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BLACK BROOKLYN DRUM CALL (Saturday) For once, many sounds of the African diaspora will all be in one place: that's Grand Army Plaza in Brooklyn, where many of the borough's musicians will hold a drumming festival illustrating 10 cultural styles, including those of Ghana, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica and the Dominican Republic. Sponsored by the Brooklyn Arts Council and opening the summer season of the yearlong initiative Black Brooklyn Renaissance, the event will include drum-making workshops and audience involvement; children are encouraged to take their own drums. From 2 to 5:30 p.m., Flatbush Avenue and Eastern Parkway , (718) 625-0080, brooklynartscouncil.org; free.