



इन्दिरा गाँधी राष्ट्रीय कला केन्द्र (आईजीएनसीए), नई दिल्ली
INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL CENTRE FOR THE ARTS (IGNCA), New Delhi

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE FOR DECEMBER, 2017

Please visit Begum Akhtar Portal at http://ignca.nic.in/begum_akhtar/index.html

Date : 22nd November - 12th December, 2017

Event : **The World of Rock Art Exhibition** in Collaboration with Doon Library and Research Centre, Dehradun and Mahadevi Kanya Pathshala (MKP College) for Girls, Dehradun

Venue: Mahadevi Kanya Pathshala (MKP College, Dehradun) 10, New Road, Dehradun-248001, Uttarakhand

Time: 10.00 am - 4.00 pm

Contact No. : 011-23388014

Date : 25th November - 5th December, 2017

Event : Exhibition **Images of India** in collaboration with M.L. and J.N.K. Girls College, Saharanpur.

Curator : Dr. Virendra Bangroo, IGNCA

Venue : M.L. and J.N.K. Girls College, Saharanpur.

Time : 11.00 am - 3.00 pm

[E-invite](#)

Date : 28th November – 17th December 2017

Event : Lila: An Exhibition on the Ramayana Tradition

The exhibition is built around philosophical, narrative, visual, pictorial and performing aspects of the Ramayana tradition in classical, folk and contemporary contexts. The theme is presented through manuscripts, sculptures, paintings including miniature painting, wooden, bronze, stone, terracotta arts & crafts, textiles, audio-visual and multimedia presentations. The exhibition has specifically designed installations to explain abstract philosophical concepts. One of the highlights of the exhibition is the exhibits from the collection of Kashi Naresh, Banaras and original Ramlila paraphernalia from the world acclaimed Ramnagar Ramlila. Museums all across the country are participating in the exhibition by loaning precious and rare exhibits from their collections. A special lecture series is also being organized around the theme of Ramayana. Special workshops for children are a part of this exhibition.

Venue : Twin Art Gallery, IGNCA, C.V Mess, Janpath, New Delhi – 110001

Time : 11.00 am To 7.00 pm

[E-invite](#)

Contact No. : 011-23388016

Date: 28th November - 3rd December 2017

Event: Lok Gatha Utsav - Festival of traditional arts and crafts

On the occasion of the birth centenary of Rashtrarishi Nanaji Deshmukh, IGNCA in

collaboration with Deendayal Research Institute (DRI) ,New Delhi is organising Lok Gatha Utsav.

The focus of the festival is on oral epics, ballads, and legends in performance, arts & crafts traditions of folk and tribal communities of India. **Around 500 traditional folk artists from all over the country are presenting the rich traditional cultural heritage of India built around their narrative traditions.** This festival will offer a rich variety of traditional crafts, textiles, martial arts, professional theatre, rituals and stage performances. Besides, there will be special arts and crafts workshops for school children to learn from the Artisans. The inaugural performance is the internationally acclaimed "Manganiyar Seduction" from Rajasthan, choreographed by the famous art director and composer Roysten Abel. Shri Manoj Tiwari, Shri Hans Raj Hans, and Shri Mohit Chauhan will regale the audience with their performances every evening.

Highlights of the forthcoming performances to be held from 6.30 pm onwards:

- Shri Manoj Tiwari on 1st December, 2017
- Tetseo sisters, Nagaland on 2nd December, 2017
- Shri Hans Raj Hans on 3rd December, 2017

Venue: IGNCA Mati Ghar Lawns, C. V. Mess, Janpath, New Delhi- 110001

Time: 11 am - 8 pm

[E-invite](#)

Contact No.: 011-23388391/ 23388016

Date : 1st -3rd December, 2017

Event : **Kathakar - International Storytellers Festival** in collaboration with Nivesh. Under Bal Jagat Project, IGNCA is organising a three day international storytellers festival. In which storytellers from United Kingdom, Belgium and Italy are participating and in the Indian Storytelling section, IGNCA has invited Nautanki Group, Shadow Puppet Group, Shri Vishal Bhardwaj, Shri Mohit Chauhan ad Ms. Divya Pathak.

Venue : IGNCA Lawns, 11,Mansingh Road, New Delhi

Time : 9.00 am -12.30 pm (for school children only on 1st & 2nd December, 2017)

4.30 pm -8.30 pm (from 1st -3rd December, 2017)

[E-invite](#)

[Morning session](#)

[Evening Session](#)

Contact No. : 011-23388155 / 9999088105

Date : 5th -7th December, 2017

Event : National Seminar on **Rock Art of Central India with Emphasis on Madhya Pradesh**

Venue : Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Manav Sangrahalaya (IGRMS), Bhopal

Time : 10.00 am – 5.00 pm

Contact No. : 011-23388014

Date : 9th -10th December, 2017

Event : **Kathakar - International Storytellers Festival** in collaboration with Nivesh

Venue : National Centre for Performing Arts, Mumbai.

Time : 6.00 pm

Contact No. : 9999088105

Date : 16th December, 2017

Event : **Special Screening - Atmasambhava**

Gajanan Madhav Muktibodh, born on 13th November 1917, was one of the most prominent Hindi poets of the 20th century. He is widely considered the pioneer of Modern

poetry. The short film focuses on the life and works of the renowned poet. The screening will be followed by a lecture and discussion on the film.

Director: Leeladhar Mandloi

Venue : IGNCA Auditorium, Media Centre, 3 Dr. R. P. Road, New Delhi

Time: 5.00 pm onwards

Contact No.: 011-23388815

In continuation of the commemoration of the birth anniversary of Bharat Ratna M.S. Subbulakshmi, IGNCA is organising exhibition and concerts at its following Regional Centres:

Varanasi

Date : 9th December, 2017

Event : A Concert by Dr. R.S. Nand Kumar (Vocal) accompanied by K.U. Jayachandra (Mridangam), H.K. Narasimhamurthy (Violin), A. Chandan Kumar (Flute), Prof. K. Shashi Kumar (Vocal) and B. Satyavar Prasad (Mridangam).

Venue : Pt. Onkar Nath Thakur Auditorium, B.H.U. , Varanasi

Time : 2.00 pm - 5.30 pm

Date : 11th -18th December, 2017

Event : Exhibition on Bharat Ratna Dr M S Subbulakshmi **Kurai Onrum Illai - MS: A Life in Music**

Venue : Ahivasi Kala Vithika, Faculty of Visual Arts, B.H.U., Varanasi

Time : 10.00 am - 5.00 pm

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Guwahati

Date : 2nd -12th December, 2017

Event : Exhibition on Bharat Ratna Dr M S Subbulakshmi **Kurai Onrum Illai - MS: A Life in Music**

Venue : Shankar Dev Kala Kshetra, Guwahati.

Date : 11th December, 2017

Event : **A concert of Vocal Hindustani Recital by Vidushi Rita Dev**

Venue : Shankar Dev Kala Kshetra, Guwahati.

Contact No.: 09868961279

Goa

Date : 11th - 22nd December, 2017

Event : Exhibition on Bharat Ratna Dr M S Subbulakshmi, **Kurai Onrum Illai - MS: A Life in Music**

Venue : Ravindra Bhawan, SH 5, Fatorda, Margao, Goa 403602

Time : 10.00 am - 5.00 pm

Date : 11th December, 2017

Event ; **Concerts by renowned Flutist Pandit Chetan Joshi and vocal recital by Pandit Sarthi Mukherji**

Venue : Ravindra Bhawan, SH 5, Fatorda, Margao, Goa 403602

Time : 6.00 pm - 9.00 pm

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Vadodara

Date : 7th -12th December, 2017

Event ; Exhibition on Bharat Ratna Dr M S Subbulakshmi **Kurai Onrum Illai - MS: A
Life in Music**

Venue ; Abhivyakti Art Gallery, Vadodara

Time : 10.00 am - 5.00 pm

Date : 11th December, 2017

Event : **Concert by Pt. Sugato Bhaduri, renowned Mandolin Player and Vocal recital by
Vidushi Kalapna Konkli**

Venue ; Abhivyakti Art Gallery, Vadodara

Time : 6.30 pm onwards

Contact No. : 9818257521

Ranchi

Date : 4th -10th December, 2017

Event : Exhibition on Bharat Ratna Dr M S Subbulakshmi **Kurai Onrum Illai - MS: A
Life in Music**

Venue : Audrey House, near Soochna Bhawan, Ranchi

Time: 10.00 am - 5.00 pm

Contact No. : 09868964007

*This month, the seventh chapter of **Sanskriti Samvad Shrinkhla** will focus on **'Shri Krishna Bihari Mishra'***

The details will be provided in the next newsletter.

*A photographic exhibition **'Glorious Ajanta'** on the beautiful paintings and digital restoration of Ajanta Caves will be organised in the first week of January, 2018 at IGNCA.*

The details will be provided very soon.

Date: Thursday, 28th December, 2017

Event: **IGNCA Book Circle @ Reference Library**
Under the Outreach initiative, the IGNCA Book Circle has a monthly event held on the fourth Thursday of every month from 4.00 pm to 5.00 pm

Venue: IGNCA Reference Library, 1st Floor, 11, Mansingh Road, New Delhi.

Time: 4.00 pm to 5.00 pm

Contact: 011-23385884 / 9958878920

FILM CIRCLE SCREENING - 2nd & 4th Friday of every month

Date : 8th December, 2017

Event ; In search of Alha

The film explores passion for Alha Music, a dying oral tradition of the ballad of Alha-Udal, the common warriors who rose to fame with their valour and compassion for the poor. The geographic spread of the ballad spans through Madhya Pradesh, Bihar and Uttar Pradesh.

Director: Balaka Ghosh
Duration: 63 minutes

Venue : IGNCA Auditorium, Media Centre, 3 Dr. R. P. Road, New Delhi

Time: 5.00 pm onwards

Date: 22nd December, 2017

Event : Mudiyettu and Kalamezhuthum Pattum (Ritualistic traditions of Kerala)

Mudiyettu is one of the richest ritualistic traditions of Kerala. A sacred space is created by the drawings of *kalamratyam* symbolizing creation. The songs, ritualistic performances and the effacing of the drawings have been documented in the film.

Director: N. Radhakrishnan

Duration: 61 minutes

Venue : IGNCA Auditorium, Media Centre, 3 Dr. R. P. Road, New Delhi

Time: 5.00 pm onwards

Contact No. : 011-23388815

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We look forward to seeing you at all our programmes.

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Bus routes touching IGNCAs: 615, 522, 521, 505.

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Please visit the permanent Galleries - Raja Deen Dayal Gallery and Lok Rag on the Masks and Puppets of IGNCAs Cultural Archives , Upper basement, 11, Mansingh Road, New Delhi.