

Dear Friends,

We are happy to inform you that the venue for this year's deepavali programme has been fixed.

Hall-III
University Sports Centre
Noethnitzer strasse
01187, Dresden

This place is located on Noethnitzer Strasse, between Max Planck Institute of Chemical Physics of Solids and Leibniz Institute for Solid State and Materials Research (IFW). This is on your right hand side when you walk on Noethnitzer Strasse from tram station (Noethnitzer Strasse, Line No.3, and 11)

The following is the scheduled programme

Date: 25th October 2003, Saturday.
3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Assembling
3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Pooja
4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Introduction of the participants
4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Cultural programme
6:30 p.m.- 7:30 p.m. Dinner
7:30 p.m.- 9:00 p.m. Games

The following people are in charge of coordinating various parts of the programme.

1. Mr. Raj Verma, "verma_7@hotmail.com" Cultural programme
2. Ms. Sonia Oberoi, "oberois@wh12.tu-dresden.de" - Decoration of Hall
3. Dr. N.S.Kini, "kini@cpfs.mpg.de" - Food
4. Dr. V. Sarma, "sarma@ifw-dresden.de" - Pooja

Those who would like to

1. present some cultural programmes,
2. participate in decorating the hall,
3. participate in pooja
4. contribute food,

are requested to contact the above mentioned persons directly through e-mail.

Especially those who would like to contribute food, please have a look at the following suggested menu and send an e-mail as soon as possible(kini@cpfs.mpg.de) informing which item would you like to prepare and for how many people. We expect everybody to contribute food so that the deepavali programme ends with a wonderful Indian dinner. We expect a reply from you in this regard on or before Thursday.

The following is the suggested menu:

1. Chapathi 200, proportionate subjee

Suggestions for subjee:

- a. Alu Gobi
- b. Channa Masala
- c. Palak Paneer
- d. Mixed Veg Kurma and anything that is convenient and that goes well with Chapathi
- f. Vegetable Salad

2. Rice items for 100 people

Suggested items:

- a. Puliogare
- b. Vegetable Pulav
- c. Lemon rice
- d. Coconut rice, and anything that is convenient for you
- f. Raitha

3. Sweets for 100 people

Suggestions: Laddoo, Jahangir, Jilebi, Kheer, Payasam, and anything that is convenient for you.

Looking forward for your active participation.

Yours sincerely

Organising Committee

Deepavali-2003, Dresden

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