

## It is time to dance with the Fort Collins Drum and Dance Collective



The Fort Collins Drum and Dance Collective is proud to offer dance classes from 6:30-8pm on Sundays at Club Tico near City Park.

- March 22<sup>nd</sup> Carla teaches Kuku for \$7
- March 29<sup>th</sup> Carla teaches Kuku for \$7

Please feel free to buy a punch card. You get 6 classes for \$30. Punch cards may be used for the two classes above.

Drum classes are offered at Club Tico on Sundays from 5-6:30pm.  
Schedule of Drum Classes:

- March 22<sup>nd</sup> learn Kuku for \$10
- March 29<sup>th</sup> learn Kuku for \$10

Kuku is a rhythm from the **Manian** ethnic group in the forest region of Guinea around the city of Beyla (Not far from the Ivory-coast border). It is one of the most popular west African rhythms. In Guinea, it is played in many different celebration occasions, and at very different speed, depending on the region. It was originally played without Doundoumba/Sangban/Kenkeni for women to dance when returning from fishing. In this area, Malinke people have migrated and mixed with the people from the forest. Another fast version of this rhythm is played by **Maoka** ethnic group.



If you would like any additional information please feel free to visit our web site at [www.fcdrumanddance.com](http://www.fcdrumanddance.com).

### Performances:

Fale will be performing at the Lincoln Center in the New Visions Dance Festival on Friday, March 28<sup>th</sup> and Saturday March 29<sup>th</sup>. Shows start at 7:30pm. Get your tickets by calling the Lincoln Center Box Office at 970-221-6735.