

MSG 2011 CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Dates	Activity/Event	Location	Comments
January			
1	New Years day		
10	Briefing of New MSG Chair on Secretariat Budget and WP 2011	Suva	
February			
16-17	MSG Council of Arts and Culture Meeting	Secretariat Port Vila	Meeting confirmed
16 - 17	Special SOM and FMM	Nadi, Fiji	Meetings confirmed
21	Lini Memorial Day	Vanuatu	Public Holiday
24	Sub-Committee on Security Meeting	Secretariat Port Vila	
25	Sub-Committee on Legal and Institutional Issues Meeting	Secretariat Port Vila	
March			
5	Custom Chiefs Day	Vanuatu	Public Holiday
7-10	Symposium in New Caledonia	New Caledonia	
22	Services Sub-Committee	Suva <i>tbc</i>	
23	2 nd Police Commissioner's Conference	Suva, Fiji	
23-24	TEOM-Trade and Economic Officials Meeting <i>23 March 2007-Leaders signed the Agreement to Establish the Melanesian Spearhead Group/Constitution (4 years ago)</i>	Suva, Fiji	
25	SOM-Senior Officials Meeting	Suva, Fiji	
28	SOM	Suva, Fiji	
29	FMM	Suva, Fiji	
31	LEADERS Summit	Suva, Fiji	
April			
13-14	MSG Fisheries Technical Advisory Committee Meeting	PNG (tentative)	
22	<i>Good Friday</i>		<i>Public Holiday</i>
25	<i>Easter Monday</i>		<i>Public Holiday</i>
May			
2	Labour Day	Vanuatu	Public Holiday
9-10	Customs and Quarantine Sub-Committee Meeting	<i>tba</i>	

11-12	MSG Sports Committee Meeting	Secretariat Vanuatu	
11-13	Services Sub-Committee Meeting	<i>tba</i>	
June			
2	Ascension	Vanuatu	Public Holiday
6	Working Group on Police Cooperation	Nadi, Fiji (<i>tbc</i>)	
8-9	MSG Sub-Committee on Economic and Social Development	Secretariat Vanuatu	
20	Follow up visit to New Caledonia	<i>tbc</i>	
July			
4	Regional Workshop on International Crime Cooperation	Secretariat Vanuatu	
5	Regional Workshop on Reciprocal Enforcement of Foreign Judgments	Secretariat Vanuatu	
6	Regional Workshop on Custody and Maintenance of Children	Secretariat Vanuatu	
7	Sub-Committee on Legal & Institutional Issues (2 nd meeting for 2011)	Secretariat Vanuatu	
	Independence Day	Solomon Islands	Public Holiday
13-14	Ministers of Finance Meeting	Secretariat Vanuatu	
20	Workshop on Niue Treaty	<i>tba</i>	
22	Sub-Committee on Security	<i>tbc</i>	
25	Children's Day/Journee Mondiale des Enfants	Vanuatu	Public Holiday
30	Independence Day	Vanuatu	Public Holiday
August			
8-10	Services Sub-Committee Meeting		
15	Assumption Day	Vanuatu	Public Holiday
17-18	Workshop on Alternative Indicators of Well-Being	Secretariat Vanuatu Vanuatu	
September			
1-2	Fiji Engaging with the Pacific	Fiji	

5	Follow up visit to New Caledonia	<i>tbc</i>	
16	Independence Day	Papua New Guinea	Public Holiday in PNG
1-3 <i>tbc</i>	Pacific Forum	NZ	For information
October			
5	Constitution Day	Vanuatu	Public Holiday
10	Independence Day	Fiji	Public Holiday in Fiji
<i>tba</i>	MSG Budget and WP	Secretariat Vanuatu	
24-25	Trade and Economic Officials Meeting		
November			
29	Unity Day	Vanuatu	Public Holiday
December			
25	<i>Christmas Day</i>		<i>Public Holiday</i>
26	<i>Boxing Day</i>		<i>Public Holiday</i>