

THE MUSLIM COUNCIL OF BRITAIN



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Ist Annual Festival of Middle Eastern Spirituality and Peace,
Edinburgh, Scotland, Friday 27 February - Sunday 7 March 2004

The Muslim Council of Britain is delighted to be involved in the Ist Annual Festival of Middle Eastern Spirituality and Peace. We wholeheartedly support this refreshing and innovative venture and hope that it will prove to be an overwhelming success.

The Muslim Council of Britain is a national umbrella organisation representing a network of over 400 mosques, community and professional organisations throughout Britain. Our primary objective is to promote greater consultation, co-operation and co-ordination on Muslim affairs in Britain and to work together with all sectors of society to promote 'the common good'. More details about our work and ways of getting involved can be found from our website www.mcb.org.uk or by contacting MCBDirect, our community information service: mcbdirect@mcb.org.uk so please do feel free to get in touch.

Our increasingly fractured world is crying out for peace and it is our belief at the MCB that this peace will only really result from a genuinely spiritual enlightenment. We sincerely hope that this landmark Festival helps to breathe a higher sense of purpose into those of you fortunate enough to be attending and also those who will no-doubt hear about this event in the months and years to come.

We have enormous pleasure in welcoming you to this important event and wish to put on record our sincere appreciation to the Festival organisers.

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