



OVATIONS'26

LUMIÈRA

RULEBOOK

GENERAL RULES • ONSTAGE • OFFSTAGE



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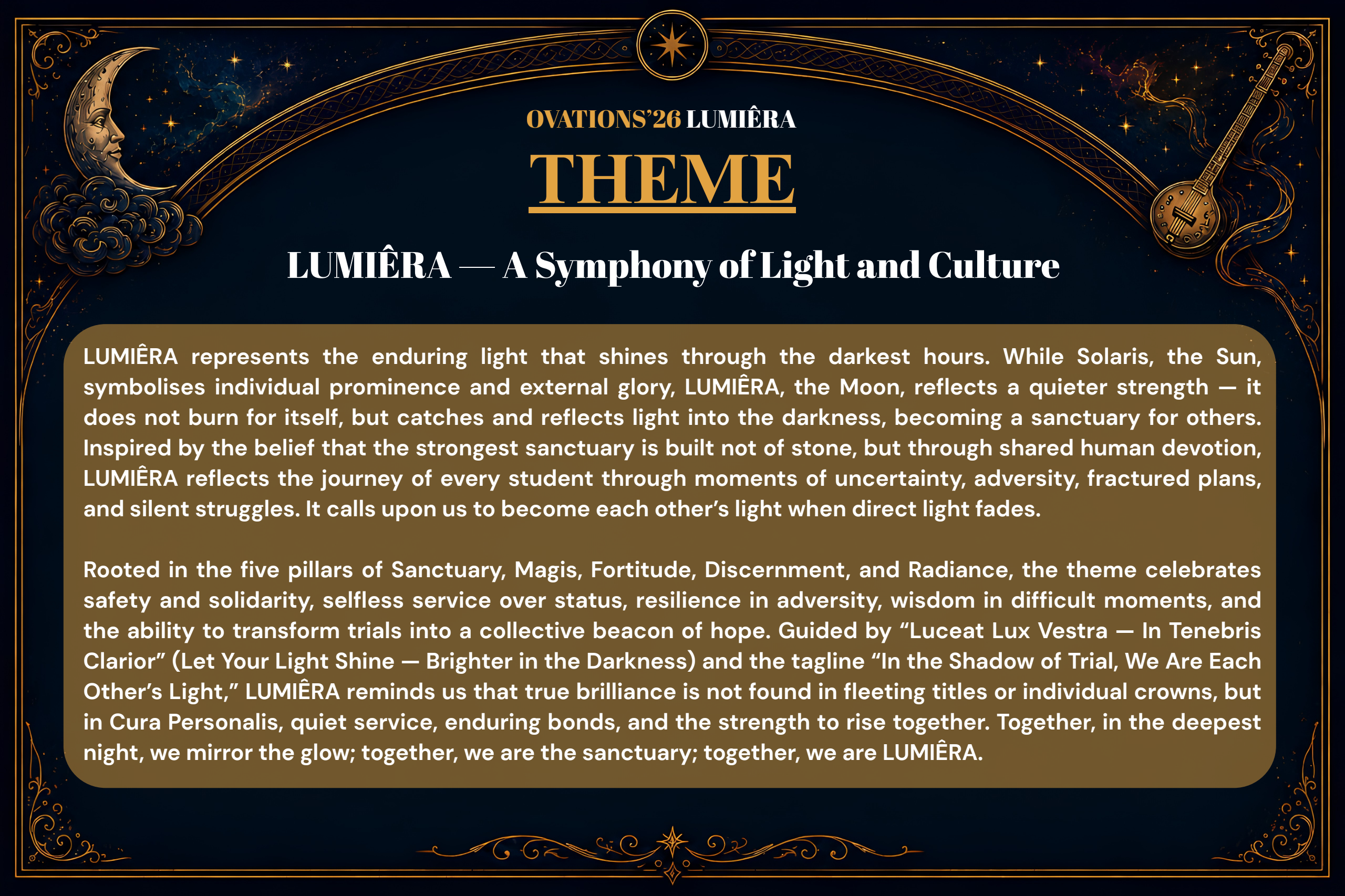
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THEME

LUMIÊRA — A Symphony of Light and Culture

LUMIÊRA represents the enduring light that shines through the darkest hours. While Solaris, the Sun, symbolises individual prominence and external glory, LUMIÊRA, the Moon, reflects a quieter strength — it does not burn for itself, but catches and reflects light into the darkness, becoming a sanctuary for others. Inspired by the belief that the strongest sanctuary is built not of stone, but through shared human devotion, LUMIÊRA reflects the journey of every student through moments of uncertainty, adversity, fractured plans, and silent struggles. It calls upon us to become each other's light when direct light fades.

Rooted in the five pillars of Sanctuary, Magis, Fortitude, Discernment, and Radiance, the theme celebrates safety and solidarity, selfless service over status, resilience in adversity, wisdom in difficult moments, and the ability to transform trials into a collective beacon of hope. Guided by "Luceat Lux Vestra — In Tenebris Clarior" (Let Your Light Shine — Brighter in the Darkness) and the tagline "In the Shadow of Trial, We Are Each Other's Light," LUMIÊRA reminds us that true brilliance is not found in fleeting titles or individual crowns, but in Cura Personalis, quiet service, enduring bonds, and the strength to rise together. Together, in the deepest night, we mirror the glow; together, we are the sanctuary; together, we are LUMIÊRA.



GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Vulgarity of any form will lead to disqualification of the participant or team.
 2. Any expression offending, the sentiments of religion/gender/ community/ language will lead to immediate disqualification.
 3. There should be no reference to staff / management /council made in the artistic expressions.
 4. One must adhere to the minimum and maximum number of participants.
 5. Cultural Secretaries and Joint Cultural Secretaries should be present 15 minutes prior for registration.
 6. Organisers are not responsible for the safety of any props or instruments brought by the teams. Participants should be solely responsible for their props and instruments.
 7. A participant can participate in any number of On – stage Events.
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GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

8. A participant can participate in not more than 2 Flagged Group Events & 2 Flagged Individual Events in Off –stage Events.
 9. Usage of any properties such as smoke, blood, etc for On – Stage events are subject to approval from the Dean of Women Students.
 10. Usage of fire, or any properties that create fire, are **STRICTLY PROHIBITED** during performances on stage.
 11. The approvals must be done according to the specified time frame.
 12. The approved costumes, properties should match the ones used on the day of performance.
 13. Violating this will lead to direct disqualification.
 14. No late submissions will be entertained for Online Events.
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GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 15. No outside technicians are allowed for any events other than Choreographers.
 - 16. Violating this will lead to direct disqualification.
 - 17. Any grievance must be filed within 30mins of the conclusion of the event.
 - 18. The grievance must be filed by either by the Cultural secretary / Joint Cultural Secretary, Forum President, or HOD of the respective department.
 - 19. The format for submitting the grievance will be provided by the Loyola Students' Council.
 - 20. Please read the general rules and regulations clearly before reading the event wise rules and regulations.
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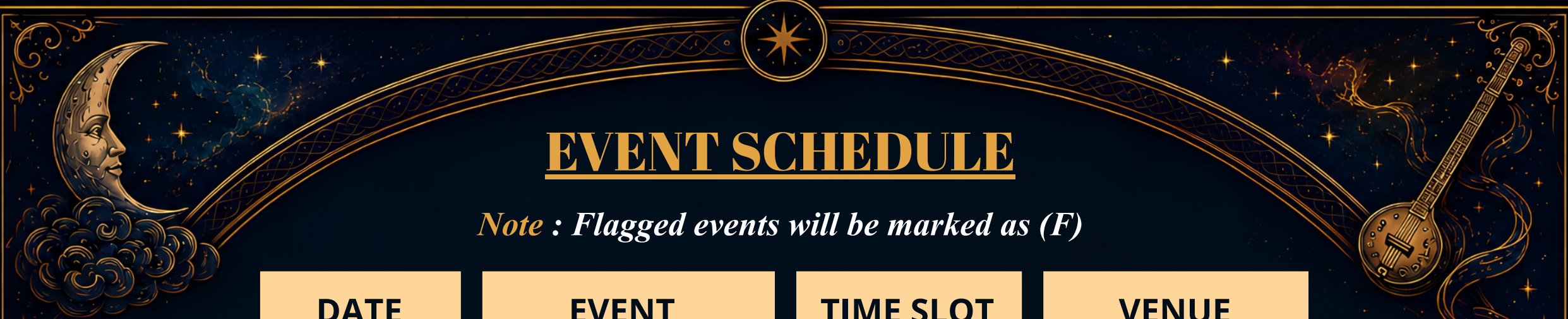


EVENT SCHEDULE

Note : Flagged events will be marked as (F)

DATE	EVENT	TIME SLOT	VENUE
27.08.2026	90 SECONDS TO FAME	FORENOON	BERTRAM HALL
27.08.2026	ADZAP (F)	AFTERNOON	BERTRAM HALL
31.08.2026	WESTERN MUSIC	FORENOON	BERTRAM HALL
31.08.2026	SHIPWRECK (F)	AFTERNOON	BERTRAM HALL
01.09.2026	ADAPTUNE & BATTLE IT OUT	FORENOON	BERTRAM HALL
01.09.2026	LIGHT MUSIC	AFTERNOON	BERTRAM HALL





EVENT SCHEDULE

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DATE	EVENT	TIME SLOT	VENUE
02.09.2026	MIME	FORENOON	BERTRAM HALL
02.09.2026	FUSION EXTRAVAGANZA	AFTERNOON	BERTRAM HALL
03.09.2026	LCA	FORENOON	BERTRAM HALL
03.09.2026	FOLK DANCE	AFTERNOON	BERTRAM HALL
03.09.2026	DEBATE - TAMIL	FORENOON	LS HALL
03.09.2026	DEBATE - ENGLISH	AFTERNOON	LS HALL



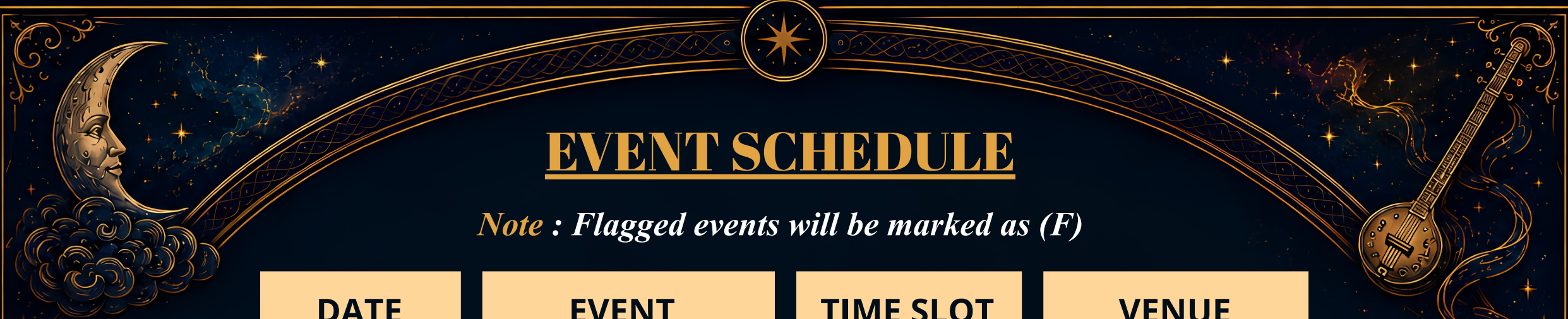


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DATE	EVENT	TIME SLOT	VENUE
03.09.2026	STRESS INTERVIEW (F)	FORENOON	BESCHI HALL
07.09.2026	WESTERN DANCE	AFTERNOON	BERTRAM HALL
07.09.2026	QUIZ	AFTERNOON	LS HALL
07.09.2026	CREATIVE WRITING- TAMIL	FORENOON	BESCHI HALL
07.09.2026	CREATIVE WRITING-ENGLISH	AFTERNOON	BESCHI HALL
08.09.2026	TREASURE HUNT	FULL-DAY	LOYOLA COLLEGE





EVENT SCHEDULE

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DATE	EVENT	TIME SLOT	VENUE
09.09.2026	CHANNEL SURFING (F)	FORENOON	BESCHI HALL
09.09.2026	RAP BATTLE	AFTERNOON	AMPHITHEATRE
15.09.2026	ART MARATHON	FORENOON	AMPHITHEATRE
15.09.2026	SHARK TANK	AFTERNOON	BESCHI HALL
16.09.2026	STREETPLAY	FORENOON	BERTRAM HALL
16.09.2026	SURPRISE EVENT (F)	AFTERNOON	BERTRAM HALL





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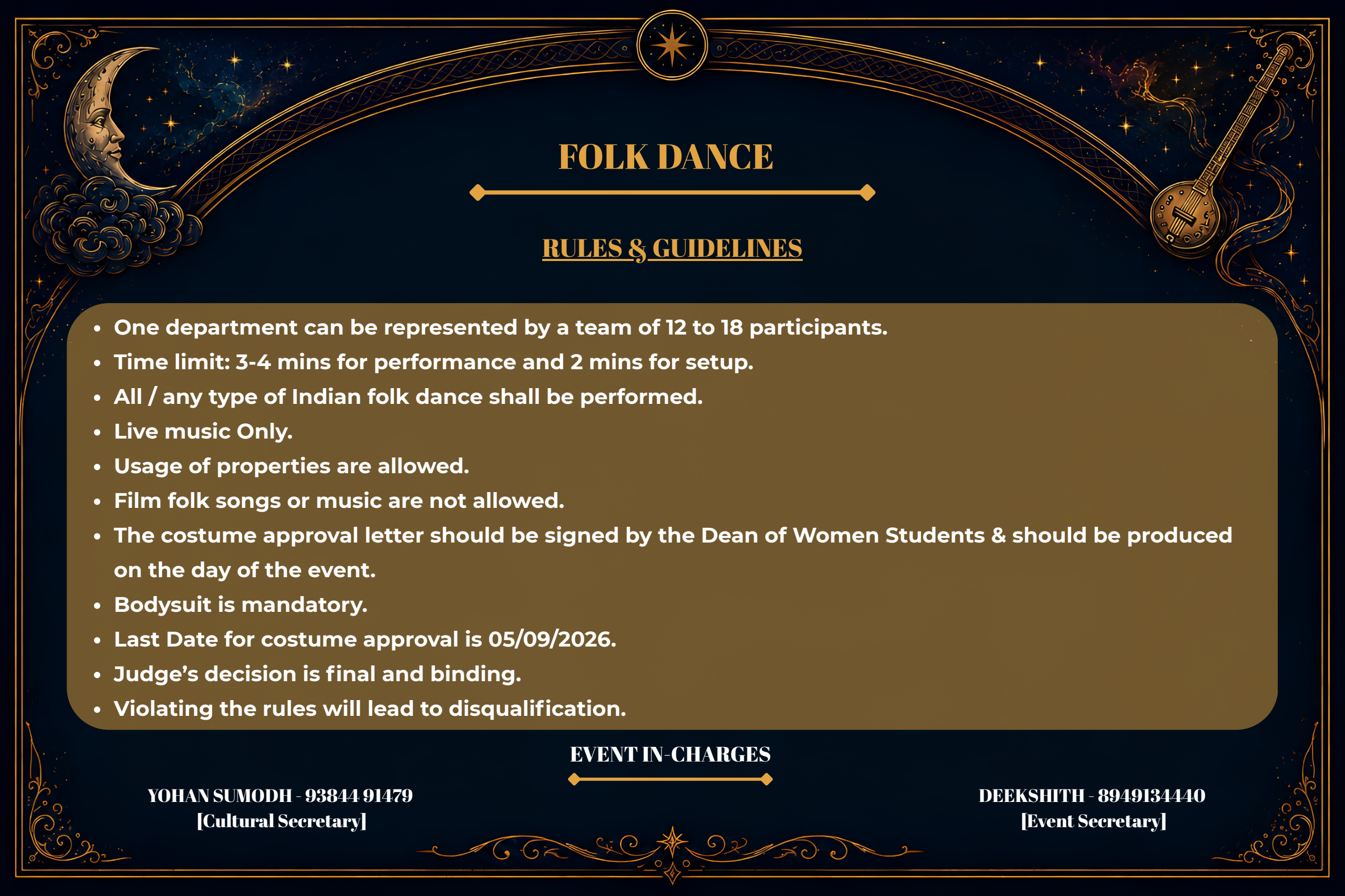
DATE	EVENT	TIME SLOT	VENUE
17.09.2026	POTPOURI (F)	FORENOON	BESCHI HALL
17.09.2026	IPL AUCTION	AFTERNOON	BESCHI HALL

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ON-STAGE EVENTS



FOLK DANCE

RULES & GUIDELINES

- One department can be represented by a team of 12 to 18 participants.
- Time limit: 3-4 mins for performance and 2 mins for setup.
- All / any type of Indian folk dance shall be performed.
- Live music Only.
- Usage of properties are allowed.
- Film folk songs or music are not allowed.
- The costume approval letter should be signed by the Dean of Women Students & should be produced on the day of the event.
- Bodysuit is mandatory.
- Last Date for costume approval is 05/09/2026.
- Judge's decision is final and binding.
- Violating the rules will lead to disqualification.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

YOHAN SUMODH - 93844 91479
[Cultural Secretary]

DEEKSHITH - 8949134440
[Event Secretary]



LIGHT MUSIC

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **Setup time: 3 minutes; Performance time: 4-5 minutes.**
- **Number of participants: Minimum 6, Maximum 12.**
- **Languages allowed: Any regional language (except English).**
- **Medleys are allowed. • Independent music will be prioritized (original composition).**
- **Electronic synthesizers and modulators are not allowed.**
- **Instruments should be brought by the participants.**
- **If needed, drum kit will be provided.**
- **Judging criteria: Vocal quality and pitch, instrumentation, overall coordination, stage presence, creativity in instruments and rhythm.**
- **Violating the rules will lead to disqualification.**

EVENT IN-CHARGES

JOHN NIRAI - 8015826565
[Cultural Secretary]

ASWIN - 9994513570
[Head Of Cultural & Event]



FUSION EXTRAVAGANZA

RULES & GUIDELINES

- 8–15 participants per department.
 - Performance must be a fusion of different cultural, traditional, or classical dance forms (Indian or international) and adhere to the theme.
 - Time limit: 4-5 minutes performance + 2 minutes setup.
 - Audio track must be submitted via Google Form 2 days before and in a pen drive on the day of the event.
 - Songs may be in any language except English.
 - Vulgarity will lead to disqualification.
 - Costume, property & audio approval must be obtained from the Dean of Women Students 2 days prior; the signed approval letter must be produced on the event day.
 - Bodysuit is mandatory.
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FUSION EXTRAVAGANZA

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Judges' decision is final.
- Judging: fusion creativity, dance moves & expressions, stage utilization, coordination, smooth transitions, properties, costumes, and makeup.
- Violating the rules will lead to disqualification.

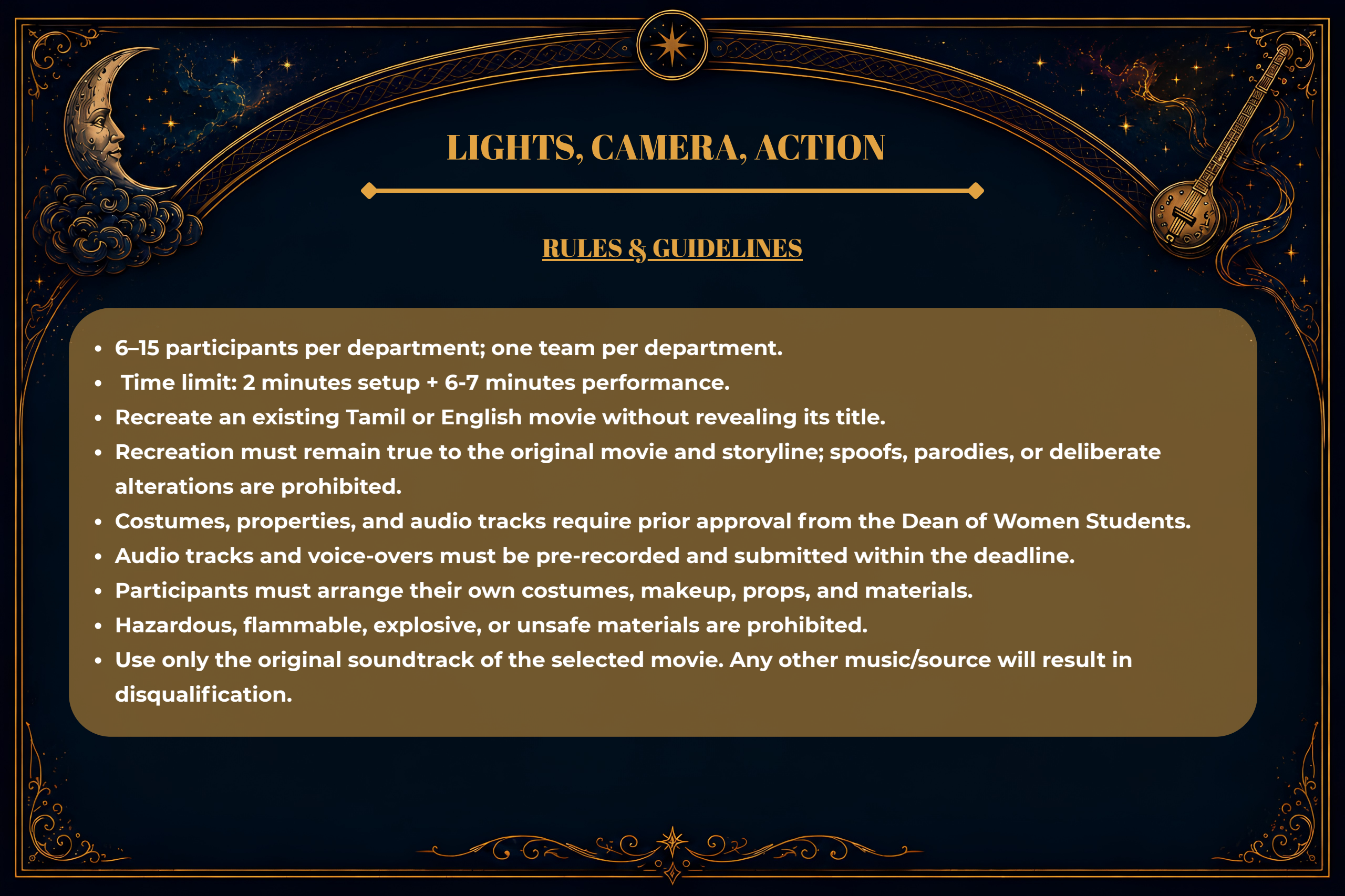


EVENT IN-CHARGES

LAKSHAN - 6379272780
[Cultural Secretary]

MARIA MELVINA - 9150713638
[Event Secretary]





LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION

RULES & GUIDELINES

- 6–15 participants per department; one team per department.
- Time limit: 2 minutes setup + 6-7 minutes performance.
- Recreate an existing Tamil or English movie without revealing its title.
- Recreation must remain true to the original movie and storyline; spoofs, parodies, or deliberate alterations are prohibited.
- Costumes, properties, and audio tracks require prior approval from the Dean of Women Students.
- Audio tracks and voice-overs must be pre-recorded and submitted within the deadline.
- Participants must arrange their own costumes, makeup, props, and materials.
- Hazardous, flammable, explosive, or unsafe materials are prohibited.
- Use only the original soundtrack of the selected movie. Any other music/source will result in disqualification.



LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **Judging: recreation, acting, character portrayal, creativity, coordination, stage presence, and overall presentation.**
- **Judges' decision is final and binding**
- **Vulgarity of any kind is strictly prohibited**
- **Violating the rules will lead to disqualification.**



EVENT IN-CHARGES

THAVITH.M - 9840781424
[Cultural Secretary]

NITHISHWARAN - 6383720124
[Event Secretary]





TITLE EVENT

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **This is a Flagged Event.**
- **The top two winners from each individual flagged event; Stress Interview, Shipwreck, Surprise Event and two individual participants from each of the top two teams in Potpourri, Adzap, and Channel Surfing will qualify for the Title Event.**
- **The details, theme, and format of the Title Event will be revealed only on the day of the event.**
- **Only one overall title will be conferred.**
- **Participants must maintain proper decorum, discipline, and professionalism throughout all stages of the event.**
- **Vulgarity, misconduct, indiscipline, or inappropriate behaviour will result in immediate disqualification.**



TITLE EVENT

RULES & GUIDELINES

- The decision of the judges is final and binding. No appeals, objections, or requests for reconsideration will be entertained.
- Violating the rules will lead to disqualification.
- The Title Event will not be considered a marked event for departmental scoring.
- The winner of the Title Event will be honoured with the prestigious distinction of: MR. / MS. OVATIONS



EVENT IN-CHARGES

RITESH REBERIO - 8778618569
[Cultural Secretary]

KEVIN XAVIER - 8925272486
[Event Secretary]





WESTERN MUSIC

RULES & GUIDELINES

- One department can be represented by a team of 6–12 participants.
- Only English songs are permitted. Time limit: 4 minutes performance + 3 minutes set up.
- Instruments should be brought by the participants.
- If needed the drum kit will be provided.
- Requirement of drum kit should be informed at least 2 days prior to the event.
- Own Compositions and exploration of various music genres will be given priority.
- Using one's own creativity with a personal instrument will be appreciated.
- Judging criteria: Vocal quality and pitch, Instrumentation, Overall coordination, Stage presence, Creativity in using instruments and rhythm
- Violating the rules will lead to disqualification.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

SHYAM - 7907733804
[Deputy Head of Cultural]

RIA SANCHIA - 7299967829
[Event Secretary]





WESTERN DANCE

RULES & GUIDELINES

- One Department can be represented by a team of 8 to 15 participants.
- The audio track should be submitted through Google Form 2 days before the event and also on a pen drive on the day of the event.
- Time limit: 4-5 mins performance, 2 mins set up.
- No regional/film songs are allowed.
- Any form of vulgarity will lead to disqualification.
- Costume, property, and lyrics should be brought physically (hard copy) for approval by the Dean of Women Students.
- All approvals should be done on the date of 29th or 31st of August.
- The costume approval letter should be signed by the Dean of Women Students & should be produced on the day of the event.
- Judging criteria: Creativity, choreography creativity, technique and energy.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

DIVYESH - 7010911471
[Cultural Secretary]

VIGNESH ANNAMALAI - 9488522465
[Event Secretary]



The image features a dark blue background with a wide, ornate Art Deco border in a golden-yellow color. The border is composed of several decorative elements: a crescent moon with a human-like face and a cloud at the top left; a circular starburst at the top center; a banjo at the top right; and a symmetrical floral and scrollwork design at the bottom center. A wide, curved band with a repeating geometric pattern arches across the top. The text "OFF-STAGE EVENTS" is centered in a large, bold, serif font. Below the text is a horizontal line with a diamond-shaped ornament in the middle. The corners of the border are also decorated with intricate scrollwork.

OFF-STAGE EVENTS



90s TO FAME

DATE: 27.08.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **Participant Limit:** One department can be represented by one participant.
- **Prohibited Performances:** Dancing, Singing, and Rap are strictly prohibited.
- **Code of Conduct:** Usage of vulgar language, offensive gestures, or disrespectful content will result in immediate disqualification.
- **Audio Submission:** The audio track should be submitted through Google Form 2 days before the event and also in the form of a pen drive on the day of the event.
- **Allowed Examples:** Mimicry, Beat boxing, Silambam, Martial arts, Quick painting, Whistling, etc.
- **Technical Feasibility :** 3 cordless mics, 4 wired mics, 2 AUX and stage speakers available.
- **Judging criteria:** Impact, Skill and talent, Presentation and engagement

EVENT IN-CHARGES

SADHANA - 9445817023
[Cultural Secretary]

DIVYESH SIVAKUMAR - 7010911471
[Cultural Secretary]

GOWTHAM M G - 9345868440
[Event Secretary]

LENA NATRAAJ - 7604897363
[Event Secretary]



ADZAP (FLAGGED)

DATE: 27.08.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- It is a Flagged event.
- One department can be represented by a team of 5–6 participants.
- Product will be given ON SPOT. • Time Limit: 5 minutes performance + 1 minute preparation.
- No props are allowed.
- Body suit is mandatory.
- Any form of vulgarity will lead to disqualification.
- Judges' decision will be final and binding.
- Judging criteria: Content, Team Coordination, Acting skills, Costumes

EVENT IN-CHARGES

JOHAN IMMANUEL B - 94444 54205
[Cultural Secretary]

SHYAM - 7907733804
[Deputy Head of Cultural]

JEFFREY RAJIV - 90032 23444
[Event Secretary]

GOWTHAM M G - 9345868440
[Event Secretary]





WESTERN MUSIC (PRELIMS)

DATE : 31.08.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- One department can be represented by a team of 6–12 participants.
- Only English songs are permitted. Time limit: 3 minutes performance + 3 minutes set up.
- Instruments should be brought by the participants.
- If needed the drum kit will be provided.
- Requirement of drum kit should be informed at least 2 days prior to the event.
- Own Compositions and exploration of various music genres will be given priority.
- Using one's own creativity with a personal instrument will be appreciated.
- Technical Feasibility : 3 cordless mics, 4 wired mics, 2 AUX and stage speakers available.
- Judging criteria: Vocal quality and pitch, Instrumentation, Overall coordination, Stage presence, Creativity in using instruments and rhythm

EVENT IN-CHARGES

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[Deputy Head of Cultural]

RIA SANCHIA - 7299967829
[Event Secretary]





SHIPWRECK (FLAGGED)

DATE: 31.08.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **Its a Flagged Event.**
- **Each department can be represented by only one participant.**
- **Characters may be achievers or personalities from any field.**
- **Arguments must be supported with real-life incidents.**
- **The use of offensive slurs, blatant vulgarity, or any form of shaming is strictly prohibited and will result in disqualification.**
- **Participants must convince the judges why their chosen character deserves to survive the shipwreck.**
- **Participants can use creativity, humour and logical reasoning to convince the judges.**
- **Any violation of the above rules will result in immediate disqualification.**
- **The judges' decision will be final and binding..**

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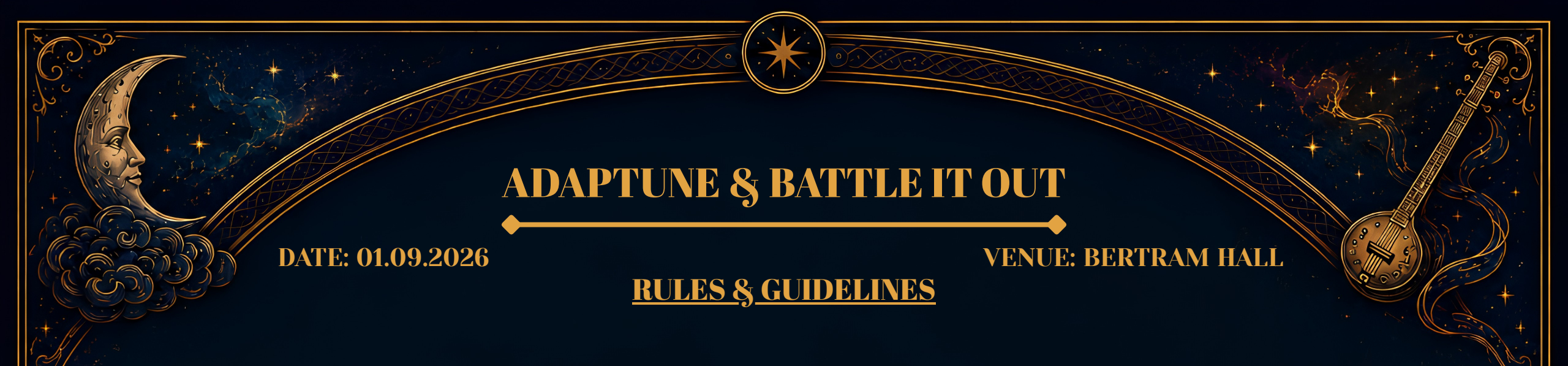
SATHISH KUMAR - 7010058639
[Cultural Secretary]

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[Cultural Secretary]

KEVIN JAMES - 7200082972
[Event Secretary]

REINHARD - 9597487330
[Event Secretary]





ADAPTUNE & BATTLE IT OUT

DATE: 01.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Each department can send a team of 2 participants.
 - Participants should be prepared to adapt instantly to the music played.
 - Round 1: Adaptune – teams will perform based on the music provided.
 - Each team will have a 2–3 minute performance time.
 - All dance styles are welcome, allowing participants to showcase their individuality.
 - The Top 10 teams from Round 1 will advance to Round 2: Battle It Out.
 - Round 2 will feature a head-to-head freestyle dance battle.
 - The organizers will provide the music for both rounds.
 - Teams will be evaluated on adaptability, synchronization, creativity, musicality, stage presence, and overall performance.
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ADAPTUNE & BATTLE IT OUT

DATE: 01.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Any inappropriate or offensive gestures or behaviour on stage will result in disqualification.
- Technical Feasibility : 3 cordless mics, 4 wired mics, 2 AUX and stage speakers available.
- The judges' decision will be final and binding.



EVENT IN-CHARGES

HEMAVATHY K - 9384699890
[Cultural Secretary]

LAKSHAN - 6379272780
[Cultural Secretary]

SURYA PRAKASH - 6382475997
[Event Secretary]

NAKSHATRA - 9840 59233
[Event Secretary]





LIGHT MUSIC (PRELIMS)

DATE: 01.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **Setup time: 3 minutes; Performance time: 3 minutes.**
- **Number of participants: Minimum 6, Maximum 12.**
- **Languages allowed: Any regional language (except English).**
- **Medleys are allowed. • Independent music will be prioritized (original composition).**
- **Electronic synthesizers and modulators are not allowed.**
- **Instruments should be brought by the participants.**
- **If needed, drum kit will be provided.**
- **Technical Feasibility : 3 cordless mics, 4 wired mics, 2 AUX and stage speakers available.**
- **Judging criteria: Vocal quality and pitch, instrumentation, overall coordination, stage presence, creativity in instruments and rhythm.**

EVENT IN-CHARGES

JOHN NIRAI - 8015826565
[Cultural Secretary]

ASWIN - 9994513570
[Head Of Cultural & Event]



MIME

DATE : 02.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **6–12 participants per department, including musicians.**
- **Performance must follow the Ovation theme.**
- **Time: 5 minutes performance + 2 minutes setup.**
- **Audio track: Google Form 2 days prior + pen drive on event day.**
- **Costume approval letter signed by the Dean of Women Students by 02.09.2026 must be produced on event day.**
- **Sound effects/music tracks permitted; voice tracks not permitted.**
- **No properties allowed.**
- **Vulgarity will lead to immediate disqualification.**
- **Political issues/views may be generalised, but must not pinpoint any political party or individual.**
- **Judges' decision is final and binding.**



MIME

DATE : 02.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **Technical Feasibility : 2 AUX and stage speakers available.**
- **Judging: theme, plot & story value, live music, expressions, formations, stage utilization, coordination, seamless transitions, costumes & makeup.**



EVENT IN-CHARGES

SAARIKA - 9894597275
[Cultural Secretary]

KAVINRAM - 98431 12202
[Cultural Secretary]

VISHAL N K - 8110907172
[Event Secretary]

AARON IK - 8072173978
[Event Secretary]





FUSION EXTRAVAGANZA (PRELIMS)

DATE : 02.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- 8–15 participants per department.
 - Performance must be a fusion of different cultural, traditional, or classical dance forms (Indian or international) and adhere to the theme.
 - Time limit: 3 minutes performance + 2 minutes setup.
 - Audio track must be submitted via Google Form 2 days before and in a pen drive on the day of the event.
 - Songs may be in any language except English.
 - Vulgarity will lead to disqualification.
 - Costume, property & audio approval must be obtained from the Dean of Women Students 2 days prior; the signed approval letter must be produced on the event day.
 - Bodysuit is mandatory.
 - Judges' decision is final.
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FUSION EXTRAVAGANZA (PRELIMS)

DATE : 02.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **Technical Feasibility : 3 cordless mics, 4 wired mics, 2 AUX and stage speakers available.**
- **Judging: fusion creativity, dance moves & expressions, stage utilization, coordination, smooth transitions, properties, costumes, and makeup.**



EVENT IN-CHARGES

LAKSHAN - 6379272780
[Cultural Secretary]

MARIA MELVINA - 9150713638
[Event Secretary]





LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION (PRELIMS)

DATE : 03.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- 6–15 participants per department; one team per department.
 - Time limit: 2 minutes setup + 5 -6 minutes performance.
 - Recreate an existing Tamil or English movie without revealing its title.
 - Recreation must remain true to the original movie and storyline; spoofs, parodies, or deliberate alterations are prohibited.
 - Costumes, properties, and audio tracks require prior approval from the Dean of Women Students.
 - Audio tracks and voice-overs must be pre-recorded and submitted within the deadline.
 - Participants must arrange their own costumes, makeup, props, and materials.
 - Hazardous, flammable, explosive, or unsafe materials are prohibited.
 - Use only the original soundtrack of the selected movie. Any other music/source will result in disqualification.
 - Judging: recreation, acting, character portrayal, creativity, coordination, stage presence, and overall presentation.
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LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION (PRELIMS)

DATE : 03.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Technical Feasibility : 2 AUX and stage speakers available.
- Judges' decision is final and binding



EVENT IN-CHARGES

THAVITH.M - 9840781424
[Cultural Secretary]

NITHISHWARAN - 6383720124
[Event Secretary]





FOLK DANCE (PRELIMS)

DATE : 03.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- One department can be represented by a team of 12 to 18 participants.
- Time limit: 3-4 mins for performance and 2 mins for setup.
- All / any types of Indian folk dance shall be performed.
- Live music Only.
- Usage of properties are allowed.
- Film folk songs or music are not allowed.
- The costume approval letter should be signed by the Dean of Women Students & should be produced on the day of the event.
- Bodysuit is mandatory.
- Last Date for costume approval is 05/09/2026.
- Technical Feasibility : 3 cordless mics, 4 wired mics, 2 AUX and stage speakers available.
- Judge's decision is final and binding.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

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[Cultural Secretary]

DEEKSHITH - 8949134440
[Event Secretary]





DEBATE – TAMIL

DATE : 03.09.2026

VENUE: LS HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Each department must be represented by a team of two participants.
- The topic will be announced prior to the commencement of the event.
- The competition will be conducted in a Department vs. Department format.
- Participants must present their arguments within the allotted time limit.
- Usage of electronic device are strictly prohibited.
- The use of vulgar, offensive, or inappropriate language will result in immediate disqualification.
- Derogatory or insensitive remarks concerning any caste, community, individual, or gender are strictly prohibited.
- Judging Criteria: Content, Argumentation, Delivery, Rebuttal, Team Coordination, and Time Management

EVENT IN-CHARGES

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KIRUTHIKA - 8015112600
[Cultural Secretary]

AARON IK - 8072173978
[Event Secretary]

S. JAIRAM - 9840221486
[Event Secretary]





DEBATE – ENGLISH

DATE : 03.09.2026

VENUE: BESCHI HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- 2 participants per department; knockout, department-vs-department format.
- Topic given 8 minutes before the panel; preparation runs simultaneously with the preceding panel.
- Mobile phones/resources allowed only during preparation; electronic devices prohibited once the panel begins.
- 2 speakers × 2 minutes each: Speaker 1 – opening arguments; Opposing Speaker 1 – counters; Speaker 2 – develops & responds; Opposing Speaker 2 – counters & concludes.
- No separate rebuttal round; rebuttals must be within allotted time.
- Odd teams: judges may adopt BPD/equivalent format.
- Maintain relevance and proper debate etiquette.
- Personal attacks, vulgarity, discriminatory remarks, or insensitive references are prohibited.
- Time violation, plagiarism, external assistance, or misconduct may lead to penalty/disqualification.
- Follow organisers' and judges' instructions; judges' decision is final and binding.
- Judging Criteria : Content, Logic, Argumentation, Rebuttal, Delivery, Presence of Mind, Teamwork

EVENT IN-CHARGES

VARUN NARAYANAN - 8923190111
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STRESS INTERVIEW (FLAGGED)

DATE : 03.09.2026

VENUE: BESCHI HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- This is a Flagged event.
- 1 participant from each department.
- Participants must be formally dressed.
- The event will follow a blend of formal and informal approaches.
- Submission of resume must be on the spot.
- Usage of electronic devices are strictly prohibited
- Details regarding the number of rounds and event flow will be disclosed on the day of the event.
- The final results will be determined by the participant's performance throughout the event.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

MUKESH YATRA - 9840338699
[Cultural Secretary]

DHARANE - 9790202067
[Event Secretary]

RAPHAEL IMMANUEL - 9600910277
[Cultural Secretary]

GOWTHAM - 9345868440
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WESTERN DANCE (PRELIMS)

DATE : 07.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

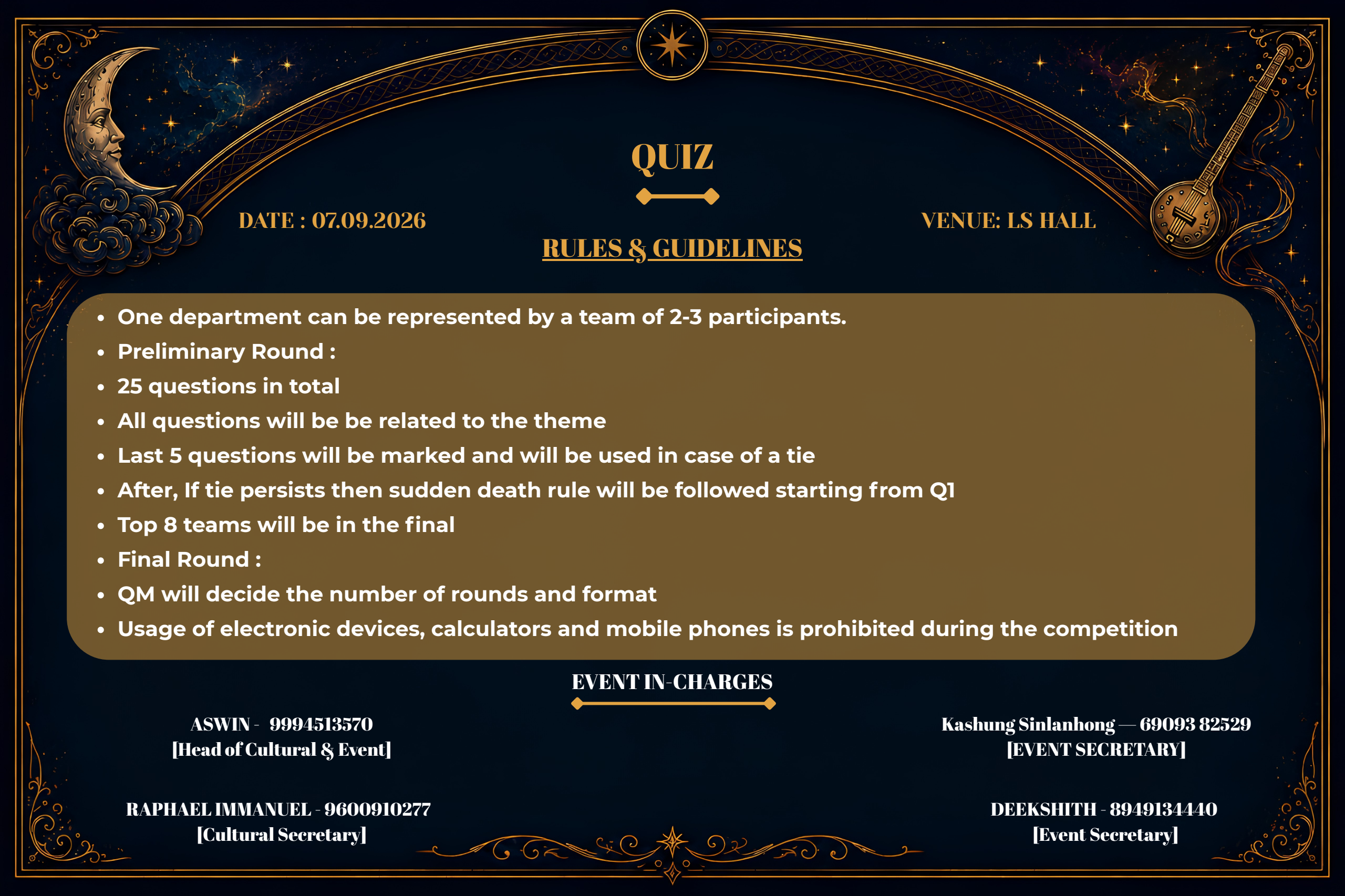
- One Department can be represented by a team of 8 to 15 participants.
- The audio track should be submitted through Google Form 2 days before the event and also on a pen drive on the day of the event.
- Time limit: 2–3 mins performance, 2 mins set up.
- No regional/film songs are allowed.
- Any form of vulgarity will lead to disqualification.
- Costume, property, and lyrics should be brought physically (hard copy) for approval by the Dean of Women Students.
- All approvals should be done on the date of 29th or 31st of August.
- The costume approval letter should be signed by the Dean of Women Students & should be produced on the day of the event.
- Technical Feasibility : 2 AUX and stage speakers available.
- Judging criteria: Creativity, choreography creativity, technique and energy.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

DIVYESH - 7010911471
[Cultural Secretary]

VIGNESH ANNAMALAI - 9488522465
[Event Secretary]





QUIZ

DATE : 07.09.2026

VENUE: LS HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- One department can be represented by a team of 2-3 participants.
- Preliminary Round :
- 25 questions in total
- All questions will be related to the theme
- Last 5 questions will be marked and will be used in case of a tie
- After, If tie persists then sudden death rule will be followed starting from Q1
- Top 8 teams will be in the final
- Final Round :
- QM will decide the number of rounds and format
- Usage of electronic devices, calculators and mobile phones is prohibited during the competition

EVENT IN-CHARGES

ASWIN - 9994513570
[Head of Cultural & Event]

Kashung Sinlanhong — 69093 82529
[EVENT SECRETARY]

RAPHAEL IMMANUEL - 9600910277
[Cultural Secretary]

DEEKSHITH - 8949134440
[Event Secretary]

CREATIVE WRITING — TAMIL

DATE : 07.09.2026

VENUE: BESCHI HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Each department is entitled to nominate only one participant.
- The topic will be announced on the spot. Participants must write their piece only after the announcement, without using any pre-prepared content.
- Submissions may be in the form of a short story, poem, or essay, and must adhere to the chosen format.
- The time limit will be declared on the day of the event.
- All entries must be handwritten on the sheets provided at the venue. Please ensure your name and department are written clearly.
- A panel of judges will evaluate the entries, and their decision shall be final and binding.
- Judging will be based on originality, creativity, clarity of expression, narrative flow, imagery, and overall impact.

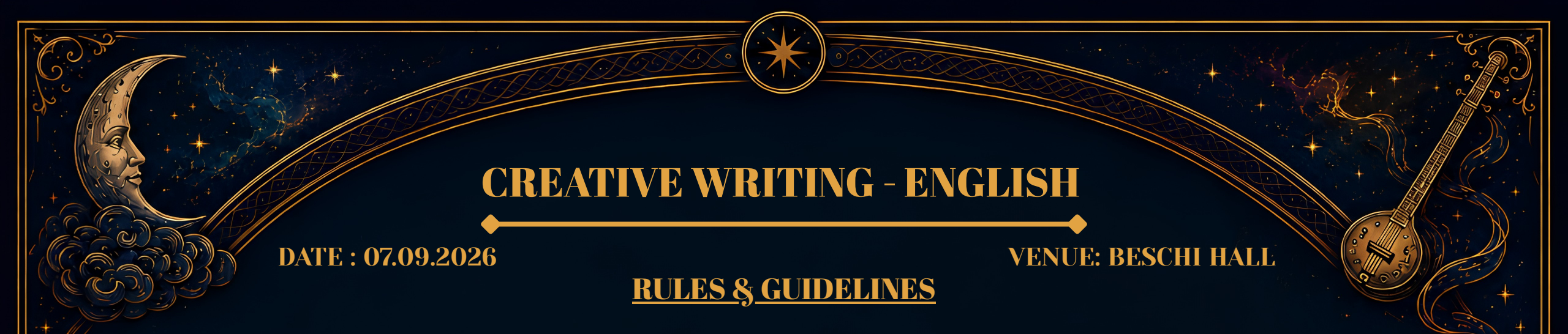
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[Cultural Secretary]

KEVIN JOYAL LEO - 8072664017
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[Event Secretary]



CREATIVE WRITING - ENGLISH

DATE : 07.09.2026

VENUE: BESCHI HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Each department is entitled to nominate only one participant.
- The topic will be announced on the spot. Participants must write their piece only after the announcement, without using any pre-prepared content or electronic assistance.
- Submissions may be in the form of a short story, poem, or essay, and must adhere to the chosen format.
- The time limit will be declared on the day of the event.
- All entries must be handwritten on the sheets provided at the venue. Please ensure your name and department are written clearly.
- A panel of judges will evaluate the entries, and their decision shall be final and binding.
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EVENT IN-CHARGES

SATHISH KUMAR S - 7010058639
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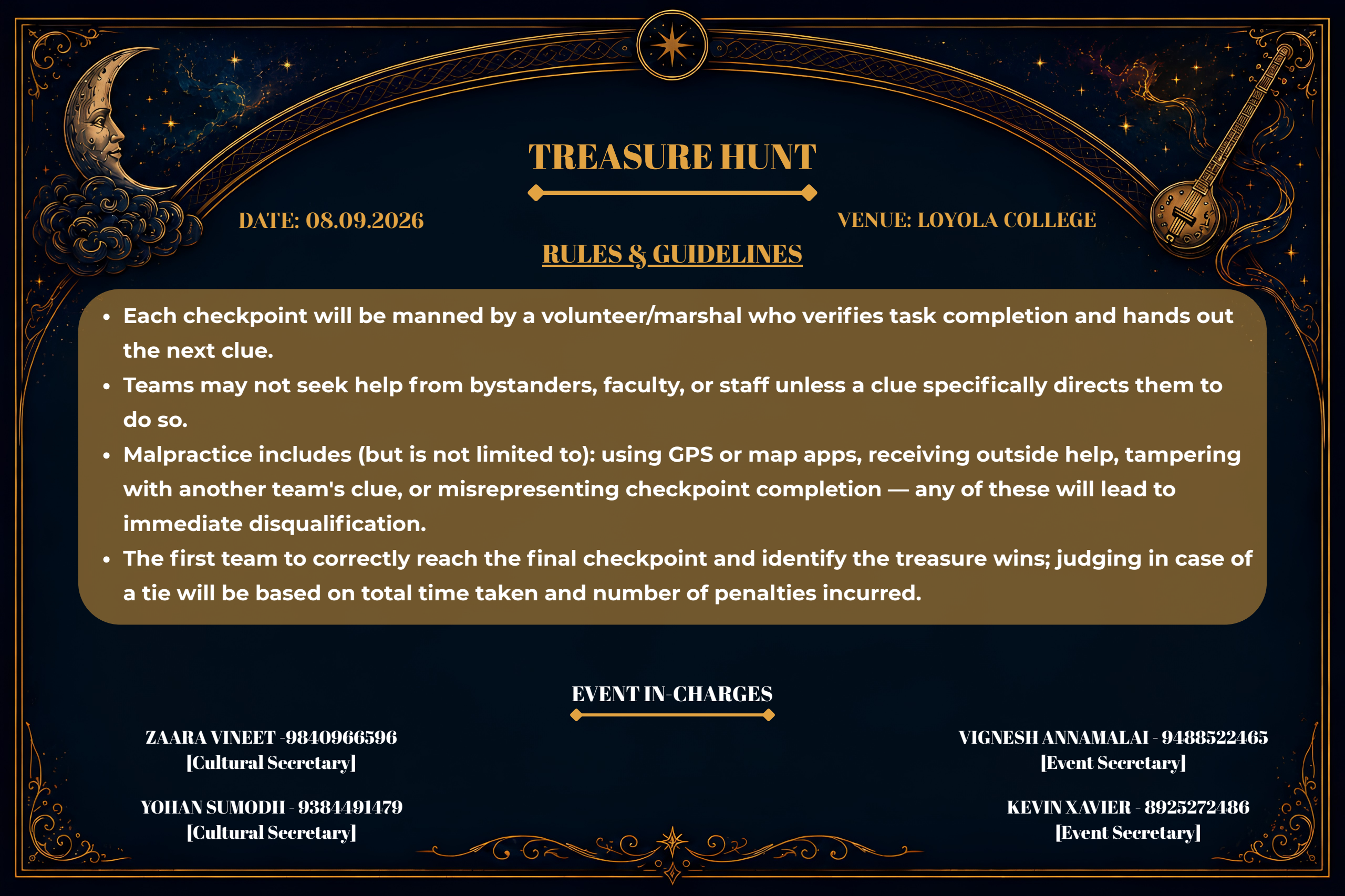
TREASURE HUNT

DATE: 08.09.2026

VENUE: LOYOLA COLLEGE

RULES & GUIDELINES

- One department can be represented by a team of 3 participants.
 - The event will be conducted in two rounds — Round 1: Puzzle & Cipher Challenge, Round 2: Treasure Hunt.
 - Round 1 requires teams to solve logic puzzles, riddles, or picture clues to qualify for Round 2; only the top teams advance.
 - In Round 2, each checkpoint has a short task (a challenge, a riddle, or a question) that must be completed correctly to receive the next clue.
 - Clues are to be found strictly in the given order; skipping ahead is not permitted.
 - A maximum of 5 minutes is allowed at each checkpoint; teams exceeding this limit move on with a time penalty instead of forfeiting the round.
 - A wrong answer results in a 2-minute time penalty rather than immediate elimination, so a single mistake does not end a team's run.
 - Use of electronic devices for navigation, communication, or searching answers online is strictly prohibited; devices may only be used where a checkpoint volunteer explicitly permits it (e.g. scanning a QR clue).
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The banner features a dark blue background with a golden archway. On the left, a crescent moon with a face is surrounded by clouds. On the right, a banjo is depicted. A golden star is at the top center of the arch. The text is in a golden, serif font.

TREASURE HUNT

DATE: 08.09.2026

VENUE: LOYOLA COLLEGE

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Each checkpoint will be manned by a volunteer/marshal who verifies task completion and hands out the next clue.
- Teams may not seek help from bystanders, faculty, or staff unless a clue specifically directs them to do so.
- Malpractice includes (but is not limited to): using GPS or map apps, receiving outside help, tampering with another team's clue, or misrepresenting checkpoint completion — any of these will lead to immediate disqualification.
- The first team to correctly reach the final checkpoint and identify the treasure wins; judging in case of a tie will be based on total time taken and number of penalties incurred.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

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[Cultural Secretary]

YOHAN SUMODH - 9384491479
[Cultural Secretary]

VIGNESH ANNAMALAI - 9488522465
[Event Secretary]

KEVIN XAVIER - 8925272486
[Event Secretary]



CHANNEL SURFING (FLAGGED)

DATE : 09.09.2026

VENUE: BESCHI HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- This is a flagged event.
- Each department can be represented by a team of six members
- Time limit: six minutes (6) per performance (including stage setup & exit).
- Channels to be portrayed will be given by the judges on the spot.
- Teams must creatively enact the channels/segments given by the judges, covering multiple formats such as news, sports, music, advertisements, movies, reality shows, etc.
- The team must ensure smooth channel shifts (clear transitions between acts).
- Vulgarity and political / religious controversies will lead to immediate disqualification.
- Insensitive reference to any caste/community/individual/genders are strictly prohibited.
- Judging Criteria: accuracy, creativity, spontaneity, content, transitions, team coordination and overall entertainment value.
- The decision of the judges will be final and binding.

FABIAN - 9561839095
[Cultural Secretary]

EVENT IN-CHARGES

KEVIN JAMES - 7200082972
[Cultural Secretary]

RITESH REBERIO - 8778618569
[Cultural Secretary]

JUDE GIDEON P - 8189803694
[Event Secretary]



RAP BATTLE

DATE : 09.09.2026

VENUE: AMPHITHEATRE

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Each department can be represented by one participant.
- Round 1 – Own Composition: Performance duration: 1–2 minutes. Audio track must be submitted.
- Round 2 – Face-Off: Top 8 participants will freestyle and qualify for this stage. The audio track for Round 2 will be played on the spot.
- Foul language must be avoided, including language targeting caste or religion.
- Judging Criteria: Lyrical content, flow and delivery, performance, and stage presence.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

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NAVEEN P - 8489639824
[Event Secretary]

SANJAY -9445282209
[Cultural Secretary]

NAKSHATHRA - 9840359233
[Event Secretary]





ART MARATHON

DATE : 15.09.2026

VENUE: AMPHITHEATRE

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **3 challenges: Face Painting, Pencil Sketch & Junk Art.**
- **2–3 participants per department; one team.**
- **All 3 challenges must be completed within 3 hours.**
- **Start from zero: ready-made or semi-finished artworks/models are not permitted.**
- **Participants must bring their own materials and tools.**
- **Theme/task for each challenge will be revealed by the organisers.**
- **Creativity, experimentation and originality are encouraged.**
- **No electronic devices, digital references or external assistance permitted.**
- **Workspace must be kept clean, safe and organised.**
- **All work must be completed within the venue and given time.**
- **Plagiarism, copying, misconduct or rule violations may result in disqualification.**
- **Judging: Idea, Originality, Creativity, Technique, Resourcefulness, Theme Interpretation & Final Impact.**
- **Marathon Rule: 3 hours. No second chances. No ready-made art. The clock stops. Your art speaks.**

EVENT IN-CHARGES

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[Cultural Secretary]

JEFFREY RAJIV - 9003223444
[Event Secretary]

MARTIN ROSALEO - 9344725124
[Event Secretary]





SHARK TANK

DATE : 15.09.2026

VENUE: BESCHI HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- Each department can be represented by only one team consisting of 2-3 members.
- Teams must present a comprehensive business plan, pitching their product or service to a panel of judges.
- Aids such as prototypes, graphs and charts are allowed.
- Presentation rules: Presentation time of 6 minutes will be allowed to each team; 2 minutes of Q&A will follow; judges can interrupt the presentation to ask their questions.
- The presentation must only be in PPT format.
- The presentation must be submitted in a pendrive at the time of registration.
- Participants are also requested to maintain a softcopy of their ppt in case of contingencies.
- Any use of vulgarity, profanity or insensitive references to sentiments such as caste, gender, community or individual will result in immediate disqualification.
- Judges decision is final and binding.
- Judging criteria : Content, Presentation, Uniqueness, Market Feasibility, Product viability

EVENT IN-CHARGES

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[Cultural Secretary]

SHYAM - 7907733804
[Deputy Head of Cultural]

KEVIN XAVIER - 8925272486
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[Event Secretary]





STREETPLAY

DATE: 16.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- 7-15 participants per department, including instrumentalists.
- Performance must be majorly in Tamil; English words permitted.
- Time: 5 minutes performance + 1 minute preparation.
- Acoustic instruments permitted; no recorded audio/video.
- Electronic devices and scripts strictly prohibited during performance.
- Bodysuit is mandatory.
- Offensive comments targeting community, religion, culture, race, or gender are strictly forbidden.
- Political themes may be generalized; no specific party or individual may be targeted.
- Vulgarity will lead to disqualification.
- Judges' decision is final and binding.
- Technical Feasibility : 3 cordless mics, 4 wired mics, 2 AUX and stage speakers available.
- Judging: Context, Theme Relevance, Social Impact, Team Coordination, Acting Skills, Costumes & Props.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

JOHAN IMMANUEL - 9444454205
[Cultural Secretary]

SAARIKA - 9894597275
[Cultural Secretary]

KAMALESHWARAN - 949835538
[Deputy Head of Event]

MARSHAL - 9159640027
[Event Secretary]





SURPRISE EVENT (FLAGGED)

DATE: 16.09.2026

VENUE: BERTRAM HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- This is a flagged event. • One person from one department.
- The event details will not be shared in advance and will only be revealed at the venue on the day of the event.
- Points will be awarded based on improvisation, creativity, humor and originality.
- Insensitive reference to any caste/community/individual/genders are strictly prohibited.
- Vulgarity will lead to immediate disqualification.
- Technical Feasibility : 3 cordless mics, 4 wired mics, 2 AUX and stage speakers available.
- Judging criteria: speed, accuracy, content and spontaneity.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

JOHN NIRAI - 8015826565
[Cultural Secretary]

HARISHMAA HASSAN - 8940160827
[Cultural Secretary]

KAMALESHWARAN - 949835538
[Deputy Head of Event]

SURYA PRAKASH - 6382475997
[Event Secretary]



POTPOURRI (FLAGGED)

DATE: 17.09.2026

VENUE: BESCHI HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

- **1 team per department.**
- **3 members per team.**
- **Events consist of 3 levels — Spin a Yarn, Block and Tackle, and Green Screen.**
- **Aggregated scores will be the final.**
- **Insensitive reference to any caste/community/individual/genders are strictly prohibited.**
- **Vulgarity will lead to immediate disqualification.**

EVENT IN-CHARGES

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[Cultural Secretary]

FABIAN - 9561839095
[Cultural Secretary]

MARTIN ROSALEO - 9344725124
[Event Secretary]

D. O. ROHAN SAM PRABAKARAN - 9500526911
[Event Secretary]





IPL AUCTION

DATE: 17.09.2026

VENUE: BESCHI HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

GENERAL RULES

- Each team must consist of 3 members.
- Only one team is permitted per department.
- The team members must represent the same department.
- All teams must adhere to the rules and instructions provided by the event organisers.
- All decisions taken by the Event Organizers will be final and binding.

ROUND 1 — IPL QUIZ

- Round 1 will consist of an IPL-based quiz with 20 questions.
 - The duration of the quiz will be 30 minutes.
 - The Top 10 teams based on their scores will qualify for Round 2.
 - In case of a tie in points between two or more teams, time of submission will be considered as the tie-breaker.
 - Among teams with equal points, the team that submits earlier will be ranked higher.
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IPL AUCTION

DATE: 17.09.2026

VENUE: BESCHI HALL

RULES & GUIDELINES

JUDGING CRITERIA

- Each player will be assigned a credit rating before the auction.
- Player credit ratings will be determined based on: Legacy, Current Form, and Achievements.
- The total credits of all 12 players selected by each team will determine their final score.
- The team with the highest total credit rating at the end of the auction will be declared the Winner.
- The credit ratings assigned by the organisers will be considered final.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

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[Cultural Secretary]

Snukaan - 9442622478
[Cultural Secretary]

VISHAL - 8110907172
[Event Secretary]

KISHORE K - 9025795346
[Event Secretary]





ONLINE EVENTS

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SHORT FILM (SUBMISSION EVENT)

RULES & GUIDELINES

DEADLINE : 12.09.26

- Only one team per department can participate.
- Registration must be under the film director's name.
- Time limit: 6–10 minutes.
- Genre: According to the given theme
- The topic will be announced two weeks before the event. (29.08.2026)
- Vulgarity or content affecting caste, gender, political parties, individuals by name, or religion is strictly prohibited and will lead to disqualification.
- The short film must be submitted via Google Drive
- The short film must include English subtitles.
- Judging criteria: Theme relevance, screenplay, story, originality, dialogues, storytelling, performance, cinematography, music, and overall quality.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

AISHWARYA -7305836217
[Cultural Secretary]

D.O. ROHAN SAM PRABAKARAN - 9500526911
[Event Secretary]





AD CREATION (SUBMISSION EVENT)

RULES & GUIDELINES

DEADLINE : 09.09.26

- Each department can be represented by a team of 3–5 participants.
- The advertisement must be submitted as a pre-recorded video.
- The maximum duration is 2 minutes, including the introduction and credits, if any.
- The theme will be announced 3 days before the event. (06.09.2026)
- Any form of vulgarity or content that may offend or target caste, gender, or religion will result in disqualification.
- Advertisements must not make references to staff, college management, or the council.
- The video must be submitted through the Google Form 2 days before the event
- The final decision of the judges will be binding and will be based on originality, creativity, relevance to the theme, clarity of the advertisement, and effective execution.
- Judging Criteria : Creativity & Originality, Relevance to the Theme, Message Clarity & Impact, Technical Quality, Overall Presentation & Storytelling

EVENT IN-CHARGES

**HEMAVATHY K - 9384699890
[CULTURAL SECRETARY]**

**DHANRANE A - 9790202067
[EVENT SECRETARY]**





PHOTOGRAPHY (SUBMISSION EVENT)

RULES & GUIDELINES

DEADLINE : 10.09.26

- One representative per department is allowed.
- Each participant can submit only one photograph.
- Photos must be taken within the college campus.
- Only professional cameras are permitted.
- Theme will be announced 24hrs before the submission deadline. (09.09.2026)
- No editing, filters, or digital alterations are allowed.
- Usage of AI to enhance, create, edit or alter the photo will lead to immediate disqualification.
- Judging Criteria : Technical Quality, Originality, Creativity, Narrative Strength

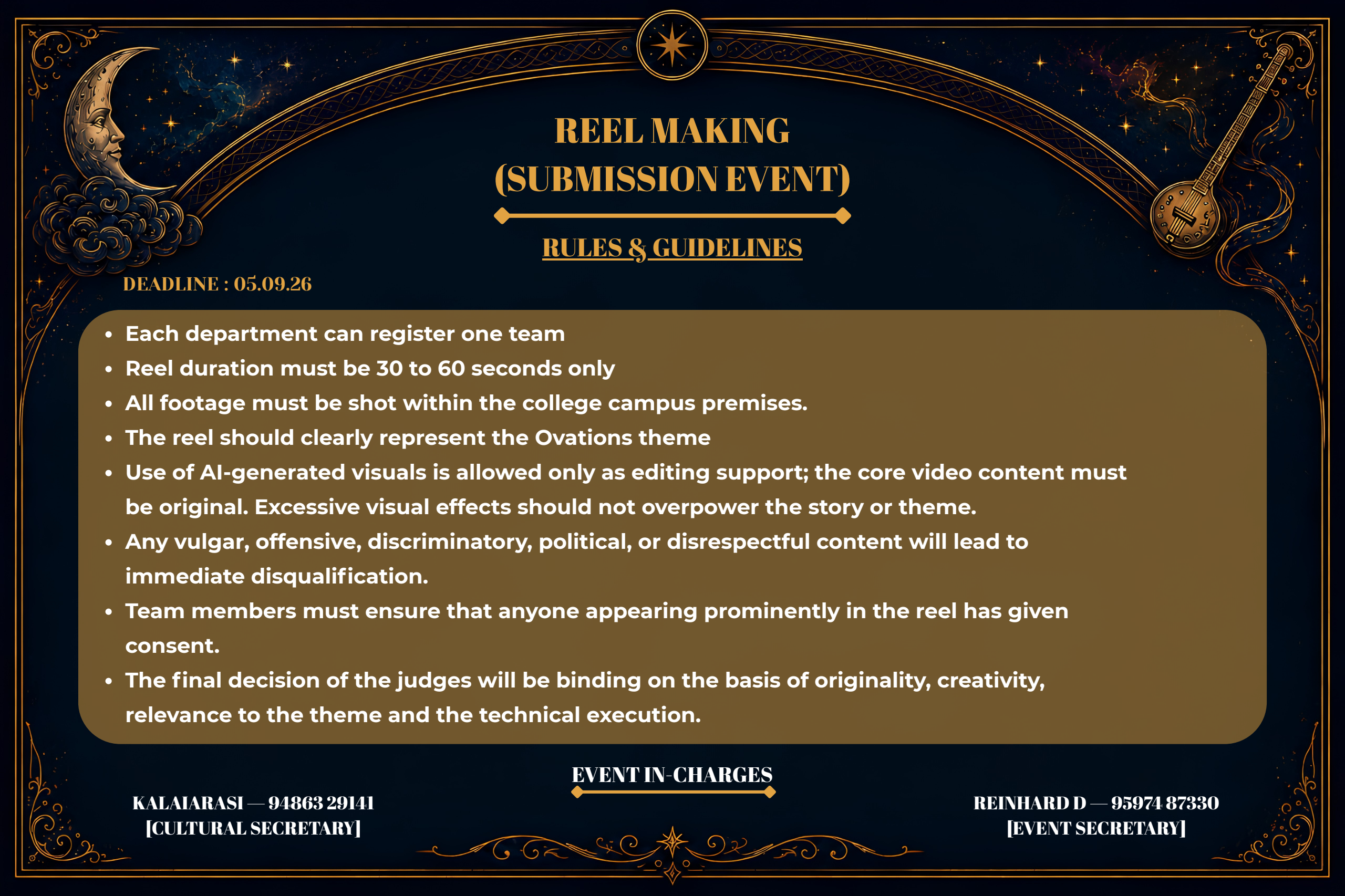
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[EVENT SECRETARY]

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[EVENT SECRETARY]





REEL MAKING (SUBMISSION EVENT)

RULES & GUIDELINES

DEADLINE : 05.09.26

- Each department can register one team
- Reel duration must be 30 to 60 seconds only
- All footage must be shot within the college campus premises.
- The reel should clearly represent the Ovations theme
- Use of AI-generated visuals is allowed only as editing support; the core video content must be original. Excessive visual effects should not overpower the story or theme.
- Any vulgar, offensive, discriminatory, political, or disrespectful content will lead to immediate disqualification.
- Team members must ensure that anyone appearing prominently in the reel has given consent.
- The final decision of the judges will be binding on the basis of originality, creativity, relevance to the theme and the technical execution.

EVENT IN-CHARGES

**KALAIARASI — 94863 29141
[CULTURAL SECRETARY]**

**REINHARD D — 95974 87330
[EVENT SECRETARY]**



OVATIONS'26 LUMIÈRA

POINTS CHART

EVENTS	1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place
ON-STAGE	20	15	10
OFF-STAGE	10	7	5
ONLINE	10	7	5



OVATIONS'26 LUMIÈRA

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