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DETROIT





FESTIVAL INFORMATION PACK



AFRO NATION DETROIT 2023

YOUR BEST LIFE STARTS HERE!

This information pack contains everything
you'll need to know ahead of travelling to
Detroit and the festival.

Please make sure you read through thoroughly
to ensure a smooth, safe and enjoyable
festival experience for everyone!

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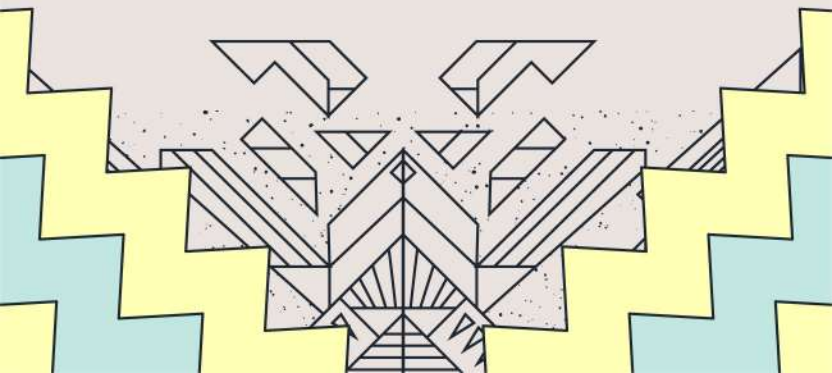
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ON ARRIVAL

In order to enter the main festival site, please arrive on foot to the main gates and proceed to the relevant entrance point for your ticket type.

GENERAL ADMISSION TICKET HOLDERS

For all general admission ticket holders, please head to the main entrance to access the festival. On arrival, you will have your ticket scanned to gain entry to the festival - no wristband will be provided - your ticket is your access.

Weekend general ticket holders are advised to hold on to their tickets as they will be required to re-enter the festival on the second day.

VIP TICKET HOLDERS

As a VIP ticket holder, there will be a separate entrance to enter the main festival site. Please have your ticket ready to be scanned, exchanged for a wristband and receive your exclusive Afro Nation merch.

Your wristband will allow you entry into the Golden Circle and exclusive festival VIP areas including luxury serviced toilets, VIP bars and food vendors.

WRISTBAND RULES

- ▶ Wristbands will be placed on to the wrist of the named ticket holder. ◀
- ▶ Wristbands for those not present at Wristband Exchange cannot be given out. ◀
- ▶ If you lose your wristbands we are unable to replace it. ◀
- ▶ If you have any issues with your wristband or need a invoice/receipt, please see the team at Ticket Resolution ◀

FESTIVAL PAYMENTS

Card payments are accepted at all food and bar concessions during the festival, with a smaller number of concessions also having the capability to receive cash payments.



[SATURDAY]

19TH AUG

MAIN STAGE

BURNA BOY
ARI LENNOX
KIZZ DANIEL
LATTO
DADJU
SKILLIBENG
DIAMOND PLATNUMZ
VICTONY
NISSI

PIANO PEOPLE STAGE

DJ MAPHORISA
MUSA KEYS
KAMO MPHELA
DJ MOMA
TYLA
2WOBUNNIES

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[**SUNDAY**]

20TH AUG

MAIN STAGE

DAVIDO
P-SQUARE
COI LERAY
NAIRA MARLEY
MASEGO
TAYC
STONEBWOY
LIBIANCA
EBONY RILEY

PIANO PEOPLE STAGE

MAJOR LEAGUE DJZ
DBN GOGO
FOCALISTIC
MR JAZZIQ
SHA SHA
TXC

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FESTIVAL **ENTRY TIMES**



MAIN FESTIVAL SITE

2PM-7PM
EACH DAY



PIANO PEOPLE STAGE

2PM-7PM
EACH DAY

FESTIVAL SITE MAP



 FIRST AID

 BAR

 MERCH

 FOOD

 TOILETS

 VENDORS

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LOCAL AREAS MAP



BUS STOPS



UBER/LIFTS



RAIL STATIONS

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VIP

GOLDEN CIRCLE ACCESS

(be within arms reach of the artist)

**ACCESS TO EXCLUSIVE
FESTIVAL VIP AREAS**

**PRIORITY FESTIVAL
ENTRY & WRISTBAND
ACCREDITATION**

**AN ITEM OF EXCLUSIVE
AFRO NATION MERCH**

**LUXURY SERVICED
TOILETS VIP BARS WITH
FASTER SERVICE**

**TWO-DAY ACCESS TO
THE MAIN FESTIVAL SITE**


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18TH AUGUST | 4^{PM} - 10^{PM}

MONROE STREET MIDWAY

JERK X JOLLOF
OFFICIAL AFRO NATION

WELCOME PARTY

WALSHY FIRE
BLAKITO
SKY JETTA

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HOMECOMING

CONVERSATIONS

PANEL 1

INNOVATION IN MUSIC

USING YOUR ENVIRONMENT TO CREATE NEW BLUEPRINTS

PANEL 2

THERE'S NO I IN TEAM

HOW YOUR TEAM SHAPES YOUR SUCCESS

18TH AUGUST 12-4PM
16TH FLOOR, ONE CAMPUS MARTIUS, DETROIT, MI 48226


BEDROCK



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18TH AUGUST | 7 - 11^{PM}

**16TH FLOOR, ONE CAMPUS MARTIUS
DETROIT, MI 48226**



STAND-UP COMEDY

**KENNY BLAQ
COMEDIAN CP
JOSH ADAMS
COMIC J.WILL
MIC LARRY**

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LEOPARD LOUNGE

For our enjoyment-ministers and soft life connoisseurs, experience the world's biggest Afrobeats festival through our most premium offering available, the Leopard Lounge.

A raised platform overlooking the festival and main stage with private tables and bottle service.

Leopard Lounge packages can accommodate 4-8 guests, festival entry is included with your booking.

SINGLE DAY AND WEEKEND PACKAGES AVAILABLE AT:

DETROIT.AFRONATION.COM/LEOPARD-LOUNGE



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LEOPARD LOUNGE

If you have purchased a Package on the Leopard Lounge, you can access the Leopard Lounge from inside the festival.

The lead Booker will receive VIP tickets on behalf of all their guests that they can then distribute individually.

Guests can then enter the festival using the priority VIP entry lane

Once inside the festival head directly to the Leopard Lounge between 2pm-7pm where you will be greeted and issued your Leopard Lounge wristband and shown to your table.

Leopard Lounge wristbands will only be given to the lead Booker of the package.

For larger groups and bespoke bookings please contact leopardlounge@afro-nation.com

GETTING AROUND

PARKING

The festival has no allocated parking, but there is plenty of public parking around the site. We suggest heading towards Ford Field parking facilities.

DROP OFF POINTS & TAXIS



Drop off point is at the Brush and Winder Street.
It is then a 5min walk to the festival entrance.

2490 Brush St, Detroit, MI 48201, USA

PUBLIC TRANSPORT

Don't want to drive? Check out the following public transport options to get to Afro Nation Detroit:

QLINE DETROIT

Runs M-Sat (8am-12am)
Sun (8am-9pm)

Cost: FREE

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DETROIT PEOPLE MOVER

Runs Mon-Thr (7am-7pm) Fri
(7am-12am) Sat (10am-12am) Sun
(10am-8pm) connecting to hotels,
parking, bars & restaurants.

Cost: \$0.75
(Cash or quarters only).

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DDOT CITY BUSES

Multiple buses reach all the popular
neighborhoods & hotels

Cost: F\$2 (4-hr pass)

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MOGO DETROIT

Bikeshare with docking stations all
over the city.

[Several pass options
available](#)

SEE MAP

SMART FAST BUS

These regional buses connect the
city to the suburbs making limited
stops. FAST Michigan connects to
DTW airport

Cost: \$2 (4-hr pass)

SEE MAP

For additional transit information
and guides on where transit goes
from hotels to breweries, head to
[Transit Guide: Detroit.](#)

Use [TransitApp](#) to plan transit trips
& unlock MoGo Bikes.

Use [TokenTransit App](#) to pay
for bus fares.

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AFRO NATION CARES

FAMILIES

We are pleased to be inviting families with children and young teenagers to Afro Nation Detroit,

Featured within GA, Afro Nation has built a Family Zone - complete with seating, musical petting zoo, children friendly programming, Mother's tent and refreshments.

However, if bringing younger children, here are a few other bits to consider bringing along:

- ▶ Everything you will need for babies - nappies, bottles etc. ◀
- ▶ Ear defenders for all small children and babies. ◀
- ▶ A potty for urgent toilet breaks. ◀
- ▶ Extra clothes - its a long day, and things can get wet! ◀

FAMILIES

It goes without saying that small children should always be supervised at festivals, please bear in mind the following:

▶ Adults should be mindful of how intoxicated they get whilst looking after children! ◀

▶ Young children should always be looked after by an adult that they know and are comfortable with. ◀

▶ Children looking after children is not advisable. They should be chaperoned by a responsible adult. ◀

▶ Consider how many children one adult can safely look after at a time - keeping tabs on four young children in a crowded tent by yourself is tricky! ◀

▶ Always keep any young children that are with you in your line of sight. For toddlers, reins are a good idea. ◀

FAMILIES

Getting Separated

Losing your child in a big crowd is every parent's festival nightmare but there are some things you can do to reduce the risk, and our team are always on hand to help:

▶ Ensure your phone number is written on the child's wristband. These will be issued at the Festival Entrance. ◀

▶ Dress your child in bright clothing so you can easily spot them in a crowd. ◀

▶ Talk to your child about what they should do if they get separated from you. If they are old enough, show them on the first day what security look like so that they know who to approach for help. ◀

▶ If you are in a crowded place, set a meeting spot in case you are separated. ◀

If your child does go missing, please contact your nearest member of event security and the team will be able to help.

LOST & FOUND

If you have lost something at the festival, please head to the Customer Service cabin (located at the main festival entrance) where the team will be waiting to help.

If you find anything, please hand it over to a member of security.

Customer Service will also be able to assist with general information surrounding the festival.

CUSTOMER SERVICE OPENING TIMES

Saturday 18th August - 13:00 - 23:30

Sunday 19th August - 13:00 - 22:30

Should you want to get in touch with a team member directly about your lost property,

please contact:

Lostandfound@afonationdetroit.com

ACCESSIBILITY

If you feel you could benefit from the facilities we provide; such as our disabled viewing platforms, accessible toilets and assisted access please reach out to us with your requirements and a member of our team will advise you further.

PLEASE CONTACT US HERE

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ENTRY CONDITIONS

The following items are ***ALLOWED*** at Afro Nation Detroit, but subject to search upon entrance:

- Small bags, single-compartment backpacks, plush backpacks, purses (maximum 12" x 12")
- Earplugs
- Fanny Packs
- Gum (Must be sealed upon entry)
- E-cigs/vapes (no E-liquid or E-juice of any kind will be allowed)
- Baby strollers
- Binoculars
- Blankets, sheets, towels
- Cameras (no detachable lenses) - must be without equipment attachments such as camera stands, selfie sticks, tripods, and monopods
- Empty CamelBak-type hydration packs and water bottles, and plastic or aluminum water bottles
- Rain ponchos / umbrella (hand-held ONLY and no bigger than 42 inches when open)
- Flags/banners or handmade signs (no corporate / company-branded materials, no hard flagpoles)
- Hula hoops
- Personal misting fan with bottle no larger than 1.5L (must be empty upon entering the event)
- Sunscreen lotion

ENTRY CONDITIONS

The following items are ***PROHIBITED*** at Afro Nation Detroit:

- Aerosol containers, including sunscreen and personal beauty products
- Any and all professional audio recording equipment
- Shoulder-mounted video cameras
- Cameras with detachable lenses, camera stands, monopods, tripods, attachment sticks (selfie sticks) or other commercial equipment
- Drones or any other remote flying device
- Laser pointers
- Coolers of any kind (Exceptions may be made for medical use)
- Framed backpacks
- Glass and metal containers of any kind, except for aluminum water bottles
- Illegal and illicit substances of any kind
- Outside food or beverage
- (including alcohol)
- Large purses, bags or backpacks (over 12" x 12")
- Skateboards, scooters, bicycles, wagons, carts or any personal motorized vehicles (with the exception of disability-related items)
- Professional radios or walkie-talkies
- Unauthorized/unlicensed vendors are not allowed
- No solicitation and/or promotional materials including handbills, flyers, stickers, beach balls, give-aways, samples, etc
- Weapons or explosives of any kind
- Fireworks
- Bicycles inside festival grounds (free bike valet is available east of the festival entrance)
- Carts or wagons of any kind

ENTRY CONDITIONS

Acceptable forms of ID

Any US government-issued driver's license or ID card containing a photograph and date of birth

US or foreign government-issued passport containing a photograph and date of birth

Foreign government-issued driver's license/ID with color photocopy of passport

Temporary DMV documents proving you are currently renewing a license—ONLY if accompanied by passport or expired license

Any other items which may reasonably be considered for use in an illegal or offensive manner, or which may cause danger or disruption to any person at the event.

If the above items are found either of the following may take place:

- Confiscation
- Refusal of Entry
- Asked to leave or evicted
- Reported to the police

SUSTAINABILITY

RECYCLING AND BINS

There will be multiple bins across the site for general waste and recycling, please use these appropriately.

REUSABLE CUPS

As part of our efforts to become more sustainable, this year's festival will use compostable cups.

WATER POINTS

We have installed 3 locations across the festival to ensure you have access to save drinkable water.

SAFETY & WELFARE

ON-SITE MEDICAL & WELFARE

There will be two medical and welfare stations located at the main festival site, alert any member of festival staff if you're feeling unwell.

DRUGS WARNING

As a festival we have a no tolerance to drugs policy, anyone found to be in the possession of illegal drugs will have their festival wristband removed and handed over to the police.

HOUSE RULES

No physical, verbal or sexual abuse is tolerated at any Afro Nation festival. Treat all performers, artists and fellow attendees with kindness and respect. If you witness or experience anything that makes you feel uncomfortable, please report the incident to staff.

PASSPORT

Look after your passport. Take a photocopy of your passport with you, leave one at your hotel & carry one with you.

PERSONAL BELONGINGS

We recommend you don't bring anything too valuable with you, and keep personal belongings locked away at all times just to be safe. Some of the hotels will have safes in the rooms to store valuables.

SAFETY

Detroit is a safe and friendly City but please take care of yourself & your friends as you would back home.

EMERGENCY

In an emergency within the festival site, please alert a member of staff.

For emergency services in Detroit call 911.

ENVIRONMENT

Please respect the local community, put your litter in the bin and keep noise to a minimum.

FOOTWEAR

The main festival site is located on grass, please make sure you're wearing appropriate and comfortable footwear.

AFRO NATION LOVES

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