

# many voices one world festival

faith • community • carbon reduction

Sunday 21st March 2010

Hills Road Sixth Form  
College



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**free**  
recycled mug

with this tear off token from 4pm  
onwards at **The Tree** in the Foyer



# Timetable of events

	Colin Hill Recital Room <b>MU3</b>	Foyer and Café	Classroom <b>PS1</b>
2-3 pm	<b>Welcome gathering</b>		
3-4 pm	<b>Bollywood dance</b>	<b>Refreshments for sale</b>	<b>Faith Panel</b>
4-5 pm	<b>Sufis: Mem and friends</b>		<b>Collect your mug!</b>
5-6 pm			

## Welcome gathering

from Tina Shah and Siobhan Mellon of the Akashi Project

- Dance Performance by Cambridge African Network Dance Troupe
- Keynote Speech by Ashok Sinha – Director of the Stop Climate Chaos coalition
- Dance *An Ode to a Tree in Bharatanatyam Style* by Sanskruti School of Dance
- Introductions to the workshops running today

## Bollywood dance

**WORKSHOP** led by Shilpa Shah, Founder of Akashi Project. Come and learn a simple and fun dance routine to a Bollywood song about rain.

## Sufis: Mem and friends

Sacred song, dance and poetry from Mem and friends of the Sufi tradition incorporating exploration of the self.

## Refreshments for sale

- Teas, coffees and soft drinks on sale
- Indian Snacks from Mahendra & Sumita Shah
- African snacks from Cambridge African Network
- Cakes from Cambridge Women's Resources Centre
- Have Raw Cake And Eat It
- Islamic cultural cuisine

## Collect your mug!

Please give us your feedback and collect a free mug.

## Faith Panel

**PANEL DISCUSSION** on faiths and climate change chaired by Jenny Kartupelis, Director of the East of England Faiths Council, with Anil Soni, Hilary Marlow, Valerie Berkson, Yogaratna and Misra Baig.

## Singing with Kantaka

**WORKSHOP** led by Arthasiddi of the Kantaka Choir. Come and learn a simple non-denominational song about changing the world while changing ourselves.

Classroom **PS2**

Classroom **PS3**  
FILMS

Classroom **PS5**

Main Hall



**Community, faith and carbon reduction stalls**

**Climate Change – is it really happening?**

**The Hanging Gardens of Arabia**

**Quiet zone**

**Children's activities**

**Greening Your Faith's Meeting Place**

**Sisters on the Planet**



**Closing gathering**

## **Climate Change – is it really happening?**

TALK by Dr Stephen Peake, Fellow of the Judge Business School and teacher of courses on sustainable development and climate leadership.

## **Greening Your Faith's Meeting Place**

WORKSHOP An overview of different areas of faith life that can be greened particularly focussing on reducing the carbon footprint of your meeting place. Led by David Chandler of Cambridge Community Church and Hilary Marlow, Ely Diocesan Environment Committee.

## **The Hanging Gardens of Arabia**

FILM about traditional, sustainable agriculture directed by Tony Melroy.

## **Sisters on the Planet**

FILM This Oxfam production tells the story of 4 remarkable women leading the fight against climate change in Brazil, Bangladesh, the UK and Uganda.

## **Quiet zone**

Space to relax in, sit, lie and listen. Quotes and readings from different faiths: **Christian, Brahma Kumaris, Sri Chinmoy** and **Buddhist**. Short talks, quiet music and performance with some led meditations.

## **Community, faith and carbon reduction stalls and children's activities**

## **Closing gathering**

- Dance by the Cambridge African Network Dance Troupe
- Dance by Samirah Hussein Rakhi from the Bollywood film, Rab Ne banadi jodi
- A Ludi folk dance performance by Pakistani Women's Group
- Awarding of competition prizes by Cllr Sian Reid, Executive Councillor for Climate Change and Growth, Cambridge City Council
- Song from the Kantanka choir

Closing remarks from Shilpa Shah, co-founder of the Akashi Project

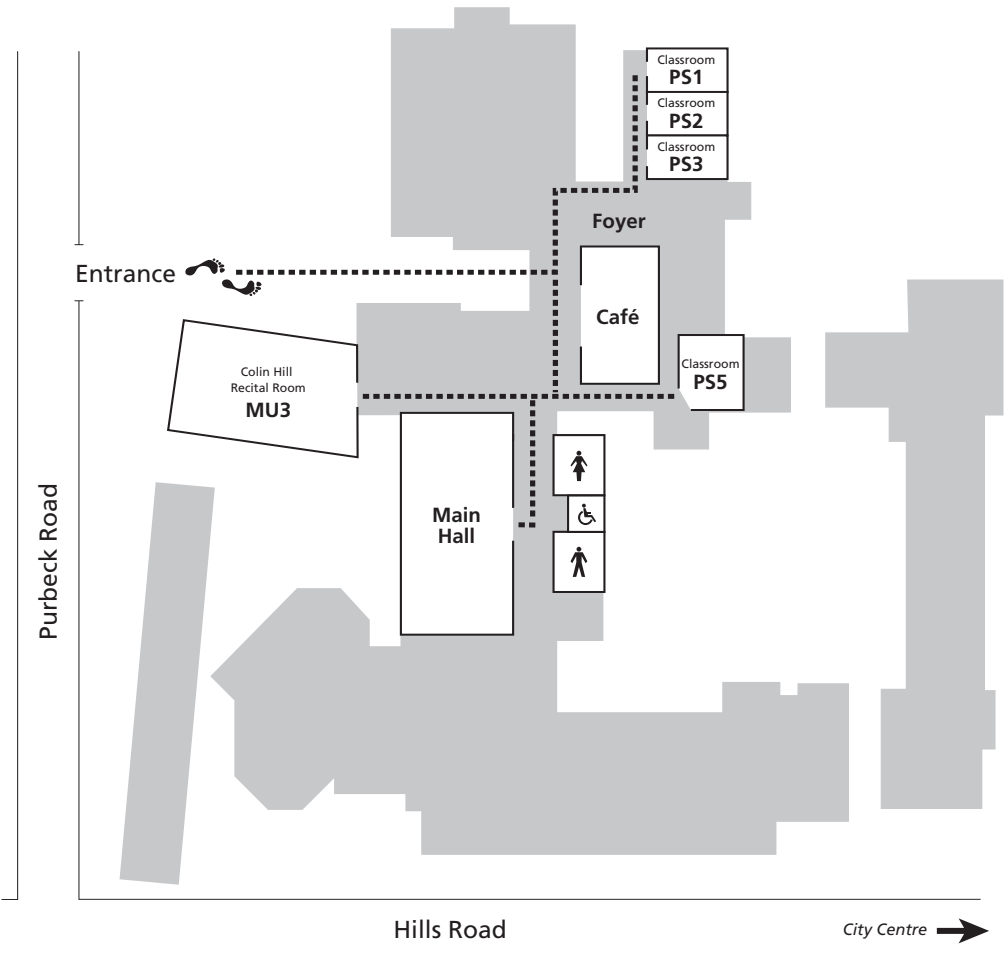
# Stalls

- A Rocha Christian environmental group
- Aromatherapy by Anneessgate
- Bangladeshi Women's Group
- Brahma Kumaris
- Cambridge Carbon Footprint Stalls:
  - Abacus, Carbon Footprint Calculator and children's activities
  - Carbon Conversations
  - Climate Friendly Homes
  - Eat Well
  - Enough Stuff!
  - Travel Light
- Cambridge Climate Change Charter
- Cambridge Muslims
- Cambridge Pakistan Cultural Association
- Castle St Methodist Church
- Conserve – recycled bags and accessories
- Eco Punjabi Cambridge
- Emmanuel UR Church
- Henna painting
- Indian Community and Cultural Association
- Justice & Peace Group
- Music from Trishna and Spieve
- Simpatico Drama and Role Play
- Sustainable City



“ ...because the future  
is low carbon

# Festival floorplan



“ Treat the earth well. It was not given to you by your parents. It was loaned to you by your children

**Kenyan Proverb**

# Thank you...

This **many voices one world festival** would not have been possible today without the support of our funders. We would like to thank them along with all the people who have worked with us in various ways. Thank you for generously sharing your time, cultural knowledge, faith teachings and stories about your efforts to reduce your carbon footprints.

“ We must become the change we want to see in the world

**Mahatma Gandhi**

## Photography

We're really happy that you've joined us today. We'd like to share today's event and the message about climate change with others after the festival. A photographer will be taking photos and video throughout the day to help us do this. If you would rather not appear in any photos, please do let us know.

## Smoking

Please note that Hills Road Sixth Form College is a no-smoking area. Smoking is not allowed on the main College site or on Purbeck Road (a private road owned by the College). Adults who need to smoke are asked to do so away from the immediate vicinity of the College. Thank you for your support.

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