

10th Annual Pan African Festival - Panafest

Diversity... one of many qualities that Montgomery County takes pride in. Throughout the year, various multicultural events are held where all are welcome to celebrate and learn about our county's diverse community. This fall, one of these signature events is the Pan African Festival (PANAFEST-USA). Held during the month of September, (recognized as African Heritage Month) PANAFEST-USA is an annual cultural festival in Silver Spring that celebrates African heritage. The event showcases African roots through music, art, dance, fashion, food, storytelling and more. This is a family friendly event that is educational and entertaining.

For years, families have gathered to enjoy live performances from over 25 African and Caribbean countries; hearing languages from Amharic to Swahili and everything in between. PANAFEST- USA has attracted over 10,000 people to the streets of Downtown Silver Spring. Now, marking its 10th anniversary, join the traditional rulers, kings, queens and paramount chiefs from various African communities, as well as the local and state government officials at PANAFEST 2019 on September 21st.

For more information, visit - <https://panafestusa.org/>