

# New Drums for Sale

## Raks Festival Workshop March 27th



Hi,

Just letting you know that I will have some new (different) djembe drums for sale, as well as the usual Egyptian Tabla drums in various colours (\$175), at the upcoming Raks Festival drumming workshop with Malfouf on March 27th.

These new djembes are very different to traditional timber body and goat skin djembes, as these have a fibreglass body, and a mylar skin, which creates some advantages such as -

- \* Only 1/3 the weight of a timber djembe, much lighter to carry, great for traveling or carrying around music festivals etc.
- \* The sound quality is exceptional and the best I've heard from a non timber and goat skin drum, and the mylar skin looks similar to a genuine goat skin.
- \* The sound is unaffected by humid / wet weather, can even play it in the rain!!!!
- \* Pretty much no work to keep them tuned, just like the Egyptian Tablas.
- \* Hand picked quality, and really well made, I expect the skin to last much longer than a traditional goat skin.
- \* They come in blue or yellow. See photos
- \* Can be played upright same as a normal African djembe, but also very easy to play across your lap same as tabla drums.
- \* Full size height at 2' (ie 60cm) high, just right for seated playing.
- \* Easy to strap & play while walking.

\* Perfect for beginners or some one wanting to add more bass to their drum collection.

\* Local construction and 3 month guarantee. Price, only \$220! Timber and goat skin djembes cost approx \$300 + , and need a new goat skin every 3 or 4 years at a cost of \$80 approx.

If you are interested, please let me know asap, so I can bring extras on the day, however I will have 1 blue and 1 yellow with me on the day for sale and try, and I will have various colours in the Egyptian Tabla range for \$175 each. Much cheaper to buy straight from me than pay shipping costs later!

Hope to see you on the 27th,

*Malfouf*

