



Dhaka International FolkFest 2017: Meet the World of Folk Music

Dhaka International FolkFest 2017 will be a gathering of myriad of Bangladeshi & International folk musicians to perform on a single platform. The online registration will open from 1st of November, 2017 and as always is absolutely free for the audience. Among the local performers are Shahjahan Munshi, Arif Dewan, Fakir Shahabuddin, Shahnaz Beli, Shah Alam Sarkar and Aleya Begum, Baula and Bauliana.

From the mountains of Tibet to the deserts of Sahara, from the valleys of Assam to the forgotten terrains of Persia, from Pakistan to Brazil, comes myriad of stars, a total of 140 folk musicians from across the world. From India comes Nooran Sisters, Papon & Basudeb Das Baul. Grammy Winner Tinariwen from Mali, Mekaal Hasan band from Pakistan, Kutumba from Nepal, Rastak from Iran, Mauricio Tizumba & Sextet from Brazil and Tenzin Choegyal bringing the folk of Tibet.

This colossal festival is jointly organized for the third year by Sun Communications Limited and Maasranga Television to showcase our local talents to the world and in the process become mesmerized by the star studded performances from across the world.

Anyone can enjoy the event for free through online registration. For online registration, visit www.dhakainternationalfolkfest.com. After successful registration, the entry pass will be emailed to you. When entering the venue, you must bring the photo ID used for the registration process and a printed copy of the entry pass. Registration is limited. For details, call 01942-999-666 and further information can be found in the "Dhaka International FolkFest Facebook page. The three (3) day event will have three (3) separate Entry Pass for each day. Audience is requested to bring the correct Entry Pass along with them for each consecutive day to gain access to event.

A press conference was held on 29th of October, 2017 at The Westin Dhaka. Mr. Anjan Chowdhury, Managing Director of Square Toiletries, Square Food & Beverage, Masranga Television and Chairman of Sun Communications Limited, Mr. Syed Mahbubur Rahman,

Managing Director & CEO of Dhaka Bank Limited, Mr. Emaad Ispahani, Director, Ispahani Group, Ms. Farzana Chowdhury, Managing Director and CEO, Green Delta Insurance were present among others during the auspicious occasion.

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