



Saint Mary's University

In Partnership with

The Nova Scotia-Gambia Association

Present

# Running the Sahara

A film screening with special guest Ray Zahab



In support of Love4Gambia



When: **Thursday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Time: **6pm**

Where:

**Sobey's Scotiabank Theatre,  
Saint Mary's University,  
903 Robie Street, Halifax, NS**

Tickets: **\$20**

Can be purchased online at  
[www.nehst.com](http://www.nehst.com), the NSGA office at  
**423-1360**, or at **Aerobics First** (6166  
Quinpool Rd.)

*Purchase your tickets early. Capacity is 200.*

**All guests will receive a free copy of  
*Running the Sahara*, and the chance  
to meet the star of the film, Ray  
Zahab!**

For over 25 years, the **Nova Scotia-Gambia Association** (NSGA) has worked in partnership with West Africans & Canadians to build healthy communities in The Gambia. NSGA staff and Canadian volunteers use peer education, theatre, community cinema, and radio to help youth and community members gain the knowledge and the skills they need to live happy and healthy lives.

**Love4Gambia** is the brainchild of avid local runner and NSGA Board Member, **Erin Poirier**. For 17 days straight this July, Erin will run 430km across the country of The Gambia to raise funds and awareness for the NSGA. The money raised will go directly to health education programs throughout The Gambia.

Check out Erin's campaign at [www.love4gambia.com](http://www.love4gambia.com) and check out the work of the NSGA at [www.novascotiagambia.ca](http://www.novascotiagambia.ca)

In 2006, Ray Zahab and two other runners set out to cross the Sahara Desert by foot. After 111 days and 7500 kms, they completed their journey from Senegal to the Red Sea. Running the Sahara is his incredible story ([www.runningthesahara.com](http://www.runningthesahara.com)). Check out Ray's own site at [www.rayzahab.com](http://www.rayzahab.com).



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