

# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Arab Heritage Festival: A Living Legacy

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Welcome to the Arab Heritage Festival, a celebration of culture, community, and connection. Since its inception, this festival has grown into a cherished legacy, proudly held during Arab Heritage Month (April). Each year, we bring together over 3,000 attendees to experience the vibrant tapestry of Arab heritage through music, literature, art, crafts, and cuisine—all in a welcoming, multilingual setting (English, French, and Arabic).

Organized entirely by dedicated volunteers, the festival is a testament to the power of the community. It's a space where cultures intersect, stories are shared, and traditions come alive, creating unforgettable moments for everyone involved.

Arab Heritage Festival is your gateway to becoming part of this meaningful celebration. Explore our detailed sponsorship packages and discover how you can align your brand with a festival that champions diversity, inclusion, and the arts.

Join us in making the 2025 Arab Heritage Festival a landmark celebration. Together, let's continue building a legacy of unity, culture, and joy.

Thank you for being part of this journey. Let's build on this legacy and make the 2025 Arab Heritage Festival a CELEBRATION TO REMEMBER.



## **About Arab Culture Club**

A Not-for-profit organization, independent of ethnicity, religious beliefs, and politics, the Arab Culture Club was established in November 2019, and incorporated in 2022.

## **OUR VISION**

To be a cornerstone of New Brunswick's cultural landscape, proudly showcasing the richness and diversity of Arab heritage while fostering a vibrant, inclusive, and united Canadian community



To create a space where Arabic culture, language, history, and heritage are celebrated as a vibrant part of Canada's multicultural identity, while building meaningful connections between Arab culture and the diverse communities we call home.





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## **OBJECTIVES**

- Foster Cultural Exchange Promote intercultural understanding and dialogue within the community, celebrating the beauty of diversity and shared heritage.
- Celebrate Arabic Arts and Culture Create a dedicated platform in New Brunswick to showcase the richness of Arabic arts, traditions, and heritage.
- Enrich Multicultural Events Contribute to a more vibrant cultural scene in New Brunswick by increasing access to diverse, high-quality events that reflect the province's multicultural identity.
- Build Collaborative Networks Strengthen partnerships between artists, organizations, and communities at the local, provincial, and national levels to amplify cultural impact and innovation.
- Empower Community Engagement Provide opportunities for individuals to connect, learn, and participate in meaningful cultural experiences that foster pride and belonging.
- Preserve and Share Heritage Ensure the preservation and sharing of Arabic culture, language, and history as an integral part of <u>Canada's cultural fabric</u>.



## **FEATURES**

- Collaboration with NB public library service
- Music concert
- Exhibits & fair
- Workshops (culinary, fashion design, calligraphy, etc.)
- Literature and poetry





# HIGHLIGHTS FROM LAST FESTIVAL









11 VOLUNTEERS 30 PARTNERS

17
ARTISTS





#### **FUNDERS**



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