

HIROSHIMA - NAGASAKI DAY COMMEMORATIONSaturday, August 7, 1982Proposed Programs10:00 a.m. Gather at Washington Square Park

Cal Oba (Shelly Wong/alternate) to speak on behalf of the Coalition on reasons/purposes of this commemoration; also to give some historical/political highlights of the route.

Drummers (Chinese, Afro-American, Hispanic, Caribbean steel, native American and budhist) to signal the start of the march. These drummers to be spaced out along the march.

Grey ballons, in shape of atomic "mushroom", be carried along the march, also individual ballons with themes of the event.

11:30 a.m. Federal Plaza (MC: Yuri Kochiyama)

One speaker (Doris Turner of 1199 or Frances Hubbard) to speak on government defense spendings as affecting human needs.

12:30 a.m. Columbus Park (MC: David Chen)

Upon arriving the park, marchers to hold hands, forming a "human chain/institution", and circle around the park chanting, accompanied by drums. This symbolically creates a "nuclear free area" for the following:

Opening speech: (all speeches limited to 3-5 mins.)

Yee Ling Poon (in Chinese, Shelly Wong to give the same speech in English).

Speeches/Music:

A maximum of 15 speakers with music in between. The following speakers/musicians are not necessarily in this order:

Hiroshima survivor *NB: ~~1199~~ - Correction*
 Rev. Ben Chavis (for TWPPA)
 Prof. Michio Kaku
 Native American rep. (Russell Means)
May Day Singers

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Columbus Park (cont)

Rep. from scientific community (SESPA/Science
For the People/Physicians for Social Resp.)
Hispanic rep. (~~Helen Rodrique~~) Manny Ortiz
Palestinian rep. (Nubar Hovsepian)
Rev. Daughtry (Black United Front)
Chris Ijema & Friends
Anti-Draft rep. (CARD/War Resisters' League)
Barbara Omalada (labor issue)
El Salvador/FDR rep.
Reps. from southern Africa liberation movements
(ANC and SWAPO)
Kato from Nippnzan Myohoj and Buddhist Order
House of the Lord Church Choir
Asian chorus

Fire crackers and chants (with drums)

(Refreshments on sale to raise funds)

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Hiroshima-Nagasaki Day Coalition

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Additional:

Black Vets - Job Mashariki
Int'l. known artist - Scheim Koppelman
Cong. Sen One Korea - Anthony Kaling
Bekrigan -
Michael Harrington -
Frieda Sv. Coman,
Katie Messinger - Councilwomen
Manny Ortiz - Cong. 1 P.R. Rights
Al Vann - ch. Bk. + High Caucus
Gerena Valentin - Cecil from Bronx
Nora Lumley - MOB
Speaker on Nicaragua - Casa Nicaragua
Chinese-Amr. garment worker (ILGWU)