

# Peace Day Philly 2021 Schedule (as of September 7)

Please go to <a href="http://www.peacedayphilly.org/events/">http://www.peacedayphilly.org/events/</a> for updated information and more about PDP's 2021 programs!

#### **Tuesday Sept. 14**

#### 5:30-7pm - Civil Conversations Workshop

Hone your skills for respectful listening and authentic sharing, and practice ways to respond and work through difficult moments in conversation. Offered by Interfaith Philadelphia. *Learn more*: <a href="https://bit.ly/Interfaithprog">https://bit.ly/Interfaithprog</a>. VIRTUAL - Register here: <a href="https://www.tfaforms.com/4926150">https://www.tfaforms.com/4926150</a>.

#### Wednesday, Sept. 15

# 6:00pm - 7:00pm - Short Film "Hello Sunshine - A story of Hope, Healing and Survival"

Tin Can Bar, 2537 E. Somerset Street, Phila. 19134. From giving comfort to families of murder victims to saving the lives of over 600 men and women in active opioid addiction – and training hundreds to do the same – Roz knows that her healing and her survival depends upon healing others. Talkback will take place with Roz and filmmaker Joe Quint after the film. **OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**.

7-8:30pm: Roots and Branches: Exploring the causes, symptoms and implications for sustainable peace. Panelists for this program will represent global think tanks, academics and practitioners, with combined experience in public health, peace and conflict resolution and global peace trends. Michael Collins, ED of the Institute for Economics and Peace, will be among the panelists. Collaboration with Arcadia University. Learn more: <a href="https://bit.ly/RootsofViolenceArcadia">https://bit.ly/RootsofViolenceArcadia</a>. VIRTUAL - Register here: <a href="https://bit.ly/ZoomRegistrationArcadia">https://bit.ly/ZoomRegistrationArcadia</a>.

#### **Thursday Sept. 16**

5:00-6:30pm: Finding Peace and Wellness in a Covid World: Women of color, Immigrants rights, and work safety. In this interactive program, participants will have the opportunity to try mindfulness and to hear information about safety in the workplace, immigrants' rights, and issues related to women of color. A collaboration with iBelong and the Dept. of Behavioral Health. Learn more: <a href="https://bit.ly/wellnessduringcovid">https://bit.ly/wellnessduringcovid</a>.VIR-TUAL - Register here: <a href="https://bit.ly/ZoomWellnessDuringCOVID">https://bit.ly/ZoomWellnessDuringCOVID</a>.

7:00-8:00 pm: Amplifying Peace: Sharing the 3-step process to create a more peaceful and loving society. We all want peace, so how can we make it manifest? This 3-step process melds the teachings of spirituality, psychology, and quantum field theory into an easy-to-learn, easy to practice way to become a genuine peacebuilder. Learn more: <a href="https://bit.ly/PeaceAmplifiers">https://bit.ly/PeaceAmplifiers</a>. VIRTUAL - Register here: <a href="https://bit.ly/Reg-LoveAmplifiers">https://bit.ly/Reg-LoveAmplifiers</a>.

#### Friday, Sept. 17

# Noon to 1:00 PM: Achieving Peace in Your Community: Conflict Resolution Techniques & Services

Join us for a conversation about how to peacefully resolve conflict in your community. What is your conflict management style? Learn about the services provided by CORA Good Shepherd Mediation. *Learn more*: <a href="https://bit.ly/communitypeace">https://bit.ly/communitypeace</a>. VIRTUAL - Register: Email AHarris@coraservices.org.

#### Saturday Sept. 18

**10:00-11:30am:** *Lovingkindness Meditation -* A virtual discussion and meditation on bringing loving-kindness and compassion into our daily lives. Offered by the Chenrezig Tibetan Buddhist Center of Philadelphia. *Learn more*: <a href="https://bit.ly/Meditationlovingkindness">https://bit.ly/Meditationlovingkindness</a>. **VIRTUAL - Register here:** <a href="https://bit.ly/ZoomRegisterMeditation">https://bit.ly/ZoomRegisterMeditation</a>.

# 9:00am - 12noon Morning Park Clean Up

Riverfront North invites people to Frankford Boat Launch (Behind Dietz and Watson Factory- 5501 Tacony St, Philadelphia, PA 19137) to garden, remove invasive plants and to pick up trash. *Learn more*: <a href="https://bit.ly/RiverfrontNorth">https://bit.ly/RiverfrontNorth</a>. Register here: <a href="https://bit.ly/RFNCleanUp">https://bit.ly/RFNCleanUp</a>.

# 12:00pm - 8:00pm: *Mantra-thon*

Mantras are positive words and phrases that, when chanted, bring peace of mind. During this all-virtual Mantra-thon, offered by the Chenrezig Tibetan Buddhist Center of Philadelphia, participants will be chanting traditional Buddhist mantras focused on bringing peace on personal, local and global levels. Drop in anytime 12-8pm. *Learn more*: <a href="https://bit.ly/Mantrathon">https://bit.ly/Mantrathon</a>. **VIRTUAL: Register here:** <a href="https://bit.ly/RegMantrathon">https://bit.ly/RegMantrathon</a>.

# Sunday Sept. 19

2:30–3:45 pm: *Nuclear Disarmament and the Nuclear threat in the Asian Subcontinent*. Speakers: Ambassador Thomas Graham Jr. and Erin Hunt. Ambassador Graham served for three decades at the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, and as President Clinton's special representative for arms control, non-proliferation, and disarmament. Ms. Hunt is a world-class negotiator from ICAN, the international campaign against nuclear weapons. She is also a Canadian advocate for the Land Mines Treaty. *Learn more*: <a href="https://bit.ly/NuclearProgram">https://bit.ly/NuclearProgram</a>. **VIRTUAL - Register here**: <a href="https://bit.ly/Dit.ly/NuclearProgram">https://bit.ly/NuclearProgram</a>.

### Monday, Sept. 20

#### 9am - 5pm: Orientation for Restorative Justice Volunteers

This free one-day orientation is an opportunity for anyone who has basic experience with Restorative Justice to brush up their facilitation skills and join CORA Good Shepherd Mediation's team of volunteers. The program will include a 4-hour Restorative Justice refresher, role-play exercises, and an overview of volunteer opportunities. *Learn more*: <a href="https://bit.ly/RestorativeJusticeTraining">https://bit.ly/RestorativeJusticeTraining</a> **VIRTUAL - Register here**: <a href="https://bit.ly/RegisterRestorativeJustice">https://bit.ly/RegisterRestorativeJustice</a>.

**5:30-7:30pm:** *Peace on the Streets* - How can citizens, interfaith coalitions, art organizations and trauma-informed policing build more peace on Philly's streets? A panel will share their perspectives and take questions from participants. <u>Panelists</u>: Police Chief Inspector Altovise Love-Craighead, Rev Naomi-Washington Leapheart, City's Director of Faith-Based and Interfaith Affairs, and Briana Clarke from Artwell. *Learn more*: <a href="https://bit.ly/PeaceontheStreets">https://bit.ly/PeaceontheStreets</a>. **VIRTUAL - Register here:** <a href="https://bit.ly/RegisterPeaceOn-TheStreets">https://bit.ly/RegisterPeaceOn-TheStreets</a>.

#### **Tuesday Sept. 21 (Peace Day)**

11:30am-12:30pm: *The International Day of Peace in Philadelphia*. Join our annual Peace Day gathering with live music leading up to the global minute at noon. Rev. David Brown, peace activist and professor at Temple University, and Erica Atwood from the city of Philadelphia, will share their perspectives about creating a more peaceful Philadelphia. Rittenhouse Square, 18h and Walnut Streets. *Learn more*: <a href="https://bit.ly/PeaceDayPhilly2021">https://bit.ly/PeaceDayPhilly2021</a>. *FREE and OPEN TO THE PUBLIC*.

**3pm-6pm:** *Concerting Peace* - Location: Concert Garden, 2056 Ellsworth St. Come celebrate Peace Day with BuildaBridge International! BuildaBridge International will provide experiential art-making and live music from 3-6pm at the Concert Garden.

3:00pm: community Art-Making (visual arts and music) 4:00pm Live Movement Workshop with Sanovia Garrett 4:30pm: Ali Richardson: Hip Hop, Jazz, Folk and more

5:00pm: Tali: Haitian Neo-folk

5:30pm: Interminable: Latin Alternative Fusion

Learn more: https://bit.ly/BuildaBridgeMusic. FREE and OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

#### 6:30-9pm: "Love is the answer" Film and Workshop

As minority communities face the daily prospect of racial profiling, and police officers face relentless scrutiny by an anxious public, tensions mount as lines are being drawn in the sand. These tensions can only be eased by finding common ground with each other. L.O.V.E. Is the Answer! We at L.O.V.E. Is The Answer are here to help people and communities heal. Offered by the Peace Center. *Learn more*: <a href="https://bit.ly/Walking-WhileBlackPeaceCenter">https://bit.ly/Walking-WhileBlackPeaceCenter</a>. VIRTUAL - Register here: <a href="https://bit.ly/RegisterWalking-WhileBlack">https://bit.ly/RegisterWalking-WhileBlack</a>.