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## Deh Jah Dance Theatre

PRESENTS ITS



SATURDAY  
28 JUNE  
2014  
Cocktails: 7:00PM  
Curtains: 8:00PM  
ADM: \$1500

SUNDAY  
29 JUNE  
2014  
Curtains: 5:00PM  
Cocktails after the show  
ADM: \$1500

The Theatre Place, 8 Haining Road, Kgn 5

FOR TICKETS AND MORE DETAILS CALL: 849-5500

Tickets also available on **YARDTICKET**  
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# REVERBERATION OF THE SILENT ECHO

AN ART EXHIBITION BY RICHARD NATTOO

*And as the silent echo reverberates, it will reveal to you  
that "things aren't always the way they seem..."*

LOCATION: REDBONES CAFE 1 ARGYLE ROAD, KNG 10

JUNE 20-28

8-11PM

ENDORSED BY:



/ IncrementingThoughts



# Review of Blue Hole, Ocho Rios

We heard about a place called Blue Hole from friends who visited it while staying at Beaches in Ocho Rios, recommended by the hotel staff. This Blue Hole is not the Blue Lagoon pool in Port Antonio area, and it is not the Blue Hole plantation in Montego Bay or the Blue Hole in Negril.) Check out the website below.



To find it, go 2.5 miles west toward White River on the northcoast highway from the Ocho Rios Jerk Centre (at the intersection of Ferngully highway). Turn right at the stop light just past the Texaco station, before crossing the White River itself. You will see signs for the White River Recreation Area. Keeping left initially, but wind around to the E-ping gas station and turn left. Go another 2.5 miles to the JPS facility. (If you go to the Chukka White River Rec Area, you have passed it.) Turn right and go through the JPS sub-station's public road. It gets very bumpy at this point but keep on for less than half a mile and you find Blue Hole. It is almost totally undeveloped, with a shack renting water shoes and then a place to buy drinks.

It is a very promising site, from what we saw on a casual and superficial stop-over. There is a gravel parking lot, with a makeshift staircase not far away leading the lower pools that you can see from the top of the stair. There is a hiking trail that starts nearby as well, leading to the upper pools and cascades. It's probably a hike - we didn't try it because the water was a little muddy from recent heavy rains. The tour guides admitted this and said to come back when the water was running clear again. You can ask the two young "owner-operators" Kevin (292-4808) and Kamon (441-9293) about the conditions before you go. It's a trip best organized with a group of somewhat intrepid people, but it is getting more and more tourist buses visiting from the big hotels these days, we understand, so go before the crowds (but maybe after a few more amenities and road repair).

Please note that the guides ask informally for a 1000 dollar suggested/recommended donation - kind of a combined site entrance fee and tour guide price, so it should mean no other expenses or tips required. The price is **very likely** negotiable for families and groups.

Visit this link for more information:

[http://www.tripadvisor.com/Attraction\\_Review-g147312-d1997485-Reviews-Blue\\_Hole-Ocho\\_Rios\\_Saint\\_Ann\\_Parish\\_Jamaica.html](http://www.tripadvisor.com/Attraction_Review-g147312-d1997485-Reviews-Blue_Hole-Ocho_Rios_Saint_Ann_Parish_Jamaica.html)

# Items For Sale

**FOR SALE: BRAND NEW CARTERS BABY GIRL ONESIES**

**Brand: Carters**

**Size: 3 months**

**Price: \$2100**

**Call Andrea 397 8586 or email [ange2cel@gmail.com](mailto:ange2cel@gmail.com)**



**2 hand carved stone lions  
\$JD 10,000 each**



**Contact Jade at [tomjadelance@yahoo.com](mailto:tomjadelance@yahoo.com) or call 406-5148.**

**2 year old LG microwave (excellent condition) - dimensions WxHxD 21 7/8x 12 1/2x17 1/8**



**for 90 dollars**

**Contact**

**[racheltail@yahoo.com](mailto:racheltail@yahoo.com) Or 357-9185**

**For further information please contact Christopher at 503-1599**



**Samsung 55-inch LED 3D SMART TV**

**\$200,000 JDM**

- TV w/stand 1.2 inches thick, access to hundreds of APPS like Netflix, Hulu, and PLEX
- Comes with Keyboard-style remote
- 240ghz, Wifi, 4-HDMI, 3-USB and Ethernet Ports
- Excellent condition

**Serious Inquiries Only Please. Email Gary at [CorseGR@gmail.com](mailto:CorseGR@gmail.com)**

**Eddie Bauer Car Seat, rear or front facing, reclines & has cup holder \$5,000**



**Windsurfer (in good condition) for sale: Three sails: 5.6m NP Zone, 6.3m NP Z1 and 7.4m NP Super-sonic, 460mm Chinook mast, 2 x booms + harness ropes + harness, Avandride70 board + Bag**

**USD 875**



**TV is a HD plasma 42 inch Panasonic with JVC surround sound with docking station, DVD/CD player and 8 speakers.**

**USD 900**

**Contact: 817 8864**

**One [1] BLACKPOINT 23 cubic foot Chest Freezer, complete with set down Transformer and Freezer Guard. Practically 'new' - Price: Negotiable**



**One [1] IGLOO 165 quart contoured Cooler. Practically 'new' - Price: Negotiable**

**One [1] six foot solid metal Satellite Dish - Price: Negotiable**



**Call TONY @ 407-9970**

## FOR RENT



**Newly renovated 6500 sq ft house for rent on Seaview Rd, Stony Hill. Upstairs: 3 bdrm, 4 bathroom (master has his and hers bathrooms), access to balcony from all 3 bedrooms, 2 linen closets and wet bar room, Downstairs: powder room, living and dining room, verandah, large eat-in kitchen, full laundry room, 2 car garage, separate adjoining helpers quarters. Caretakers residence adjacent driveway, additional storage shed in driveway. Sweeping views of Kingston, tranquil, lush setting on 1 acre abundant with fruit trees. Fully armed and secured by King Alarm Systems. Comes with major appliances (stove, fridge, water heater, washer and dryer) and large water tank. Must see! Contact Christina Lopez via email [christinarachellopez@gmail.com](mailto:christinarachellopez@gmail.com) or if possible via phone 3615495270. Asking \$1400 USD.**



**FOR RENT: 2 bedroom 1 bathroom flat**

**Living/ dining/ kitchen**

**Norbrook Road**

**\$55,000 neg.**

**Call Rhona 9257645/8817269**

Ms. Barbara Bailey has worked with diplomatic families from the US, Canadian, French and German missions over the last 20 years. She has served as a helper to our family since we arrived at post 14 months ago. Duties assigned to Ms. Bailey include general housekeeping, laundering/ironing, cooking and afterschool child care. With the departure of several families from post, she is looking to secure employment on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Ms. Bailey is soft-spoken, diligent in her duties and sincerely caring of those she serves. If interested in obtaining her services, please give her a call at (876) 877- 8747. Should you need further reference, please do not hesitate to contact me. [tnpointer9165@yahoo.com](mailto:tnpointer9165@yahoo.com)

Sherene Johnson seeks weekly employment as a Domestic Helper. She irons, washes and cleans immaculately well. She cooks exquisite meals, and is excellent with small children. Sherene is an added gem to any household, she can be contacted at 299-7750 at any time.

I am here by applying for a job as a live out house keeper or a baby sitter I am fifty one years old and have over 25 years experience in this field. I can be recommended by my pastor MR. Conrad Reid c/o Portmore gospel assembly phone number(939-3090)or my present employer Mrs. Janet Williamson . u can contact her at 925-0724 or 382-6350 if I am successful in this application I will work to the best of my ability I will be available for an interview at your convenient .

Sydonne Rose is seeking a full time live out position as a domestic helper. She is very capable and does excellent work at taking care of small children or the elderly. She is a diligent hard working individual who takes pride in her job. She takes instructions very well and is a truly a pleasure to work with. Please call her at 316-4707.

Meleta Gordon – Quiet, respectful and very punctual. She cleans, irons, washes & folds laundry, prepares some basic meals and is good with children. She performs overall household duties. She prefers daily and weekly daytime hours. For more information, call Meleta at 354-0856.

Live-in helper available. Ms Claudine is available as a live-in helper from mid July. She has been extraordinarily good, and is extremely kind, considerate and trust worthy. She has been responsible for cleaning, washing and ironing and as a child minder. She is genuinely brilliant with the children playing with them and taking them outside to explore (she has never lost her temper and is incredibly patient). She is also a brilliant cook (she makes incredible meals every night and juices), she gets my 3 children ready for school, shops at the local market on Thursdays and does her very best to go the extra mile. I highly recommend her. She can be contacted on 7739512 (Lime) or 4216993 (Digicel). Alternatively call me, Anna at the British High Commission or on 361 1323.

Maude Bailey has worked for us for three years on a full-time basis to help maintain our house and to help care for our two small boys. She has worked for Canadian diplomatic and Jamaican families as a helper and nanny for over 15 years. Maude is kind, caring, honest, patient, and efficient. She fully engages with our boys – plays games, plays outside, reads, and never puts on the TV. She has been great with toddler milestones such as manners and potty training. She is punctual, always goes the extra mile, takes direction/guidance on cleaning routines and requests well, and is always willing to be flexible with hours, scheduling, and babysitting requests. We are happy to recommend her services to another couple or family. Maude would prefer a full-time, live-out position and is available starting the end of July/early August. Call Sarah for a recommendation at 862-4854 or call Maude directly at 787-4908.

Georgia Grant has been my twice a week helper for 1.5 years. She is honest, reliable, conscientious, and has a great sense of humor. As a trained nurses aid, and with a boy of her own, she would be great with kids, also, loves pets and is willing to take on any task. She has even stayed at my house and taken excellent care of my dog while I have been on TDYs. She is married to one of our security guards and has impeccable credentials. I highly recommend her. Feel free to contact her directly 876 366-7348 or Alexis 383-8920 for a recommendation.

## A Sweetheart and Hardworking Nanny/Helper

Ms. Marcia Ellington has been with my family since the birth of my daughter and my family has been very pleased with her. If my three children did not know any better, they would assume Ms. Marcia was their grandmother. When seen with my children, visitors and local Jamaicans alike who observed how she cares for my children, refuse to believe that she isn't a relative. Admittedly, her compassion for children and motherly virtue is what drew us to her and my wife and I think she will fit perfectly with any family. In addition to her mothering nature, Ms. Marcia is reliable, trustworthy and hardworking. She worked full-time at our home performing various housekeeping duties while taking care of our toddler (since her birth). Ms. Marcia has great initiative. Often times when she was done with all housekeeping duties, by observation and situation awareness, she would tackle minor tasks that afforded my wife and I the opportunity to spend more time with the kids on weekends. Unfortunately, I cannot take back to the states, so I highly recommend her to any family with or without children. She's worked with a total of three families throughout the years and all have consistently given her the same reviews. To setup an interview with Ms. Marcia Ellington please call her at 451-0949. She has undergone a security background check and is cleared by RSO for domestic employment.

# Cars For Sale

## 2010 Honda CR-V 2.4RVSi

- 5 door, right-hand drive, 4WD
- Dark red metallic exterior, black leather interior, chrome door handles
- 44,000 kms
- Vehicle stability assist (VSA)
- Power moon-roof
- In-dash 6 disc CD changer
- Multi-function steering wheel (audio and cruise control)
- Remote entry

- Side windows security tint
- Clean and well-maintained
- Available as of mid-July
- **US\$32,000 (no duty owing)**

• **Price is based on valuation which was done last week**

• **Female diplomat original owner**

• For information contact Marie: 469-2019



## 2006 Honda Civic EX

- ⇒ LHD
- ⇒ Automatic,
- ⇒ Sunroof
- ⇒ mp3 radio
- ⇒ Spoiler
- ⇒ 16"OEM rims
- ⇒ 6 airbags
- ⇒ cruise control
- ⇒ R18A engine
- ⇒ fully powered
- ⇒ oem alarm system
- ⇒ Abs
- ⇒ US\$10,500.00 o.n.o



Contact Lance 322-1337

## 2005 Nissan March

- Great city car
- Low mileage 33,000.00 kms
- Well maintained
- Asking 5,500.00 USD



Please call Barbara at 469-1893

## 2008 Nissan Cefiro

- \* Mileage 67000 Km
- \* Excellent condition
- \* The valuation price is \$1.8 million
- \* will take the nearest reasonable offer.



Contact Carol at 534-9784

## For Sale 2005 Ducati Multistrada 1000 S DS -- US\$6,900 or best offer

The motorcycle, purchased in the US, is in great condition with 11,000 km, brand new tires, chain and sprockets. It is ideal for driving in the city and over to the north coast.

Please note that since the motorcycle is above 700cc, the buyer would be required to get a waiver from the ministry of national security. Call Giorgio at 438-5948



**To advertise a car in the Dr. Bird Newsletter, email [birddr@state.gov](mailto:birddr@state.gov).**



**KOTE 2014**  
BALANCE  
AMBISSION ON THE EDGE - JAMAICA ART FESTIVAL

**KOTE WARD THEATRE**  
PROJECT

SUN JUNE 22 4PM-7PM

CONTRIBUTION \$1500 / \$500 STUDENTS WITH ID

LIVE MUSIC BY:

ALPHA BOYS SCHOOL ORCHESTRA  
THE MODER-ASHBOURNE GANG  
LUIS FELIPE BELLORÍN  
CAT COORE  
NO-MADDZ

THEATRE AND SPOKEN WORD BY:

JEAN SMALL  
FABIAN THOMAS  
RANDY MCCLAREN

DANCE PERFORMANCE BY:

KERRY-ANN HENRY, NEISHA-YEN JONES, BULLET PROOF  
CLIQUE, EWAN SIMPSON, TAFANI BUSCHAECAB, HENRY  
MILLER, KEVAN DOUGLAS, JORDACHE JONES

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76 Marcus Garvey Drive, Kingston. 13

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ADM. Adult: \$150.00  
Children: \$50.00

REFRESHMENT ON SALE

- **Private In-Home Tutoring for Math/ SSAT Math**
- **Offered this summer (until August 24th)**
- **Offered by Christian Seaga**
  - **AIK Alum (eight years as a student)**
  - **Currently a junior at UPenn School of Engineering and Applied Science**
  - **Proficient and experienced in mathematical concepts taught at high-school level**
- **Tutoring Mathematics up to Grade 12 (including SSAT Math)**

**By scheduled appointment**

**For more information, call (876)-290-8679 or email [cseaga@gmail.com](mailto:cseaga@gmail.com)**

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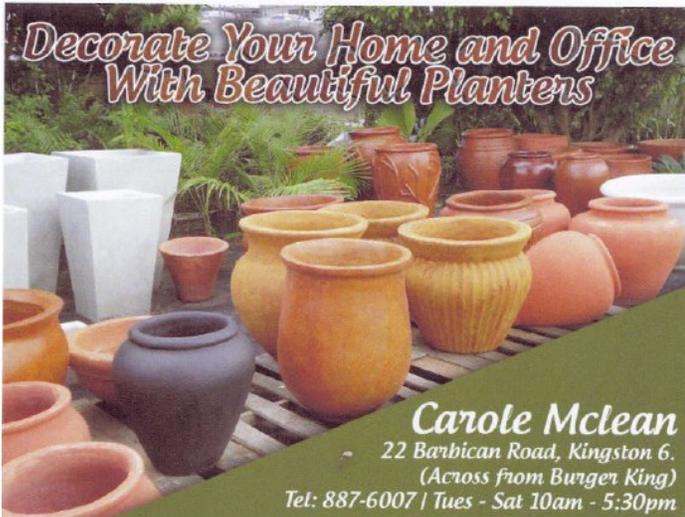
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 Find out more at [commonwealthceilidh.org](http://commonwealthceilidh.org) #commonwealthceilidh facebook.com/getscotlanddancing

Dance Practice on Friday, June 20<sup>th</sup> 2014 free of cost at the Emancipation Park from 4pm to 7pm.

They would love for everyone to come out and practice with us and participate at the Ceilidh on June 21st which is guaranteed to be fun, exciting and interactive.

Call Fiona Black  
 (digi) 422-2550 or  
 email [fiona\\_m\\_black@yahoo.com](mailto:fiona_m_black@yahoo.com) if you have questions.



**KOTE2014**  
**BALANCE**  
KINGSTON ON THE EDGE - URBAN ART FESTIVAL

**OPENING NIGHT**  
**FRI JUNE 20 8PM**  
REDBONES / 1 ARGYLE RD  
CONTRIBUTION: \$1500 / \$1000 STUDENTS WITH ID

MUSICAL PERFORMANCES BY:

**BRAINSTORM** - JAZZY, FUNKY HIP HOP  
**JASON WORTON** - FRESH OFF TOURING THE WORLD, THIS GUITARIST BRINGS HIS INIMITABLE FUSION MUSIC TO THE STAGE.  
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 Emerge / COREY R. BRENEISEN  
 CHRIS CHINN  
 INANSI  
 RAMONE JOHNSON  
 AUDREY LYNCH  
 A Collaborative Mural / CHARL BAKER  
 Thought Maps / KATHERINE SILVERA

Live performance painting / ANTWAIN CLARKE, TAJ FRANCIS, RICHARD NATTOO & DJAZ