

Highlander Homecoming Schedule



Friday, September 19

7:00 – 9:00 pm

Happy Birthday Helen Lewis! Join us and Helen's friends from across the region and the country here at Highlander to wish a happy 90th birthday to the Mother of Appalachian Studies, longtime troublemaker, radical scholar, and former Highlander staff member and Interim Director Helen Lewis!

Saturday, September 20

10:00 am – 9:00 pm

Registration opens at 8:00 am

	Main Tent	Workshop Center	Library/ Resource Center	Cultural Pavilion	Suite
10 am	10 am – Noon: Opening plenary Opening plenary with Bob Moses, Felipe Vargas, Sarita Gupta, and Tanya Turner				10 am – 5 pm: Children's Program
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Noon	12:30 – 1:30 pm: Lunch in Dining Room		Noon – 1:30 pm: Bookstore Open	12:30 – 1:30 pm: Lunch in Dining Room	
1 pm					
2	1:30 – 4:00: Strategic Conversation on Building Community and Movements with Kierra Sims	1:30– 4:00: Strategic Conversation on Democratic Participation with Esmeralda Baltazar and Tufara Waller Muhammad	1:30 – 4:00: Strategic Conversation on Education for Liberation with Susan Williams	1:30 – 4:00: Work with Artist-in-Residence Ndume Olatushani	
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4	4:15 – 5:15: Large group conversation with remarks by Bob Moses				
5					
6	5:30 – 6:30: Dinner in Dining Room		5:30 – 6:30 pm: Bookstore Open	5:30 – 6:30: Dinner in Dining Room	
7	6:30 – 7:15: Celebration of Highlander's new Lilian Johnson Lodge and Success of the Capital Campaign				
8	7:30 – 8:30: Community Sing with Bettie Mae Fikes				



Sunday, September 21

9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Registration opens at 8:00 am

	Main Tent	Workshop Center	Library/ Resource Center	Cultural Pavilion	Suite
9	9:00 – 10:15: From Appalachia to Kenya: Land, Extraction, Displacement and Development with Appalachian Transition Fellows and Ben Koissaba		9:00 – 10:15: Author-Activist Discussion of <i>Delta Fragments</i> with Dr. John Oliver Hodges		9 am – 1 pm: Children's Program
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11	10:30 – 11:45: Cooperative Economics with Esmeralda Baltazar and Ed Whitfield	10:30 – 11:45: Screening and discussion of <i>Maestra</i> with Catherine Murphy			
Noon	Noon – 12:45: Large group closing				
1 pm	1:00 – 2:00: Lunch in Dining Room				

Map

