



INDIAFEST 2019

Participants & Performances

Rules and Regulations



1. Music/ Song Lyrics MUST be of Indian origin and suitable for public. (IndiaFest Program Committee shall make the final decision).
2. The intent of every performance should be to promote Indian culture through dance, music and song.
3. Only songs, music, dance and performance, that promote Indian culture, music or regional dialects will be allowed (whether it is movie song or non-movie songs). Situation songs and dance that include vulgar or inappropriate words and/or movements will not be allowed at all. IndiaFest Committee has the right to reject entries and all decisions are final. (e.g. Mika Singh, Honey Singh and most item songs does not have any cultural value and will not be allowed.)
4. All Costumes worn by performers should be appropriate for all audience of all ages. IndiaFest reserves the right to deny the performance if outfits are unsuitable and all decisions are final. IndiaFest reserves the right to request the viewing all costumes prior to the event.
5. Each performance has to be a minimum time 5 minutes. Classical music cannot exceed 30 minutes. All musicians will be allowed approx. 15 minutes for setup and sound check.
6. Minimum age: 5 years with the exception to the opening flag dance/National Anthems of India and USA.
7. Use of Props is encouraged with an exception of spraying of Glitter, Confetti, and Powdered or Wet Colors before or after or during the performance.
8. All submissions for all performances must be received by **January 15th, 2019** via email.
9. Every dance performance music/audio must be submitted by e-mail only in mp3 format. Please make sure that you have clear instruction on when the music should start playing – e.g. Music to be played when entering the stage or when all the performers have taken position on the stage. IndiaFest will not accept the following formats – DVD, Portable ZIP Drives or streaming formats. Please have a backup of your performance CD on you on the day of the event in case of loss or damage to the submitted CD.
10. All participants and/or a preassigned team leader MUST sign in with their entire team at the registration desk upon arrival on the day of the event.
11. Any Participants that have not submitted the required registration forms will not be allowed on stage.
12. All Participants should be present and ready backstage at least 30 minutes prior to their assigned performance time. If any Participants misses allocated time, they and their entire group they will not be allowed to perform.
13. No smoking or alcohol will be permitted on stage, back stage or in dressing rooms.
14. No food will be allowed on stage, back stage and/or in dressing rooms. Food provided backstage by IndiaFest is exclusively for performers ONLY. Any person or persons other than performers found consuming the provided food will immediately be REMOVED along with the PERFORMING Group that they are involved as a parent and or supporter.



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15. Parents and siblings of the performers will NOT be allowed on stage, back stage or in dressing rooms unless prior arrangement has been made with the IndiaFest Committee.
16. The undersigned, parent or guardian of participants under the age of 16 agrees to and accepts accordance with the rules & regulations defined.
17. Please return completed and signed registration form and initials on all rules pages to confirm that you have read all the rules and regulations. Application will be deemed incomplete and not valid otherwise. Signed and agreed Applications has to e-mailed to performance@sflIndiaFest.org . All electronic documents mail must be in a PDF Format and as 1 (one) attachment. Any other formats such as JPEG, PNG, BMP XPS will NOT be accepted including image or photos of the application.

IndiaFest will publish descriptions of the performances in the IndiaFest Program Book. Choreographers will need to provide any information required by the IndiaFest committee. IndiaFest reserves the right to allocate time slots to a performance based on continuity of the programming. All decisions are final and binding.

IndiaFest Program Committee's decisions are final; however, the committee reserves the right to change any of these rules it deems necessary based on circumstances on or before the date of the event.

Please make sure your team is ready to perform and backstage 30 mins prior to your performance.

Thank you and Good luck.

IndiaFest Program Committee



INDIAFEST 2019 REGISTRATION FORM



Participant or Team Name: _____

Choreographer: _____

Address*: _____

City*: _____ State*: _____ Zip*: _____

Phone*: _____ Cell*: _____

Email*: _____

Performance Title: _____

Type of Dance/Performance: _____

Duration: _____

Participant Name/Age/ their or their parent's email address:

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
- 4) _____
- 5) _____
- 6) _____
- 7) _____
- 8) _____
- 9) _____
- 10) _____
- 11) _____
- 12) _____
- 13) _____
- 14) _____

By Signing the registration form, the choreographer/parent/guardian has agreed that they have read the rules and regulations and agree to abide by them for themselves and/or their entire team. The choreographer/parent/guardian also agrees not to hold PBIA/IndiaFest responsible for any injuries/mishaps/accidents caused while rehearsing or performing at IndiaFest.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____ (Parent/Guardian/Choreographer/Team Leader)

***Contact information should be of the person responsible for providing information for the team and coordinating with the IndiaFest committee; preferably the team leader or choreographer. All fields must have complete information including, first and last name of the participants and complete contact information PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY when completing the Registration form.*

Initials _____