workshops	UTG (University of The Gambia) Senegambia Hotel African Poetry Library YMCA + other venues
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13-15 Jan	Indie Book Show Africa - Filmed by Nadia Maddy	(check p.13 and online for more details and daily updates)
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### The Festival fee is £25.

This will cover entrance to many of the events plus a free Mboka Festival Bag.

Some items have a gate charge.

The Dalasi rate is for Gambian citizens and residents only

\* Event is Free for Festival badge holders. (Festival badge must be presented at the door)

Please check with us for new events and updates.

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