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Bambazo Dance at Pregones

The Bronx Council on the Arts and Pregones Theater present the world premiere of Milteri Tucker's dance concert *La Bomba Me Llama*, performed by the Bombazo Dance Company in collaboration with Jose Ortiz and Bombay.

The 7 p.m. performance will take place at Pregones Theater (571-575 Walton Avenue, off the Grand Concourse at 149th Street).

Admission is free and all are residents are welcome. Pregones is wheelchair accessible.

This performance is one of the many Bronx Culture Trolley activities scheduled that evening. Visit www.bronxarts.org

for more information on this performance and the Bronx Culture Trolley.

La Bomba Me Llama fuses the contagious rhythms of Afro-Puerto Rican Bomba with Modern and West African Dance. It is a journey of a young lady, Tere, in search of her cultural roots. Along the way she finds the joys of love and its deception; never losing faith, she finds her true love and passion for life.

And in that discovery, the spirits of her African ancestors call!! Their voices and rhythms show her the way to who she is becoming and where she belongs.

Featured members of the Bombazo Dance Com-

pany: Jilliana Richcrick, Oscar Manuel, Dharma A. Padron, Charles Brown, Teresa Cuevas, Fabian Zarta, Esther Antoine, William Tucker, and Milteri Tucker. Special Guest Artists: ABRANTE, Billy T EL Negro, Oreste Abrante, Jose "Dr. Drum" Ortiz, and Zuleinette Ralat.

Choreographer Milteri Tucker is a member and lead dancer of the Bronx's Danza Fiesta and also dances with world-renowned choreographer Maria Torres.

Pregones Theater is located at 571-575 Walton Avenue.

For more information call (718) 585-1202 or www.pregones.org.