

African Pop Culture Spotlight: May 2026 Entertainment & Events!

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1. Which Nigerian Afrobeats star is set to release their fourth studio album, 'M\$NEY', on May 1, 2026?

- A) Wizkid
- B) Burna Boy
- C) Asake**
- D) Davido

2. The New York African Film Festival (NYAFF) in 2026 will spotlight films from which continent and its diaspora, and will include over 14 feature films and 25 short films?

- A) Asia
- B) Africa**
- C) Europe
- D) South America

3. The 'Spirit of Africa' festival, a celebration of music, dance, and culture, is scheduled to take place on May 16, 2026, at which U.S. city's Seattle Center?

- A) New York
- B) Los Angeles
- C) Seattle**
- D) Chicago

4. The 'Colors of Africa' art exhibit, which celebrates the continent's richness and legacy through themes like 'Kings & Queens' and 'Gods of Egypt', will be in Jacksonville, FL from May 29-31, 2026. Which other U.S. cities are also part of this exhibit's tour in 2026?

- A) Miami and Atlanta
- B) Chicago and Houston
- C) Pittsburgh and Albany**
- D) Boston and Philadelphia

5. The Pan-African Festival Weekend in San Antonio, Texas, which promotes unity and culture, is scheduled to include a 'Taste of Africa' event on Friday, May 1, 2026. What is the date of the main Pan African Festival event during this weekend?

- A) May 2, 2026**
- B) May 3, 2026
- C) May 4, 2026
- D) May 5, 2026

6. The Africa Rising Music Conference (ARMC) is set to return to Johannesburg, South Africa, on May 22-23, 2026. This conference aims to champion underrepresented voices and innovation in the global music ecosystem. Which of these artists is announced as a headline speaker for ARMC 2026?

- A) Yemi Alade
- B) Sarkodie
- C) TRESOR**
- D) Rema

7. The International Africa Festival, established in 1989 and considered the largest and oldest festival of African music and culture in Europe, is held annually in which German city?

- A) Berlin
- B) Munich
- C) Hamburg
- D) Würzburg**

8. Afro Fashion Week Los Angeles 2026 is scheduled for May 2, 2026, at the Alkebulan Cultural Center in Pasadena, CA. This event celebrates African culture, fashion, and creativity. What is the primary focus of the fashion showcase?

- A) Sustainable African textiles
- B) A blend of traditional and modern African fashion**
- C) African streetwear trends
- D) Haute couture inspired by ancient Egypt

9. Dak'Art - Biennale of Contemporary African Art, a significant event in the African art calendar, is scheduled to take place in Dakar, Senegal, during which months in 2026?

- A) March-April
- B) May-June**
- C) July-August
- D) September-October

10. The 'Project a Black Planet: The Art and Culture of Panafrica' exhibition, examining the influence of Pan-Africanism on artistic and cultural production, is a highlight of the Barbican's Summer 2026 season in which city?

- A) New York
- B) Paris
- C) London**
- D) Johannesburg

11. Which city is hosting the Africa Live Entertainment Conference (ALEC) from March 5-7, 2026, an inaugural event designed to bring together key players from Africa's live entertainment and tourism sectors?

- A) Nairobi, Kenya
- B) Lagos, Nigeria
- C) Cape Town, South Africa
- D) Johannesburg, South Africa**

12. The FameNet Reality TV Show, a music promotion event for rising African artists, will be broadcast live on Rave TV across five weekends in which month of 2026?

- A) April
- B) May**
- C) June
- D) July