

Sauti za Busara 2026 Official Festival Timetable

THURSDAY 05

Main Stage



17:40 - 18:30 **Alamokha** (Tanzania)
Acoustic • Fusion • Soul

19:05 - 19:55 **Rajab Suleiman & Kithara** (Zanzibar)
Taarab • Traditional

20:00 **Welcome Note from Festival Director**

20:20 - 21:10 **Labdi** (Kenya)
Spiritual • Traditional • Urban

21:30 - 22:20 **Tarajazz** (Zanzibar)
Taarab • Jazz • Fusion

22:40 - 23:40 **Kara Sylla Ka & Baye Fall Band**
(Senegal & Switzerland) Afrobeat • Reggae

FRIDAY 06

Mivinje Stage



20:40 - 21:30 **Bilal Irshed Trio**
(Denmark, Ghana, & Palestine)
Acoustic • Fusion • Jazz

22:00 - 22:50 **Alamokha** (Tanzania)
Acoustic • Fusion • Soul

23:20 - 00:10 **Magomamoto Theatre Group**
(Tanzania) Ngoma • Theatre

Main Stage



19:05 - 19:55 **DCMA Young Stars**
(Zanzibar) Kidumbak • Taarab

20:00 **Words of Welcome**

20:20 - 21:10 **Pilani Bubu**
(South Africa) Jazz • Fusion

21:30 - 22:20 **Ancestors** (Togo)
Reggae • Spiritual • Roots

22:40 - 23:30 **Ben Pol** (Tanzania)
Bongo Flava

00:00 - 01:00 **Man Fongo** (Tanzania)
Singeli • Traditional

Busara+ at Fumba Town

Free Entry + Free Shuttles

Every 30 mins from Forodhani Gardens to Fumba



10:00 - 17:00 **Kwetu Kwenu Community Market**
Local goods & produce

10:00 - 12:20 **DJ Yusuf** (UK)
Pan-African Beats

12:30 - 13:20 **Magomamoto Theatre Group**
(Tanzania) Ngoma

14:00 - 14:50 **Pilani Bubu**
(South Africa) Jazz

15:30 - 16:20 **Abdel Grooz**
(Algeria) Jazz • Fusion



SATURDAY 07

Mivinje Stage



20:10 **Emerson Foundation Award**

20:20 - 21:05 **Ahamada Smis**
(Comoros) Fusion

21:25 - 22:10 **Mama C & The Fusion Band**
(Tanzania) Afrobeat

22:30 - 23:20 **Kaya Byinshii**
(Rwanda) Spiritual

23:40 - 00:30 **Hammer Q**
(Tanzania) Taarab Hop

Main Stage



19:05 - 19:55 **Swahili Encounters**
(Various) Collaboration

20:00 **Words from Busara Board**

20:20 - 21:10 **Sousou and Maher Cissoko**
(Senegal & Sweden) Acoustic

21:30 - 22:20 **Man Kifimbo**
(Tanzania) Reggae

22:40 - 23:30 **Abdel Grooz**
(Algeria) Fusion • Jazz

00:00 - 01:00 **Lindigo** (Réunion)
Maloya Power

SUNDAY 08

Main Stage



19:05 - 19:55 **Mehmet Polat Quartet**
(Turkey & Netherlands) Acoustic • Fusion • Jazz

20:00 **Closing Note from Managing Director**

20:20 - 21:10 **Nara Couto** (Brazil)
Spiritual • Jazz

21:30 - 22:20 **Seby Ntege** (Uganda)
Fusion • Traditional

22:40 - 23:30 **Atanda & Afrojazz Messengers**
(Nigeria & UK) Afrobeat

00:00 - 01:10 **Salif Keita** (Mali)
Roots • Fusion • Traditional