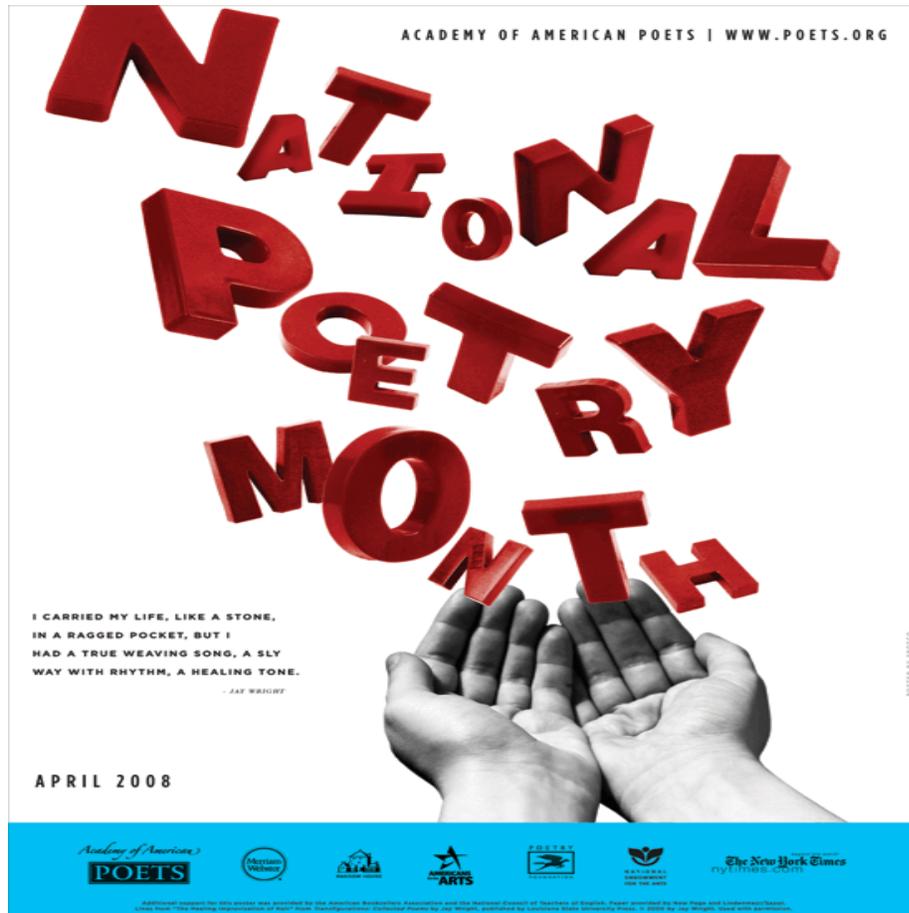


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<http://www.poets.org/page.php/prmID/41>

National Poetry Month was established by the Academy of American Poets as a month-long, national celebration of poetry.

At the American Corner

**Poetry Reading in honor of National Poetry Month
April, 10th at 18:00 o'clock**

Jazz Appreciation Month

LIVE it

LOVE it

LEARN it

What is Jazz

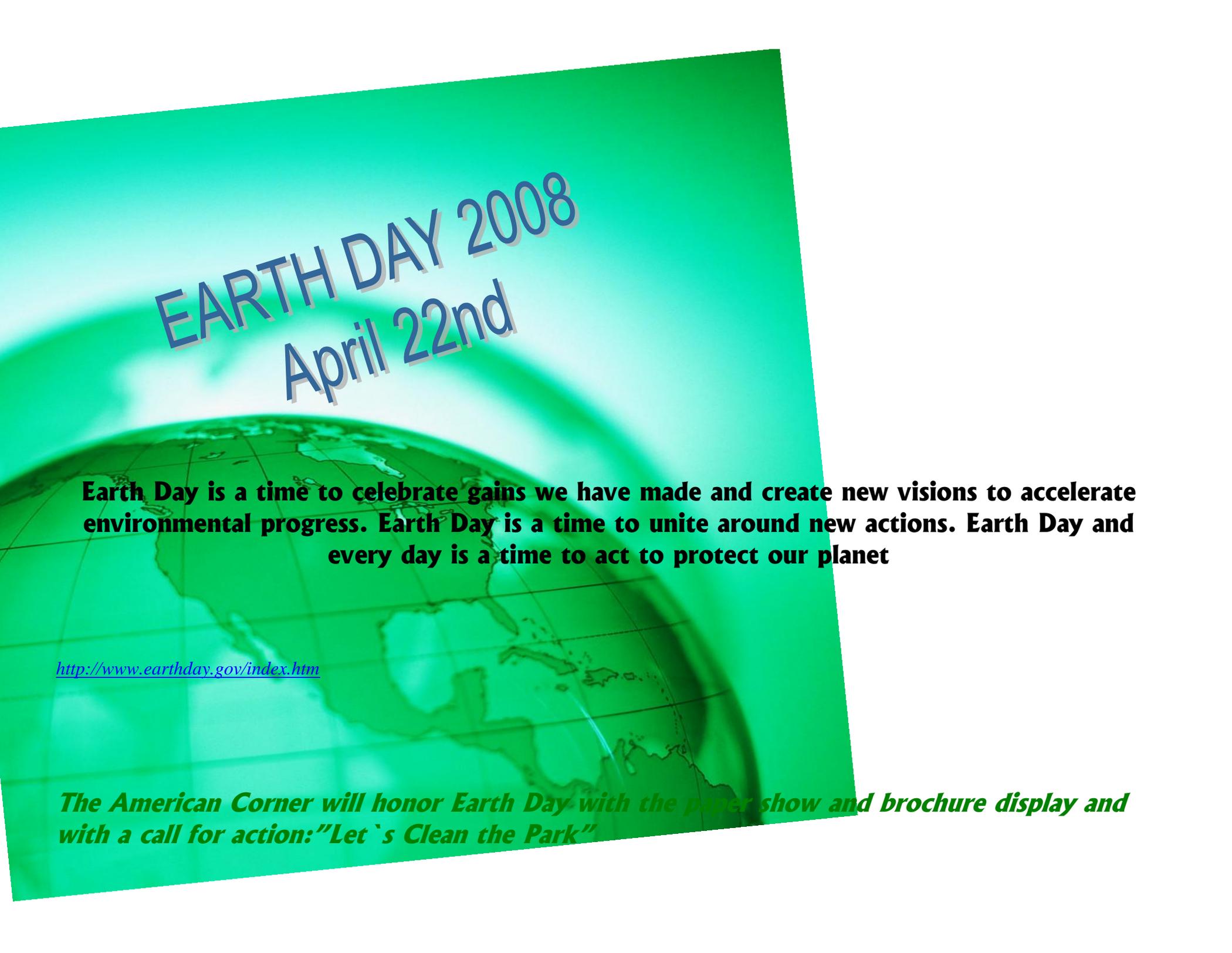
Appreciation Month?

The concept is simple: designate one month for an annual public spotlight on jazz. Jazz Appreciation Month (or JAM) is intended to draw public attention to the glories of jazz as both an historical and a living treasure. The idea is to encourage musicians, concert halls, schools, colleges, museums, libraries, and public broadcasters to offer special programs on jazz every April.

http://www.smithsonianjazz.org/jam/jam_start.asp



**American Corner Tetovo
will be honoring
Jazz Appreciation Month
with a Video Showing Series “Jazz: A Film by Ken Burns”**



EARTH DAY 2008

April 22nd

Earth Day is a time to celebrate gains we have made and create new visions to accelerate environmental progress. Earth Day is a time to unite around new actions. Earth Day and every day is a time to act to protect our planet

<http://www.earthday.gov/index.htm>

The American Corner will honor Earth Day with the paper show and brochure display and with a call for action: "Let`s Clean the Park"

American Corner' Tetovo's April Program

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

	1 Presentation by Joseph Beck, U.S. Professor "Intellectual Property Law" 17:00 o'clock English Conversation Hour 18:00 o'clock	2 Video Showing "Jazz: A Film By Ken Burns" Episode 1 "Gumbo" 18:00 o'clocks	3	4 <i>April is National Poetry Month</i>	5
7 Children Hour 13:00	8 English Conversation Hour 18:00 o'clock	9 Video Showing "Jazz: A Film By Ken Burns" Episode 1 "The Gift" 18:00 o'clocks	10 Poetry reading in honor of National Poetry Month <i>with PCV Melissa Hauke</i> 18:00 o'clock	11 <i>April is Jazz Appreciation Month</i>	12
14 Workshop "Writing to Express Yourself Well" 18:00 o'clock	15 English Conversation Hour 18:00 o'clock	16 Video Showing Edgar Allan Poe Episodes 'A journey in Verse' and 'The Tell-Tale Heart' 18:00 o'clock	17	18 <i>In April is Earth Day /Arbor Day</i>	19
21 <i>Paper show and brochure display in honor of Earth Day</i>	22 Presentation by Tom Navratil, Deputy Chief of Mission "U.S. Foreign Policy Process" 17:00 o'clock	23 Video Showing "Saturn's Titan- Voyage to the Mystery Moon" 18: 00 o'clock	24 Presentation by Atanas Kocovski, "Scientific and technological innovations for greater economic revitalization" 18:00 o'clock	25	26 A Call for Action: "Let's Clean the Park" 13:00 o'clock
28 CLOSED	29 English Conversation Hour 18:00 o'clock	30 Video Showing in honor of Arbor Day "The Living Edens- Big Sur: California's Wild Coast" 18:00 o'clock	FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT US AT: AMERICAN CORNER TETOVO HOUSE OF CULTURE STR. ILIRIA, NN 044 332 183		



HIGHLIGHTS FROM MARCH CALENDAR

On March 4, 2008, the American Corner Tetova has the honor to host an architect from the USA, Mr. Sean Vance. His topic was about Universal Design, an issue that deals with the architecture for people with special needs. This event included about 50 people. Within the guests were professors and students from the Architecture Faculty of the State University of Tetovo, members from the NGO "Handicap" which were persons on the wheelchairs and persons with disabilities, as well as other people that were interested on this topic.

The American Corner Tetovo, on March 13, 2008, hosted two officers from the U.S. Embassy in Skopje, Mr. James A. Catto and Ms Valbona Reka. They presented some important information about visa procedure for the Work and Travel program in USA and also those who wants to go to the US as students. There were about 40 participants, mostly students, and persons who have already been to USA through this program.

American Corner Tetovo on March 20th, 2008 organized the presentation “Opportunities for Students in the USA”. There were about 50 people attending this presentation, students and professors.

Ms. Amy Storrow, Assistant Public Affairs Officer in the US Embassy led this event and Fulbright Scholars and Students Cristina Rodriguez, Florim Ajdini and Judy Richardson spoke from their perspective about the experience of being Fulbright student, which are the benefit, which places offer the best education at universities...

Gazmend Ilazi, Educational Affairs Assistant in the US Embassy, spoke about the educational programs organized with the support of the State Department, what are the criteria to get the scholarship, what are the necessary documents for application and how to apply for any of the programs.

