

## Fall 2006 MEMBERS EVENTS

---

### **An Enchanted Saturday Night with Keshav Das**

Saturday, October 14, 2006

7:30-9:30pm

Kirtan is the ancient practice of chanting, and is one of the most profound yet uplifting ways of calming the mind, purifying the body, opening the heart, and elevating the spirit. Keshav Das, a *kirtan-wallah* (player) and professional musician, will lead Open Center members in a joyful and inspiring evening of devotional music and song, followed by refreshments and conversation. No musical experience is necessary.

**Keshav Das** has recorded with Krishna Das on the Triloka label and is a regular accompanist with Krishna Das. He has also performed with Jai Uttal, Steve Gorn, Jeff Buckley, Narendra Budakar, Rakesh Prasanna, Ayub Khan, Gulam Mohammed Khan, Dave Stringer and the Dervishes of Masjid Al Farah.

**This event will take place at the New York Open Center.**

---

### **Winter Party and Artisan Showcase**

Saturday, December 2, 2006

7:30-9:30pm

Kick off the season with *an Open Center party* and artisan showcase. Revel in music and dance, refreshments, fabulous company **and** take care of holiday shopping! Explore our marketplace for unique handicrafts and edible delights, and support our favorite artisans as you find meaningful and beautiful gifts for loved ones. Together, let's greet winter in high style.

**This event will take place at the New York Open Center.**

**To RSVP for these events, call Andrea Lomanto at 212.219-2527, ext. 101 or [members@opencenter.org](mailto:members@opencenter.org).**