

MIDDLE-EASTERN DRUMMING WORKSHOPS

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2011

with

RAQUY DANZIGER, from Brooklyn, NY / Istanbul, TURKEY

Workshops take place in the Canucks Family Education Centre on the Britannia Centre site. This space is above Eastside Family Place at 1655 William Street, on Grandview Park just off of Commercial Drive.

**ALL LEVELS WORKSHOP - MIDDLE-EASTERN RHYTHMS: 6:00pm - 7:30pm**  
**\$20 per person**

The focus of this workshop is on learning traditional middle-eastern rhythms, odd meters, soloing and accompaniment. Some basic dumbek technique will be demonstrated, if you have a dumbek.

**INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED WORKSHOP: 7:45pm - 9:15pm**  
**\$25 per person**

This class will cover some more advanced technique and rhythms for the dumbek. We will learn:- Turkish Split Hand Technique, Snaps, Various Finger Rolls, Odd-metered Rhythms.

**TAKE BOTH CLASSES FOR \$35!**

You can bring any drum to these workshops, but dumbek is preferred for Int/Adv class. Beginners will be taught the basics of middle-eastern rhythms and dumbek technique, while more experienced percussionists will be taught more advanced material. -The workshop is also useful for belly-dancers. Some drums will be available for rent (\$5), but must be booked in advance.

**Register for these workshops:**

778-886-8908 or email: [caravan@telus.net](mailto:caravan@telus.net).

For information please see: [www.caravanbc.com](http://www.caravanbc.com).

NOTE: Registration is done through above contact information only.

**ABOUT RAQUY DANZIGER**

Raquy is one of the most popular performers, teachers and composers of Middle Eastern Drumming today. Raquy has studied and performed with top musicians and ensembles in the US, Egypt, Turkey, India and other distant countries, where she has experienced and absorbed vast amounts of musical culture. She has also published several instructional books, and released 6 CD's with her band Raquy & the Cavemen. Raquy is an inspiration to scores of students at workshops, drumming camps and retreats around the world.

See [www.raquy.com](http://www.raquy.com).

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