



**COMMONWEALTH OF THE BAHAMAS**

**OVERSEAS MISSIONS/EMBASSIES**

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**IN COMMEMORATION**

**OF**

**THE FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY  
OF INDEPENDENCE**

**1973 - 2013**



## **ATLANTA GEORGIA, USA**

- Family & Friends of The Bahamas Fun Day
- Junkanoo
- Live performances - limbo dancing, chorale group etc.
- Bahamian food - switcha, vita malts bush teas, conch dishes, etc.
- Games – plating the may pole, marble, hop scotch, etc.
- Service of Praise & Thanksgiving

## **HAVANA CUBA**

- Bahamian Films i.e. featuring Bahamian actors and directors
- Reception
- Bahamas Bazaar Bahamian food, arts and crafts with live band
- Relations between Bahamas and Cuba (artwork, book Guanahani
- Visual Arts – Exhibition
- Church Service
- Dance / Music & Junkanoo
- Investment forum

## **BEIJING CHINA**

- National Day Reception
- Exhibitoion

## **OTTAWA CANADA**

- Media appearance on CTV & Rogers TV
- Prince Edward Career / Cultural Fair (Bahamian students)
- Dinner by Bahamian chef
- Ecumenical service
- Diplomatic reception
- Boat Cruise
- Book Fair with Bahamian artist
- Choir or musical group from The Bahamas
- Vernissage Bahamian artists
- Bahamas night at the races
- The Bahamas in the movies
- Bahama Gala

## **WASHINGTON. USA**

- National Day Reception (200 – 300 persons), Bahamians, Diplomatic Corp etc. RBDF Pop Band to provide entertainment
- Mounting of Art and Craft work
- Church Service followed by luncheon
- Open House Fun Day / Picnic