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communities,
Cambodia, and
the whole
world!*



Angkor when it was re-discovered in the 1860s.

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The CMAA envisions a unified, self-sufficient, economically strong, educated and empowered Cambodian-American community, which cherishes Southeast Asian culture and values while embracing American mainstream cultures. The CMAA also envisions itself as a resource center for Cambodian-Americans and other ethnic minorities throughout the United States for generations to come.

Mission Statement:

The CMAA is dedicated to improving the quality of life of the Cambodian-American community of Greater Lowell and other ethnic minorities through educational, cultural, social, community and economic developmental efforts.



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A Message from the Executive Director

Dear Fellow Cambodians and Friends,

I would like to take this special occasion to extend my warm invitation and greetings to all of our community members, supporters, friends and public officials during the Cambodian New Year festivities in the month of April 2000. The Cambodian-American community in Lowell, Massachusetts as well as many others alike throughout the country, are celebrating this ancient traditional event called *Chol Chnam Tmey* in the Cambodian language or New Year Celebration.

Traditionally, Cambodians celebrate holidays all year round, but they have one favorite holiday. Cambodian people have an acute sense of the dramatic, and their celebrations abound with costumes, lights, floats and parades. Singing, music and dancing are very popular and enjoyed by people of all ages.



Photo by Rady Mom

The most popular festival that the majority of Cambodians take part in is the New Year. The New Year Celebration customarily lasts for three days, from the 13th to the 15th of April. The actual date and time are determined by an astrologer who calculates the exact moment when the new *Thevada* or angel along with his or her animal protector, such as the hare, tiger, dragon, just to name a few, arrive to replace the out-going one. The *Thevadas* have the responsibility of looking after the well being of mankind. While getting ready to welcome the new deity, most people spend their time cleaning and decorating their homes so as to ward off evil spirits and disaster. Cambodians in the United States continue to honor this tradition and celebrate this special festivity as much as they can by choosing the day and time, and also by conducting activities close to what is done in our native homeland, Cambodia.

On Saturday, April 8, 2000, from 2:00 PM to 11:00 PM, the Cambodian Mutual Assistance Association (CMAA) and its community partners will host this wonderful celebration known as the Khmer New Year Festival to be held inside the newly established Tsongas Arena. The day will be filled with many aspects of Khmer cultural activities including traditional dances; music; a fashion show highlighting Khmer costumes from past to present styles; Khmer opera known as *Lakhon Bassaack*; *Aa-yai*—Khmer improvised singing between male and female; a comedy show; recreational games; concert performances; and social dances with the local *Sava* Band. The Angkor and Friendship Dance Troupes, Cambodian celebrities from Cambodia, our local youth groups and young models will take part in these planned activities and performances. The New Year Steering Committee has been working very hard to make this special event fun and for it to appeal to all age groups.

Therefore, on behalf of the Board of Directors, staff members, volunteers, and the whole Cambodian-American community of Greater Lowell, we would like to, once again, extend our warm invitation to our friends, colleagues, family members, and public officials, and others who are interested in learning our culture, to join us today as we celebrate our joyous New Year Festival with the theme “*a celebration of unbroken Khmer Heritage...in a new millennium.*” Welcome!

Sincerely,

Samkhann C. Khoeun

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The President's Note

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សក្រសង្គកើ <<ភាសាខ័េរ-៦>>

EDITOR'S WORDS

This year, a golden dragon was welcomed to take the Rabbit's throne. This Dragon no longer blows flames of fire, instead the flame is transformed into a joyful tone of music that fits into every body's favorites. However, although the smart and sweet Rabbit has gone, the happiness he made for us last year is still in our hearts.

The good memories of working together has strengthened our Lowell community. All the bad things have started to disappear from our eyes and from our heart as well. The terms " Cambodian kids, Spanish kids, Vietnamese kids, or even White/Black kids" are less used. Instead, the word "*Our Kids*" is taking place now.

Moreover, I would like to take this opportunity to give my tremendous thanks to all those people who have supported this Khmer Lowell Magazine. Your support, either through advertisements, donations, or articles, is greatly appreciated and beneficial to the CMAA and the community as a whole.

The Khmer Lowell Magazine needs your help and CMAA also needs your caring. So...

PLEASE, KEEP THIS GREAT WORK AND THOUGHTS ALIVE.

Margaret Tham
Editor in Chief

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Chaul Chhnam Thmei (New Year)

When is the Cambodian New Year's Day?

When is the Chinese New Year's Day?
It is on April 13th occasionally April 14th (Leap Year) of each year.

Why isn't it on January 1st?

Just as climates, waters, rivers, seas, oceans and the like differ from time to time, and from place to place, in like manner New Year's day differs from country to country. From post-Angkor period, 1432-1863 A.D., to the present day, Cambodians have used both types of calendars, lunar and solar. According to the solar calendar, their New Year's day starts in the month of Chet.

Mid-April is the dry season when farmers do not work in the field, thus it is a good time for the New Year's celebration. The actual time and date are determined by astrologers who calculate the exact moment when the new animal protector arrives. Many people spend a whole month preparing for the celebration. During the first three days of the new year all the people (from the king to farmers) are free from work and go to offer foods to monks in pagodas, play games, dance and sing. At the time of the changing of the animal protector, Cambodians pray for prosperity, good health and to show gratitude to parents, to change the old ways of life and make resolutions, to pay debts, and to exchange gifts, it is time to begin again...a fresh start.

CAMBODIAN NEW YEAR ACTIVITIES

Before the day of the New Year Celebration
A great deal of preparation takes place:

- Homes are cleaned.
- Homes are decorated.
- Lamps and lanterns are prepared for the night decoration.
- Because shops and stores are closed, food and necessary items must be purchased and prepared in advance.
- Fabric is purchased and new clothes are sewn for every member of the household (family and servants).
- Presents (clothes) are bought or made for parents.
- Food is stocked for animals.

New Year's Eve

- Homes are cleaned and well decorated with (serpentine) paper streamers, flowers, a new door and window curtains.
- Newly decorated, multicolored lanterns are hung.
- A table is set in front of the house filled with candles, incense sticks, flowers, fruits, and bay sey, which is a section of the banana tree trunk with legs to which 3, 5, or 7 layers of banana leaves are rolled up in finger shapes and are attached, as a farewell to the former Devada (Angel, celestial being) and welcome to the new Devada.

First day- April 13 "Maha Sangkrant Day"

- Everyone dresses in their new clothes.
- Families visit the pagoda:
- Bring food and offerings.
- Build the sand dune (or rice dune), which is a small hill.
- Adults listen to the monks pray and preach.
- Youngsters play popular traditional games and dance:
 - Ram Vong - Dance in a circle
 - Chhoung - Tossing the scarf game (see page 10)
 - Angkunh - (See page 12)
 - Teanh Proat - Tug-of-war game
- Gifts are taken to parents.
- At night the candles, lamps and lanterns are lit.
- Everyone dances and plays until morning.

Second day – "Vana Bat Day"

- Children give presents (food, clothes, money) to parents.
- Gifts are given to servants and the poor.
- In the evening people go to the pagoda to build a sand dune (or rice dune).
 - The monks are invited to the tomb or to the stupa* to "Bangkulok" (to pray) for dead relatives and ancestors.
 - Popular games are played as on the first day.

Third day- "Loeung Sack Day"

- In the morning the inauguration of the sand dune by the monks takes place.
- Children bathe their parents



"Cambodia where French naturalist Henri Mouhot visited in 1860"

Taken from Angkor Magazine April-June 1997, p. 19

- In the afternoon, at the pagoda in the temple, the Buddhists traditionally wash the Buddha statues. Buddhists believe that this cleansing of the Buddha statues will bring rain for the coming crops.
- Water Ceremony (pouring or throwing water at each other) to bestow good wishes and blessings on each other (friends, neighbors, family).
- Ugly coloring (playfully covering each other's faces with charcoal and or mud). This is the most fun and most unforgettable part as the close of the New Year celebration.

* Stupa: Conical or bell-shaped structure containing the relics of deceased persons

Source: Long Beach Unified School District, Compiled by Khanh Van Tram Pham

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New Year Festival Program

និងបុណ្យចូលឆ្នាំថ្មី

2:00pm: Traditional Games

~ Lak Konsaenh, Chaul Chhoung

3:00pm: Opening Ceremony

- ~ Chhayam, led by Mr. Samuth Koam
- ~ Welcoming Remarks
- ~ Buddhist Blessing for the New Year
- ~ Blessing Dance: Angkor Dance Troupe
- ~ Umbrella Dance: Friendship Dance Troupe
- ~ Dignitaries' Remarks
- ~ Bopha Lokei: Friendship Dance Troupe
- ~ Kaen Dance: Friendship Dance Troupe

4:00pm: Variety Show

- ~ Lakhon Basaak (Khmer Opera)
- ~ Ah-yaie, led by Mr. Prom Manh
- ~ Poetry Recital
- ~ Khmer Comedy Routine
- ~ Coconut Dance: Friendship Dance Troupe

5:00pm: Angkor Dance Troupe

- ~ Tep Monorom Dance
- ~ Swva Pol-The Monkey Dance
- ~ Hanuman & Sovann Machha
- ~ Butterfly Dance
- ~ Picking Krovanh
- ~ Tivea Propei
- ~ Peacock of Pursat
- ~ Fishing Dance

6:00pm: Fashion Show

- ~ Angkor Period
- ~ Longvek Period
- ~ Temple Scene
- ~ Seven Day Colors
- ~ Wedding
- ~ Farmer/Daily Life
- ~ Modern

7:00pm: Music Concert

- ~ Opening Act: Modern youth performers
Unlimited, Desiyah, & Seasia
- ~ Khmer celebrity singers

**7:30pm: Dance Party begins with Khmer celebrity
singers and Sava Band**

Sek Serey Rath, Preap Sovath, Sopheap Davit,
San Phanith

11:00pm: Closing of the day

២:០០ វស្សែល : តែប្រឹងប្រឹជីយចាប់ផ្តើម:

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៣:០០ វស្សែល : ចាប់ពីបុណ្យ

- ★ របៀនឈុយ (ដឹកនាំដោយ លោកសាមុទ គំ)
- ★ សុនរកច័ត្រសាតមនី
- ★ ពិធីប្រាជៈព្រៃនី
- ★ របីដែនពេ (ដោយក្រុមរបាំអង្គី)
- ★ របីតំងឈុយ (ដោយក្រុមរបាំមិត្តភាព)
- ★ សុនរកច័ត្រកិត្តិយស
- ★ របីបុរាណកីយ (ដោយក្រុមរបាំមិត្តភាព)
- ★ របីចំតន (ដោយក្រុមរបាំមិត្តភាព)

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៦:០០ ល្ងាច : ពិធីសំដែងក្រុមក្រុមសំលោកបំពាក់:

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៧:០០ ល្ងាច : ពិធីប្រគល់ត្រី

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៩:៣០ ល្ងាច : ចាប់ពីបុណ្យ

POPULAR GAMES

Numerous popular games are played throughout the whole country. The following are some of the games that have been played for one thousand years:

1. CHHOUNG is played with a scarf rolled up to make a ball. The scarf ball is tossed back and forth between two teams, girls' team and boys' team. The objective is to keep tossing the scarf ball as long as no one misses. When a team member misses the ball, the whole losing team has to sing a song or give the winner a piggyback ride.

2. **LEAK KANSENG** (scarf-hiding) is another outdoor game played by children, or sometimes by the adults as well. Before starting the game, the players are seated in a circle, the scarf is rolled up and a knot is tied at one end, and a player is chosen to be the runner.

To start the game, the runner will run around the circle of the players and drop the scarf behind any one of them at his choice. The runner may go on running around the circle until he has a chance to drop the scarf. During this time:

- a. All the players sing a song over and over during the game.
 - b. The player behind whom the scarf is dropped will pick up the scarf and nudge the player to his right hand side and then give chase to the runner. If the player catches the runner, the player has the right to tap the runner on the back. However, the runner is safe if the player cannot catch the runner before he sits in the space vacated by the player chasing the runner. In this case, the player who was chasing the runner becomes the new runner and the game continues.
 - c. If the player in front of the scarf does not know it is there, the runner will come around and pat that player and hide the scarf again.

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សំប្បុរាណចាន់យុទ្ធសាស្ត្រ

លេស្សងទេស់មានប្រជាបីយភាពណាស់ ពិសេសភាគគ្រឿនៗ
សិតកុងរួយយុវរដនដើលជាសម្រស់សម្បជាតិស្មូចឆ្លាកំពុងវិករាយនៅ
ដោយសំឡុកបំពាក់ចម្លៃ៖ត្រប់ពណ៌ ដើលគេញានស្ទឹងអំពីសេស
សំរាប់មកចូលនូមបង្ហាញបង្ហាញត្រូវ។ តាក្រសំដើម្បីថ្វីនាមាសបងប្រទ
ប្រកបដោយ លក្ខណៈទំយើមានតាក្រសំរួលិនធមាសបងប្រសសន ឬលើ
ដែលជាគន្លឹះទាក់ទានចិត្តនរោងប្រើនិងប្រុសច្បាសិតកុងភាពដែលមកត្រូវបាន
បើន្លែគេកំណើនប្រើសិល្បីនិងបេលខាយចំនោចំនោះ កំបងកំបែង នូវច្បាស់
សហរូបរីករាយចាំអនុកសំដើម្បីនិងអនុកយេទស្សនាដែរ។ ចំណាកសម្អារ់
សំរាប់លេសមិនអាការលើបាកទេ ពីគ្រោគនៃពេកក្រុម បុក្រុមាតម្បូរ និង
ច្បាស់ប្រុសចិត្តនរោងបានទុកចុងបន្ទិចស្មូចកន្លឹមសំរាប់ការបោះ
ទៅមិករគ្រាយ។

របៀបលេង : ជាដំបូងគេប្រមុន្ត្រាច្បានយោងតិច១០នាក់
ដោយចែកជាពីរភូកស្ទើត្រាយ មួយភូកជានវី ឬអូមួយភូកទី២នាបុរស
ឬយោងពីរផ្លូវខ្លួនមួយខ្លួនដោយយុទ្ធប្រមាណាក់១០ថ្ងៃត្រាមិនលេងឡើង
ស្ថិតិច្បៀបចំស្រួលប្រុលហើយភូកខាងបុរសចាប់ឲ្យង់បានយោងទៅត្រូវខាង
នាវី ខាងនាវីប្រើងចាប់កំពុងត្រូវកំសែនដី ប្រសិនបើភ្លាស់កំសែនដី គោចាត់ទុកចាប់ឲ្យង់
បន្ទាន់ទៅត្រូវខាងនាវីត្រូវនឹងលេងបានយោងបុរសវិញ ពួកខាងបុរស
ត្រូវប្រើងចាប់កំពុងត្រូវកំសែនដីដែរ។ ការចាប់ឲ្យង់បានយោងនៅ
លើដំឡើងការការណ៍ឲ្យង់។ ក្រុមចាប់ឲ្យង់បានចិនឆ្លាក់កំសែនទៅខាងលាង
ក៏ដោយ គេមានសិទ្ធិបានសំដែនទៅនរណាម្ភាក់ ដែល គេពេញចិត្ត។ កាលបរិ
តប់ត្រូវនរណាម្ភាក់ ហើយអ្នកនោះត្រូវប្រើង រាំយកឲ្យង់ទៅដែនខាង
អ្នកដែលបានគប់ត្រូវនិង ពួកខាងអ្នកទូលាយក៏ចាប់ឲ្យង់បានយោង
ម្នាក់ដែលបានគប់ត្រូវនិង គឺត្រូវរាជក្រឹតនរណាម្ភាក់ក្នុងក្រុមច្បាប់ដែនដែរ
ពេលនាលាសក្រុមច្បាប់បិទិន ម៉ែននាលាសំលែងឲ្យលាការព្រៃងបានគ្រប់ត្រានីយោ

ប្រការសំខាន់របស់លោមនេះគឺការថ្លែងឱ្យ សាច់ត្រួតពេងមានលក្ខណៈដែលបានបង្កើតឡើងនៅក្នុងភាសាអង់គ្លេសទាំងនេះ ហើយ ចំណោះចំនួនក្នុងព្រៃន គេត្រូវបានលើកឡើងត្រូវបានបញ្ជាការណា ដូរតាក់សៀវភៅនិងលក្ខណៈប្រចាំថ្ងៃ បុរាណីត្រាចុះឡើងត្រូវបានចូលចិត្តដោយសារ កំពុងដែលបានបង្កើតឡើងនៅក្នុងភាសាអង់គ្លេស ហើយ ត្រូវបានបញ្ជាការណា ដូរតាក់សៀវភៅនិងលក្ខណៈប្រចាំថ្ងៃ បុរាណីត្រាចុះឡើងត្រូវបានចូលចិត្តដោយសារ ដែលបានបង្កើតឡើងនៅក្នុងភាសាអង់គ្លេស។

ទំនកជាមុនបារណ្ឌ មានដឹងខាងក្រោមនេះ:

បច្ចុម្យយោង : តើលោកស្រីបានរៀបចំការណែនាំនិងបោះឆ្នោតក្នុងក្រុមដ៏គ្មាន។

- * ស្រី - អ្ននធាងៗយុងទៅ
ត្រួវអើយលួងដែកជាប្រាំ
ខេះចេញត្រូវលក្ខណ៍
ត្រួវអើយចាំថាប់យុងស្រី។
 - * បន្ទរ - ព្រៃងទាំងអស់ត្រានូវទំនុកដែលចំណោះក្រមស្រី។
 - * ប្រុស - បង់ធាងៗយុងទៅ
ត្រួវអើយលួងដែកជាប្រាំ
ស្រីណាយនាមនឹង
ត្រួវអើយទូទាត់លួងបង់។
 - * បន្ទរ - ព្រៃងទាំងអស់ត្រានូវទំនុកដែលចំណោះក្រមបរុស។



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<<ខេត្តមួយដឹកនាំ>> ប្រធានាធិបតេ

Fashion Show Models

Angkor Period

Savuth (Kevin) Phan Navy Lor
Kimsan Mao Annie San
Phea Kim Noeun Moung

***Clothes by Somaly Hay**

Longvek Period

Sophal Ou Kon (Stephanie) Poe
Ti Bun Thon Amara Chey
Champe Pang Sopharn Ran

*Clothes by Somaly Hay

Temple

Doeun Dom	Dara Sin
Sophath Pheng	Aenoï
Andrew Saun	Serena Rem
Sopheak Pheng	Pholla Huynh
Heing Chhay	Kangna Phat
Sokhoeun	Soscia Long

*Clothes from Amara Fashions & Chath pierSath

Seven Day Colors

Seven Bay Colors	
Savath Youk	Monica Rem
Channy Toun	Rosin So
Dyanna Hak	Makara Van
Kim Heng	Savoeun Youk
Rasmey Toun	Sopha Huynh
Sary Roeuth	Serey Som
Sokny Kom	Kon (Stephanie) Poey

*Clothes from Amara Fashions and Ms. Sokcheat Chen

Wedding

Wedding
Sophal Ou Sareth Veuk Lisa Thong
Phea Kim Sok Chea Sophath Meas
Savuth(Kevin)Phan Bopha Neang Chandana Phat
Ti Bun Sothea Phat
Veasna Ngeth Mollica Chap

*Clothes from Kim Kaleyan Bridal Services & Gowns

Every Day/Farmer

Every Day Farmer	
Sopheak Phang	Chenda Moul
Sophath Phang	Thon Amara Chey
Jean-Timmi Lach	Lira Rem
Bara Loeurn	Raksmey Toun
Champe Pang	Rosin So
Doeun Dom	Dara Sim
Hing Chou	

*Baptist Migrants in America

*Donated/Lent from various sources

របាំតិដី :

ប្រជាពល្តិទេនក់ខ្លួនស្ថើមីរាប ឧត្តមានអ៊ូយ និងបន្ទាយមានអ៊ូយ តែងសំដែងរបាំព្រឹកដឹកដលចូលឆ្នាំ និងដលមានសត្វព្រៃត់ ចូលរួមឱ្យ
ពាក្យត្រិធម៌ពាក្យសំស្តីតែ ប្រចាំ ដីណើរការ ឬ ការភ្នែម ពាក្យនេះបានក្នុងប្រាស់ពាក្យត្រិធម៌ ពិនិត្យ ភាពយក្សា ត្រសិរស្រាង
គឺពិនិត្យសំស្តី និង ស្រាងនៃលក្ខ្យាត្រិធម៌ ដើម្បីរកឃាតក្នុងដលចំណួយ។ ស្រាង កីដាក្យសំស្តីតែងបាននូយចាំ ដីណើរការទាំងទាំង និងប្រាស់រាលិនី
នេះ សំដើរយកលេងកិច្ចាំ: «ដីណើរការចំណាំ សាល់ចំលាប់ជើង»។

ភាគវំភំសាលា : ភូមិភាគបច្ចនផ្សំពី

ប្រជាពល្តិសម្រាប់របរិយាកាស
ការវាំកំសាន្ត សេវ្យគ្រប់ទីកន្លែង ទាំង
ទូទៅក្នុង និងជនបទ គឺតាំងពីផ្ទកមាន
ថានេះខ្លួន រហូតដល់ជន សាមញ្ញ។
ពាក្យសំដើលគេផ្ទចោរឱ្យបាបូលត្រា គេ
ព្រឹននិយមថា : «ទៅវាំខែ» តែតាមពិត
ការវាំកំសាន្តនេះ មិនមែនមាន តែម្នាក់
វាំខែទេ គឺមានចង្វាក់វាំកំក្រាថ់ សារ៉ាវ៉ាន់
ទូលាយ់បើន អកកំពិស តាមដី....។



បីរិយាណសែលគេនាំត្រូវដ្ឋាន
ដីប្រឈម គឺគេលើកទុមយមកអាក់ចំ
កណ្តាលទីត្រូវដោយក្រាលកំណាម ហើយអាក់ចំត្រូវដោលវិស័យ មាននេះទេ
យកត្រូវដឹងថ្មី បុ ព្រៃនដឹងត្រូវដោលទីត្រូវដឹងថ្មី គោល
ការណ៍វិធីផែលគេគ្រែអាក់ចំកណ្តាលលទីត្រូវនៅ គឺជាបញ្ហាមួយសម្រាប់
តាមប្រព័ន្ធឌីជីថ្មីដែលនឹងយកវានៅទីនិងជីថ្មី ដោយប្រុសស្រីមិនអាច
ការនេះ បុក្រែកគិយត្រូវរាលីជីថ្មី ដោយប្រុសស្រីមិនអាចការនេះ បុក្រែក
គិយត្រូវបាននិច្ឆ័យ។ ទន្លិមនោះសំរាប់ត្រូវដោងទាំងអស់បាន បុក្រែក
ដោយប្រុសហាត់ច្បាប់វាត្រូវបាន បុក្រែកដោលគេនាឆីបសប្បាយចិត្តបន្ទូម។ ចិត្តរាក់
ខាងក្រោមត្រូវផែលគេយកមកសំរាប់កំសរករវាំនោះ មិនមានប្រកាស់ថា
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The Angkor Dance Troupe

Founded in 1986, the Angkor Dance Troupe is nationally recognized as one of the most experienced and accomplished Cambodian dance ensembles performing today. The Troupe has performed at prestigious venues including the White House, First Night Boston, and Yale University. In 1999, the Angkor Dance Troupe received the "Coming Up Taller" award from the President's Committee on the Arts and Humanities. The awards were given to a select group of 10 organizations from across the nation to honor exemplary youth arts programs.

Cambodian Classical Dance dates to 700 AD. Classical dancers performed in temples in ceremonies to appease the Gods and, more recently, in the royal palace for the King and his guests in the royal court. Elegant and refined, Cambodian classical dance is sometimes called "court dance" or Cambodia's "royal ballet." Once reserved exclusively for Cambodia's elite, classical dance is now performed for audiences around the world and has become a central symbol of the beauty and spirituality of Cambodian culture.

Folk dances emanate from rural Cambodia -- from the countryside. They depict aspects of everyday village life and honor traditions and skills typically undervalued in the rush to civilization - skills such as fishing and harvesting rice. Cambodian folk dances are lively and spontaneous, created for emotional expression. Costumes are very colorful and reflect the traditional dress of the particular province or ethnic group within Cambodia where the dances originate.

The Dances for this Evening's Program

The Blessing Dance was originally performed in the royal palace in Cambodia to rid the palace of bad spirits and to bless the royal kingdom. Today the blessing dance is performed at the beginning of performances and ceremonies of all types. It is a dance of greetings and good wishes. During the performance, the dancers come forward and sprinkle flower petals toward the audience. This is done in the hope of bringing prosperity, peace, and good health to everyone in the audience.

Tep Monorom, often considered the most beautiful in the Cambodian classical dance repertoire, embodies the wellbeing, friendship, and prosperity of Cambodian people.

Swva Pol - The Monkey Dance is from the legendary Cambodian Reamker, from which many classical dances derive. In Cambodian legend, monkeys always fight evil. These monkeys are army soldiers gathering food for a feast to celebrate a victory. The lively and acrobatic monkey dance is performed by boys and young men, who capture the spirit and quick mannerisms of monkeys. Following the original dance, the Troupe will feature some new choreography with elements of modern dance.

Hanuman & Sovann Macha or The White Monkey and the Golden Mermaid also depicts a scene from the Reamker. Before this episode begins, the queen was captured, abducted to the kingdom of Lanka far out at sea. The King calls on a famous army general named Hanuman to help him rescue the queen. Hanuman and his army of monkeys set about to build a bridge across the ocean , but

as fast as they pile up stones for the bridge, the stones mysteriously disappear. The white monkey dives into the sea to investigate. What he discovers is that a school of fish, led by a golden mermaid named Sovann Macha, has been carrying off the stones in an act of playful vandalism. Hanuman confronts the beautiful troublesome mermaid Sovann Macha - at the same time he can't help but be dazzled by her beauty and falls in love. While she initially resists, Hanuman eventually wins her over as his ally in the fight against evil.

In the **Butterfly Dance**, a group of young Khmer hunters capture butterflies. But when the helpless creatures beg for mercy, the boys let them go. The Butterfly Dance symbolizes the curiosity and compassion of Cambodian people, their willingness to always help and support one another, and above all, their desire to live in peace and harmony.

Picking Krovanh is a traditional dance of the Por tribe, which lived in the Pursat Province of Cambodia. The dance demonstrates the tradition of farmers who each year would embark on a long journey - 3 to 6 months long - to pick Krovanh, a spice found in the distant mountains. Before the journey, the Por villagers gathered for a big ceremony to pray and offer foods to the spirits - in the hopes of good weather for their harvest journey and protection from evil spirits.

Tivia Propey was originally performed in Cambodia in honor of National Children's Day. It is designed to give young dancers experience in movement and the rhythm of the classical orchestra. The song and dance describe solidarity, nationalism, and also, the children's joyous day.

Peacock of Pursat originated in the Pursat province of Cambodia, where lush tropical forests are home to a large variety of animals and birds, including numerous peacocks and peahens. The birds' fabulous green and black tail feathers bear the stamp of nobility. During the dance, performers wearing headgear of peacock feathers represent apirs of pewfow as they play in the forest and float on the mountain breezes.

There's a saying in Cambodia "Where there is water, there are fish." During the rainy season, the great lake Tonle Sap swells and spills over, flooding nearby ponds and streams and carrying along many varieties of fish. When the waters recede the fish remain, providing the Khmer with a year-round food supply. The **Fishing Dance** demonstrates traditional methods of catching fish, using braided bamboo baskets and traps.

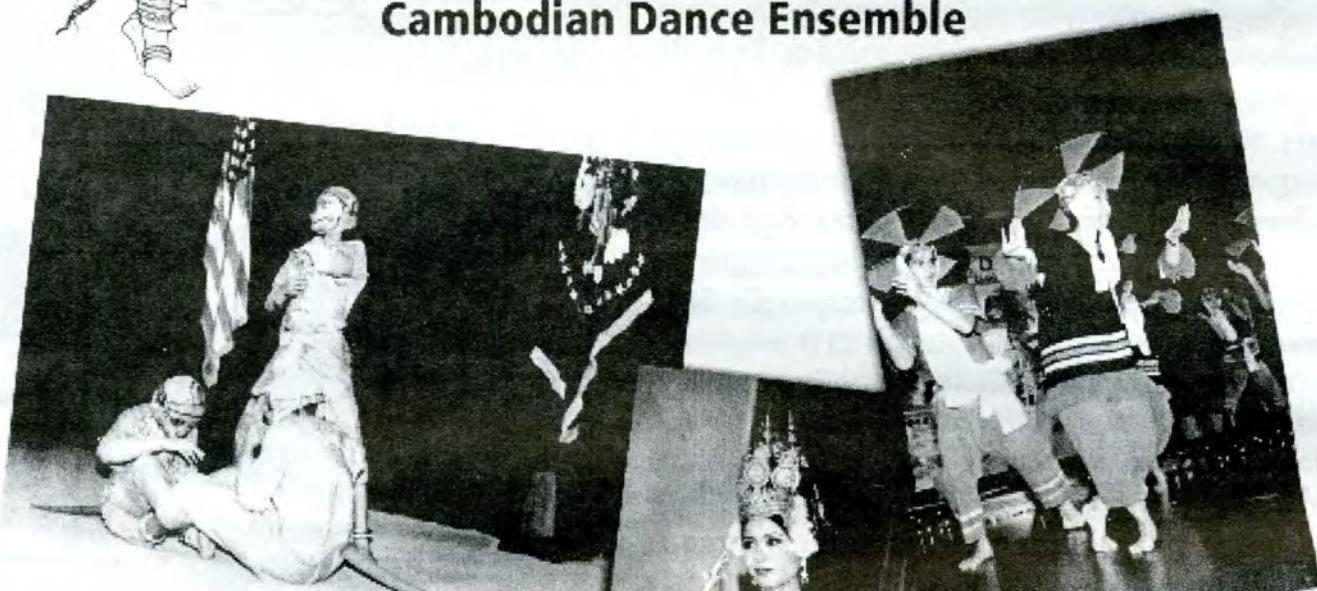
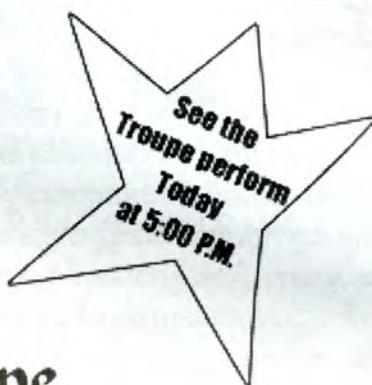
Love and romance are favorite themes in Khmer stories and dance. In traditional Cambodian society, young people are carefully watched and don't have many opportunities to get to know one another. But the fishing quarter is one place they had the chance to meet. The Angkor Dance Troupe's rendition of the Fishing Dance shows how young people balance courtship and custom by the river's edge.





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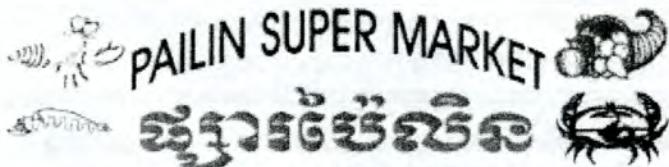
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Mr. Bouy Te, Mr. Rithy Uong, & Dr. Khatharya Um
"What is the Future of Cambodians in America" Forum 1/21/00

On Friday, January 21, 2000, Light of Cambodian Children, the Cambodian Mutual Assistance Association of Greater Lowell, Inc. (CMAA), and the Umass Lowell Graduate School of Education came together to co-sponsor a forum on the future of Cambodians in the United States. The forum was held at the CMAA building located at 165 Jackson Street, Lowell, MA.

There were about one hundred people in attendance including prominent people such as Councilor Rithy Ulong, the first Cambodian American City Councilor; Mr. Bouy Te, Deputy Director at the Office of Bilingual Education and Minority Language Affairs of the U.S. Department of Education; and Dr. Khatharya Um, Assistant Professor in the Asian American Studies Program at the University of California, Berkely.

While the majority of the audience were students (high school and college), also present were parents, professionals, and city school committee members. All shared the common interest which is "Education, The Future of Cambodians in America". Many issues and topics were brought up such as education, culture clash, lines of communication, parental guidance, and lack of role models.

Panelists had a chance to talk about their past and how education and perseverance brought them here. Their hardship ranged from dodging bullets to dying in the streets of Cambodia. How hopes and dreams kept them alive, and as survivors, they wanted to contribute by advocating and educating the mainstream community about Cambodian people. Students who served as panelists had a chance to voice opinions regarding their lives as American youths and how hardship seemed to parallel the "grown ups". Though living in America seemed a luxury, hardship often places them in many predicaments that "grown ups" might not have realized.

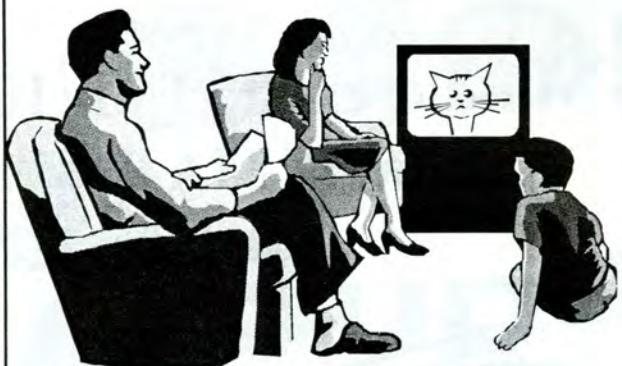
One major contribution was the setting up of the Cambodian American Scholarship Fund, which was to aid those students who are committed and motivated to continue onto higher education. The scholarship was set up by Light of Cambodian Children whose mission is to build a future based on non-violence, caring, skills, understanding, and humanitarian actions based on the common concern for the well-being of Khmer children.

In follow up to the forum, audiences and panelists, both agreed that there should be more role models for the young generation to look up to. There should be more communications among young and old. The gap should close if the future of our community is to thrive especially in the area of education and communication.

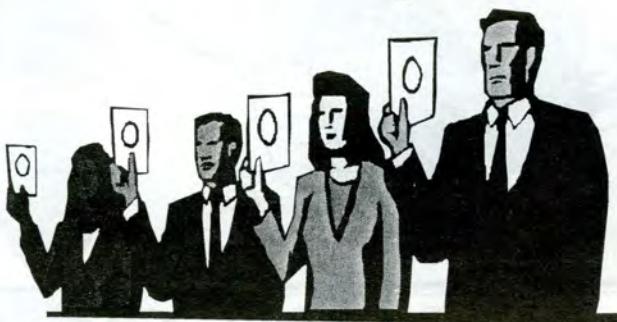
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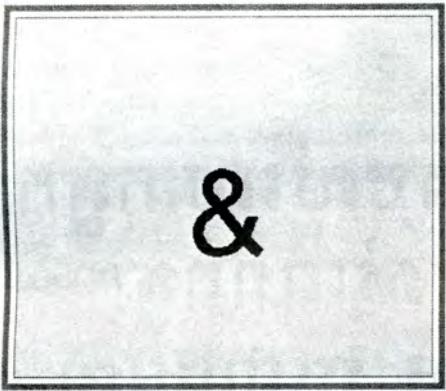
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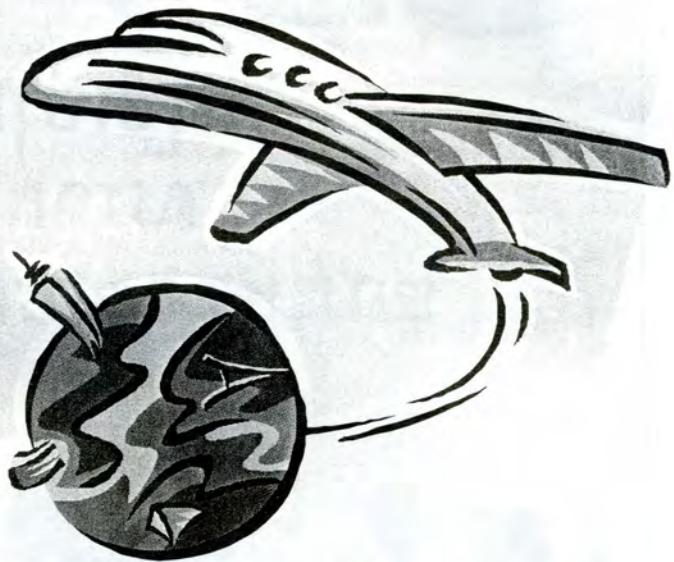
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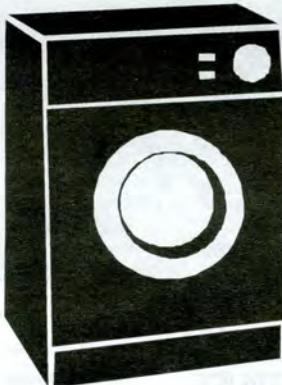
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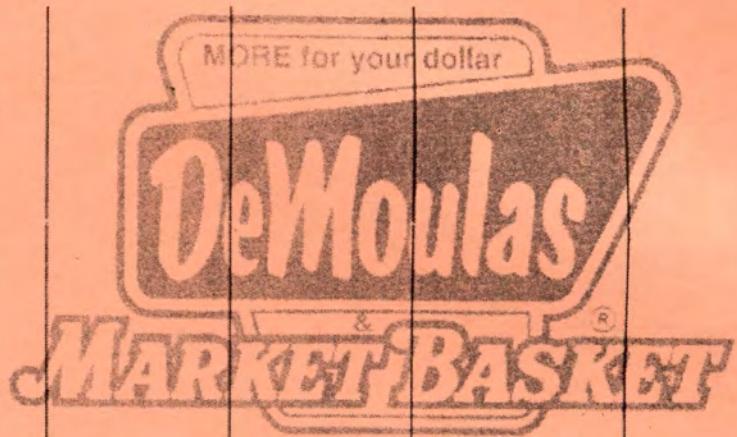
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