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Newsletter of the Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre

JANUARY 2025

Shishur Sankraat
Jammu & Kashmir

Maghi/ Lohri
Haryana, HP, Punjab

Uttarayan
Gujarat,
Rajasthan

Makar Sakraat
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Magh Bihu
Assam / NE

Kicheri
Uttar Pradesh

Makar Sankranti
Maharashtra / M.P

Poush Sankranti
West Bengal

Makara Sankramana
Karnataka

Makar Sankranti
Odisha

Makara Vilakku
Kerala

Pedda Panduya
Andhra Pradesh

Pongal
Tamil Nadu

HAPPY NEW YEAR

EVENTS CALENDAR – JANUARY 2025

WED	1 6:00 am	Online Yoga Session ON THE OCCASION OF INTERNATIONAL CERVICAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH "YOGA FOR CERVICAL SPINE" by Ajay Kumbhar, Yoga Expert from India	MON	13	NATIONAL YOUTH DAY CELEBRATIONS
MON - FRI	6 – 10	INDIAN FILM FESTIVAL	THU	16 6:00 pm	To mark the Pongal Festival an Evening of dance by the disciples of Abhinayakshetra school of dance Venue: SVCC auditorium
THU	9	PRAVASIYA BHARATIYA DIWAS	WED	22	Republic Day Cultural performance at Nelum Pokuna (For further details please follow our social media handles)
FRI	10	WORLD HINDI DIWAS CELEBRATIONS	THU	30 6:00 pm	On the occasion of Martyrs Day, a Lecture Demonstration by Dr. Subashini Pathmanathan followed by Bhajan Venue:SVCC auditorium
SUN	12 6:00 am	Online Yoga Session ON THE OCCASION OF NATIONAL YOUTH DAY "YOGA BY SWAMI VIVEKANANDA" by Ajay Kumbhar, Yoga Expert from India			

For upcoming facebook live events, visit www.facebook.com/ICCRSriLanka

Free Events. All are cordially invited.

We Conduct **CLASSES** on
**Bharatha Natyam, Kathak, Sitar,
Violin, Tabla, Carnatic Vocal,
Hindustani Vocal,
Yoga and Hindi**

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INDIAN FILM FEST 2025



A KABIR KHAN FILM

INAUGURAL
SCREENING

(Invitees Only)

Jan
06

6.30 PM
Audi-04 3D

PVR CINEMA



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TO GET YOUR TICKETS

 RRR K14 001, Faculty of Humanities, University of Kelaniya	 Aatam K14 001, Faculty of Humanities, University of Kelaniya	 Thinking of Him E- Library, Ground Floor, Colombo Public Library	 Reva (Gujarati) Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre	JAN 07
		 Vikram (Tamil) Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre	 Sirf Ek Bandaa Kafi Hein Panibharatha Theatre, University of Visual and Performing Arts	JAN 08
 Toofan Mail Dept of Govt Information, Ministry of Mass Media for Triforces	 Main Atal Hoon New Art Theatre (NAT) University of Colombo	 The Kashmir Files Photography Society of Sri Lanka, Lionel Wendt Memorial Art Centre, Col 7	 Dollu (Kannada) Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre	JAN 09
			 English Vingli World Hindi Day Celebration	JAN 10

NFDC
cinemas of india

National Film Development Corporation of India
Ministry of Information & Broadcasting
Government of India



GLIMPSES OF EVENTS

Cultural Tapestry

held at Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre, High commission of India, Colombo in the month of December 2024

Students of Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre presented a Cultural performance at the International Bazar organized by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Govt. of Sri Lanka on December 7, 2024



An Online Yoga session on the occasion on Bodhi Day Nirvana Yoga: Buddha on December 10, 2024



An online Yoga session on International health coverage day Importance of yoga in health on December 11, 2024

Bhajan Sandhya on the occasion of Gita Jayanti presented by our Hindustani vocal Teacher Shasthrapathi Asith Chanushka Atapattu and his Disciples, was held at SVCC Auditorium on December 11, 2024.



Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre Colombo honored the immortal voice of Mohammad Rafi with a grand musical celebration with Old Hindi Song and Music Lover Society of Sri Lanka on December 23rd 2024. Let the golden voice that defined an era continues to inspire generations.



Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre in collaboration with Tagore Society of Sri Lanka hosted an impressive evening of dance and music in honour of Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore on December 13, 2024. This celebration demanded recognition of Tagore's significant influence on the arts and culture, uniting the community to pay tribute to his enduring legacy.

