



## Cuba Dinner

The MIC's monthly cultural dinner was last Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>. The dinner series was over the country of Cuba. Thanks to all who came out to be a part of this event.

## Discovery Boxes

A new addition has been added to the Discovery Boxes. The Steam Box was developed by Dr. Penny Ball and Sandi Polewski. For interest in a Discovery Box, contact the MIC at (972)-572-0462.

## North Texas Dallas Exhibit

An international hat exhibit, created by Margaret Moran will place the exhibition on show at UNT-Dallas in November.

MIC is excited to expand its exhibits to the students of UNT-D. The exhibit may be viewed in the lobby of Building A on campus.

# MUSEUM OF INTERNATIONAL CULTURES

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## New Year For MIC

The Museum of International Cultures began a new year on October 1st and with this new year came change. Gwen Brown has taken a leadership role as chair for the museum as of the start of this new year.

The first month of the new year for the MIC has brought about much change. New exhibits, interns and board members have come in to work with the MIC. The biggest change occurred with a transition of a new chair for the museum. Gwen Brown is now in place as chair. Brown has a bachelor's degree and master's degree in the field of education. She attended Prairie A&M University for both of her degrees. Brown is now retired from education after working for Dallas Independent School District for many years.

The MIC is very excited for the leadership that Gwen Brown will bring to the board. Many excellent things are yet to come for the MIC and we look forward to the direction that Gwen Brown will take the museum.

## Painting for Sale

There are many exquisite items that the MIC has for sale.

For instance, the picture shown to the right is a painting by PJ McClendon of a native Papua New Guinea tribesman. This creative painting is on sale now for \$250.

If interested, pay a visit to the MIC or give us a call, we would be happy to give you any further information regarding this painting or any other items for sale.



## Announcements

### Appreciation of Service

The MIC wants to especially thank the board members who have rotated off the Board of Trustees at the conclusion of this past year.

A special thanks to:

- Raul Trevino
- Angie Hammond
- Dr. Sheryl Santos-Hatchet

On behalf of everyone associated with the MIC, we thank you for your service on the board.

### Special Thanks

The MIC wants to thank all who came out to attend the Pumpkin Fest a few weeks ago. It was a very exciting day for the museum. We hope that everyone who was in attendance had a good time at this festival! We greatly appreciate all of the support given to us on this day and hope to see many of those in attendance at the MIC again in the future.

### First Saturday Sale

The International Expressions Gift Shop will be holding a first Saturday sale every month. Every first Saturday of the month, the MIC will have unique items for sale.

The next sale will occur on November 4<sup>th</sup> from 10 am until 2 pm. With the purchase of 25 dollars' worth of items, you will receive a free pass to tour the exhibits of the museum for free.

### Salute to Service, Nov. 9th

On November 9<sup>th</sup>, the MIC will be hold special event that salutes the veterans who have served this country in any capacity. All veterans and their families are invited to attend this event and the Dallas VA Medical Center patients will be honored guest.

Country-western singer, Dr. Bill White, will be performing live at this event, as the museum alutes your service to this country.

### Craigslist Sales

There are multiple items for sale on the MIC's Craigslist account. Some items for sale include:

- 1840's antique couch for \$500
- A table set for \$500
- Wicker stools for \$20

The Craigslist page will be online shortly. Look for announcements regarding the page in future MIC Newsletters.

### Keep in Touch with the MIC

To get more information regarding the MIC, you can visit: [www.micmuseumofcultures.org](http://www.micmuseumofcultures.org).

You can call us at: (972)-572-0462.

Also, connect with us on Facebook and Twitter.