

Buffalo Myanmar Water Festival Committee

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**BUFFALO
WATER FESTIVAL**

Saturday, June 30th 2018, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Grant Street (between Auburn Ave. and Breckenridge St.)

Buffalo, NY 14213

The Annual Burmese Water Festival will be held on Saturday, June 30th 2018, coinciding with the Taste of Diversity on the Grant Street in order to promote and celebrate diversity and progress of the City of Good Neighbors. The theme of this year Water Festival is “Diversity and Progress through Water.”

The Water Festival is the most important cultural event of the Burmese community in Buffalo as it celebrates Burmese New Year. Water-throwing to one another is the distinguishing feature of this festival—the throwing of water is intended to metaphorically wash away one's sins of the previous year, and to welcome a lunar new year with a fresh start. In addition to traditional water-throwing, we are also hosting cultural and traditional dances of diverse ethnic people of Burma/Myanmar, popular stage performances, ethnic foods, and other fun activities on the festival day.

Everyone in Western New York—and beyond—is invited to come and celebrate our most important cultural event.

The event is organized by the Buffalo Myanmar Water Festival Committee.