



MAKE MUSIC NEW YORK!

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Make Music News: June 25, 2007

Congratulations to everyone who took part in last week's **Make Music New York**, one of the largest musical events in the city's history!

Despite the early-evening rain, thousands of musicians came out onto streets and parks for a full day of music-making across the city on the first day of summer.

Read on to learn more about this year, and our plans for 2008!



Make Music in the News

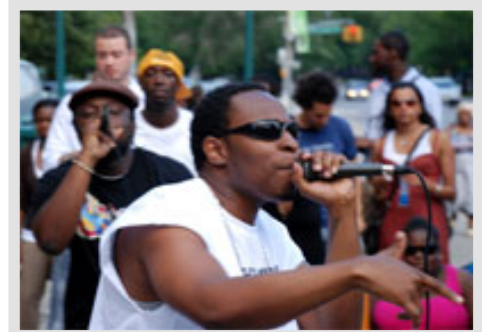
TELEVISION

NY1

["Outdoor Concerts Throughout the City Mark the Beginning of Summer"](#), Kristen Shaughnessy, June 15, 2007

CBS 2

["Make Music New York"](#), News at 5, June 21, 2007



RADIO

WNYC Radio ["All Music All the Long Day"](#), The Brian Lehrer Show, June 21, 2007

1010 WINS

["Welcome Summer & Make Music in Manhattan"](#), June 21, 2007

INTERNATIONAL PRESS

Agence France Presse

["Jack Lang uses Mets stadium to launch Fete de la Musique"](#), June 21, 2007

["France celebrates Summer with all night music-fest"](#), June 22, 2007



CITYWIDE PRESS

New York Times

["All-Day Festival of Sounds, From African to Operatic"](#), by Vivien Schweitzer, June 23, 2007

New York Post

["Citywide Songs"](#), by Barbara Hoffman, June 20, 2007

New York Sun

["Impresario for a Day of Hundreds of](#)

[City Concerts"](#), by Bradley Hope, June 19, 2007

["Free and Easy, Make Music N.Y. Fills City With Song"](#), by Bradley Hope, June 22, 2007

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["Citywide music fest ushers in summer"](#), Justin R. Silverman, June 21, 2007

New York Press

["Make Music New York"](#), by Jonny Leather, June 21, 2007

Gothamist

["Over 560 Free Performances This Thursday"](#), by Jen Carlson, June 19, 2007

LOCAL PRESS

Times Leger (Queens)

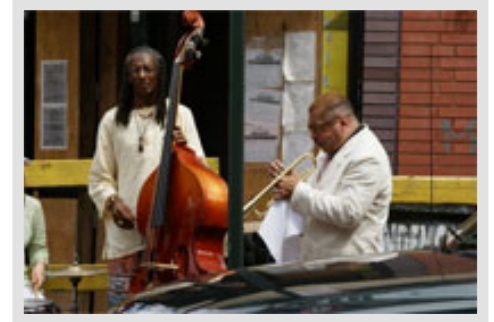
["Global music fest hits Queens in June"](#), by Craig Giammona, June 14, 2007

Courier Life (Brooklyn)

["Metropolitan Opera throws open its doors for festival"](#), June 14, 2007

24/7 (Brooklyn)

["Get set for the biggest block party the Big Apple has ever seen"](#), by Joe Maniscalco, June 14, 2007



Send us your pictures and video!



If you took pictures or video of Make Music events on Thursday, send them to us! We'll create a new page on the [website](#) to display them all.

Clarence Eckerson Jr. has already put together [this fantastic video](#) with footage from dozens of concerts. And **YouTube** now shows MMNY videos from [Washington Square Park](#), [Bedford Avenue in the rain](#), and an

[electronic music block party](#) in Tribeca.

If you upload pictures to [Flickr](#) or [YouTube](#), please "tag" them as **mmny2007**.

Preparing for MMNY 2008

Already, we've begun discussions about how **Make Music** will work in 2008. June 21st falls on a Saturday next year, and MMNY promises to be huge! We have lots of ideas for how to organize things differently, and how to get more neighborhoods involved.

Now we want to hear from you!

What worked and what didn't? How would you like to take part next year? Do you have any crazy ideas for other directions MMNY could take? Please send an email to makemusicny@gmail.com and let us know!

Also, if you enjoyed Make Music New York and want to see it continue, please email us a letter about what you liked, with your full contact information -- this will help us build political support for next year.

Have a wonderful summer!



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