

Festival of India, Ottawa – Cultural Programs and Workshops

	Friday, August 8th, 2014 from 6:30 PM to Midnight: MCee Dr. Supriya Sharma	
06:30	Festival Opening with Mangalacharan - Auspicious beginning - Odissi Dance by Sonia St. Michel	
	Pushpanjali - Offering of Flowers - and Batu Nrutya: The sculpturesque and rhythmical aspect of Odissi dance	
07:00	Formal Opening ceremony	
07:30	Music of India by 7 Swaras	
08:00	Shakti – Bharat Natyam dance recital by Dr. Radha Jetty	
08:30	Reflections - A medley of colorful traditional and folk dances from different parts of India - by Darpan dance group	
09:30	Telling eyes-Talking Hands by Upasana the Spirit of Dance	
10:00	Let's Go Party Tonight with DJ Double J	
	Saturday, August 9th, 2014 from 10 AM to 5 PM	
	Outdoor Workshops	Indoor Workshops
10:00	Yoga by Virendra Bharti (Festival Plaza)	
11:00	Pranayama Yoga by Girija Waghray (Festival Plaza)	
11:00	Pottery / Jewellery , an all day event (Pottery workshop tent)	
11:00	Masala Matinee - All Day cooking workshop The secrets of Spices by Shailaja – A must attend for all Indian Cooking Lovers (Cooking Workshop Tent)	
11:00	Face Painting (Kids zone)	
12:00	Masala Matinee - All Day cooking workshop MAMA Mia! Those Spicy Pakoras go well with Masala Chai (Cooking Workshop Tent)	
12:00	Dance Bollywood with Erika (Festival Plaza)	
01:00	Masala Matinee - All Day cooking workshop Chef Archana will help discover the authentic Punjabi chef in you: Learn the tricks of making the Perfect Punjabi Chole Masala for your next mad tea party (Cooking Workshop Tent)	
1:00	Workshop on Henna art work (Kids zone)	
1:00	Hit a 6! – Cricket Demo	
1:00	Divine Music and Scintillating Dance! By Kuljit and the Bollywood Heat (Festival Plaza)	

2:00	Masala Matinee - All Day cooking workshop Learn to make Shrimp Moilee – A traditional style shrimp curry with Coconut milk with Chef Joe of Coconut Lagoon, a window into the distinctive flavours of Kerala in Southern Indian (Cooking Workshop Tent)	
2:00	Vocal and Instrumental (Tabla and Harmonium) workshop with Mushfiq Ensemble (Main stage)	
3:00	Rangoli decorative design (Kids Zone)	Panel Discussion: Prof. Vanaja Dhruvarajan: “Women of India: Opportunities and Challenges in a Globalized World.” Prof. Chandrima Chakraborty: “Changing Notions of Women in Bollywood Cinema.” (Councillor Room) [4:45] Prize Distribution for the Essay Competition
3:00	Dandiya – the stick folk dance. Come join the fun! (Festival Plaza)	
3:00	Six Yards of Sheer Delight : how to put on a saree (Workshop Tent)	
3:30	Masala Matinee - All Day cooking workshop Chef from Haveli Restaurant will be demonstrating Chicken Kathi Kabab (Cooking Workshop Tent)	
4:00	Holi – cover & coat yourself and others with color powder paint! (Holi Ground)	
4:00	Dance workshop - Learn some cool Indian dance moves from Darpan dance group's Lovina Srivastava and her group of dancers. And that's not all. You will get to try on some fancy Indian clothing while dancing too. (Festival Plaza)	
Saturday, 9th August from 5:00 PM to Midnight		
5:00	Ottawa's Got Talent – Ottawa's Rising Stars perform catchy Indian Classical Dance pieces!	
	Odissi Dance by Odissi Nrutyana	
	Bharatnatyam dance by Rathi dance School	
	Rythmika by Upasana Dance Company	
6:00	Bollywood Bash Up by Bollywood for Fun	
6:30	Garba and Dandia: Colorful Folk dances of Gujarat by Sahiyar Dance Group	
7:00	Raagini Dance: A tapestry of Indian classical dances choreographed and performed by Bageshree Vaze and Ragini Dance Company	
8:00	Rocking Bollywood Songs by Peea Islam	
8:30	A Mystic Journey to India by Jannat Performing Arts	
9:30	Saturday Night Bollywood Fever at FIO with DJ Double J	

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Sunday, August 10th, 2014 from 10 AM to 5 PM		
	Outdoor Workshops	Indoor Workshops
10:00	Yoga by Virendra Bharti (Festival Plaza)	
11:00	Yoga – Yoke your body and mind with Carole Ann Bilodeau (Festival Plaza)	
11:00	Pottery / Jewellery (Pottery workshop tent)	
11:00	Face Painting (Kids zone)	
11:00	Masala Matinee - All Day cooking workshop The secrets of Spices by Shailaja – A must attend for all Indian Cooking Lovers (Cooking Workshop Tent)	
12:00	Masala Matinee - All Day cooking workshop MAMA Mia! Those Spicy Pakoras go well with Masala Chai (Cooking Workshop Tent)	
12:00	Learn the basics of Indian classical dance with Sonia St. Michel (Main Stage)	
1:00	Masala Matinee - All Day cooking workshop Chef Archana will help discover the authentic Punjabi chef in you: Learn the tricks of making the Perfect Punjabi Chole Masala for your next mad tea party (Cooking Workshop Tent)	
1:00	Workshop on Henna art work (Kids zone)	Women in Hindi Cinema – A workshop on Bollywood films by Caroline Tabah (Councillor room)
1:00	Vocal and Instrumental (Tabla and Harmonium) workshop with Mushfiq Ensemble (Main stage)	
1:00	Hit a 6! – Cricket Demo	
2:00	Masala Matinee - All Day cooking workshop Learn to make Chicken Curry with Chef Joe of Coconut Lagoon, a window into the distinctive flavours of Kerala in Southern Indian (Cooking Workshop Tent)	
2:00	Be a Bollywood Star: Join the cast of Ottawa's version of a Bollywood film.	TABLA – India's percussion drums: Shawn Mativetsky of Galitcha (Councillor room)
2:00	Six Yards of Sheer Delight: how to put on a saree (Workshop Tent)	[2:30] Hindustani Music Lecture/Demo on the SANTOOR – the 100 string Indian Dulcimer – Jonathan Voyer (Councillor room)
3:00	Rangoli decorative design (Kids Zone)	
3:00	Holi – cover & coat yourself and others with color powder paint!	Panel Discussion: Prof. Vanaja Dhruvarajan: “Women of Indian Origin

3:30	Masala Matinee - All Day cooking workshop Chef from Urban Turban Restaurant will be demonstrating Rumali Roti – An Indian Style Break as thin as your handkerchief (Cooking Workshop Tent)	in Multicultural Canada: Patterns of Adaptation.” Prof. Amrita Hari: “How Important Are Women in Canadian Immigration Policy?” (Councillor room)
4:00	Dance Bollywood Style with Erika (Festival Plaza)	
	Sunday, August 10th, 2014 from 5:00 PM to 10 PM	
5:00	Ottawa’s Got Talent: Ottawa’s Rising Stars perform catchy Indian Classical Dance piece	
	Tabla Vadya - The playing of India’s percussion drums by - Gharana Arts	
	Bharata Natyam and Contemporay dances by Kalavati dance School	
	Bollywood dances by Bollywood Delight and Bollywood Dance Pro	
6:00	Santoor -A 100 Strings Indian Duclimer Recital by Jonathan Voyer accompanied by Shawn Matyvetsky on the TABLA, India’s Percussion Drum	
6:30	Bharatnatyam dance by Julie Beaulieu	
7:00	An Evening of Love with Galitcha- And you get to sing and dance along	
8:00	Satrangi the seven stories of light and Dhamaal II -Bedazzled by Bollywood – Deepali Lindblom and Troupe	