



## THE BARNET UNITY OF FAITHS FESTIVAL

# **CELEBRATION BARNET UNITY IN THE COMMUNITY**

**Organised by** 

### **BARNET MULTI FAITH FORUM**

In association with

### THE UNITY OF FAITHS FOUNDATION

















#### The Mission

To bring together in partnership key organisations, groups and communities across Barnet to plan and organise a festival of faith and culture which promotes unity strengthens confidence and demonstrates what can be achieved when we work together in harmony, peace and understanding.

#### The Vision

• To demonstrate the positive contribution of faith organisations towards social cohesion and to showcase the rich, cultural diversity of the various communities residing within the Borough of Barnet.

#### The Aim

- To bring together people of all ages and all abilities.
- To promote the many social action projects currently organised by faith organisations in the Borough.
- To demonstrate the positive attributes faith communities play in the building of a healthier society for us all.
- To strengthen community development practices of networking and community engagement.

### The Objective

- 1. To organise a Unity of Faiths Festival Sunday May 14th 2017 at the Burnt Oak Leisure Centre Watling Avenue **Burnt Oak London HA8 0UB**
- The event will have at its heart, music, drama, dance, sport, food, entertainment, exhibitions and discussions all aimed to celebrate promote the excellent community relations in the Borough.
- The event will inform the diverse communities of Barnet about the traditions and beliefs of each group and what is possible to achieve within an environment of trust, confidence and cooperation.



















#### **The Organisation**

- BMFF, in association with TUFF, is facilitating an executive management structure with partner organisations to oversee and organise the event.
- Individual working groups have been established to plan the specific details, including voluntary, faith, public and private organisations, agencies and individuals;-
  - Barnet Council and Commissioning officers;
  - Schools, Colleges, Universities and Youth organisations; of all descriptions;
  - Community; Sporting and Voluntary and charitable organisations;
  - Volunteers;
  - ➤ The Police, Fire Brigade, Ambulance ,NHS and Public Health authorities;
  - Faith Communities and Faith Leaders together with the myriad of cultural and ethnic groups now living in the Borough;
  - The Business sector and private companies.

















Celebration Barnet (Unity in the Community) will promote the positive features of living, working, studying, playing and praying together in Barnet.

This is an ambitious project to build upon previous Borough wide experiences such as the Olympic Torch Run, the Multi-**Cultural Carnival and other local festivals and community** events.



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