A festival in the CAP

SUMMER'S finally here and to celebrate the new season CAP (Community Arts Project) will hold the Laphumilanga (the rising sun) Festival of the Arts at its Chapel Street premises in Woodstock from December 1 to December 10.

CAP has a long tradition of providing arts which were ignored by the apartheid government in black and coloured areas.

The government has changed, but CAP continues to offer its unique service to the community in providing and facilitating the provision of the arts at a grassroots level.

The programme is as follows:

- Theatre — Dec 1-9 at 7pm. There will be performances by groups including SiyaPhambile, Jazzart, Tulasizwe, Poemada, Siyakha, Intsika Ye Afrika, Siyakhala, New Africa Theatre Project, Action Workshop and Buyi Africa.

- Films — Dec 6-7. Big screen junkies don't miss the short film festival.

- Music — Dec 10. Making Music has organised an all day live music bash.

- Workshop — Dec 5 from 9.30am-3.30pm. Alison Rottier, a community worker from Britain, will give free workshops on creative group work. A must for community workers using art with children.

- Theatre — Dec 4, 8, 9 at 5.30pm seminars on theatre.

- There will also be exhibitions and performances of student work from courses run throughout the year and exhibitions by the visual arts group.

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