

EVENT ANNOUNCEMENT

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FOR EVENT CALENDARS

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GIANT MAGNET – GLOBAL ATTRACTIONS PLAYING LOCALLY

The 24th annual international performing arts festival, **Giant Magnet**, is May 11-15 at Seattle Center and May 17 in Tacoma. Like a **Giant Magnet**, this festival attracts people of all ages and backgrounds to its global attractions and provides an opportunity to experience cultures from around the world through authentic theatre, music, dance, puppetry, and circus performances. Performers come from countries all around the world, including Germany, Colombia, Senegal and Korea. Last year's festival welcomed the 35,000 children and families in attendance over the week.

On Saturday May 15, Family Day, attendees can participate in free activities including kite-making, interactive games, hula-hooping, origami and more at the Discovery Center in order to heighten the global experience of the performances.

Event Details:

- May 11-15 in Seattle at Seattle Center, May 17 at Tacoma's Broadway Center
- Authentic global performances of theatre, music, dance, puppetry, and circus for audiences of all ages to enjoy in a local setting
- Free crafts and activities on Saturday, May 15, Family Day at Seattle Center
- Tickets are \$10-\$15 and go on sale April 1, 2010
- Tickets and information available at: www.GiantMagnet.org

Giant Magnet is building bridges of understanding between cultures and generations, and presents joyful and authentic expressions of art and culture in order to advance global citizenship in the Pacific Northwest.

Giant Magnet is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.

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