## EUROPE FALL LONDON NOTTING HILL CARNIVAL FESTIVAL



## • Dates of Organizations:



♣ Notting Hill Carnival is a festival held every August and usually lasts for two days. The first day has performances for children and the second day is the main holiday.



➡ Vibrant and bustling by the multicultural colors typical for many regions of the world, the Notting Hill Carnival in London, England has long been known as the most vibrant street festival in Europe, attracts millions of attendees.

## • Festival Details:



This festival dates back to the early 19th century, when slavery and the slave trade were officially abolished. In 1964, the Notting Hill Carnival was officially held, with bands marching through the streets and attracting the participation of African-Caribbean communities. They are Africans who were formerly enslaved to the Americas. Later, some descendants of those slaves migrated to Europe to live, becoming a community of African descent here. This festival becomes an occasion for them to remember the traditional values and culture of their homeland.



People flocked to the streets to cheer for the colorful parade, passing through the sunny streets to the dance of steel drums and sound systems.



Children and their families painted faces on both sides of the road and even police officers joined in the passionate dance. The fun also features swingers, giant dolls and painted dancers, all mingling with vibrant music.





Children and young people stand on cars decorated with flags, flowers, feathers and glittering stones along the streets. In addition, the festival features groups of people dressed in

flamingo-style feather costumes, people covered in paint, along with a live band, a series of food stalls, fresh coconuts and even music stages to entertain. satisfy all senses of festival participants.



♣ The festival is an occasion for African-Caribbean communities living in the UK to celebrate their own cultures and identities.