

BERA-IAA 2007 DIWALI Function – A Tribute to Young Performers

1. Welcome Note

Ramesh Gupta and Vatsal Bhatt

Announcer: Vatsal Bhatt

2. Viola Solo

Dhruv Desai

Indian National Anthem

3. Recital

All participants

US National Anthem

4. Chanting Shlokas

Yash Kelkar

Ganpati Sholakas

Announcer: Ramesh Gupta

5. Prayer

Mihir Chavan, Ria Joshi

6. Group Dance

Priyanka Tope, Arnavi Varshney, Manasvi Varshney, Priya Gandhi

Bharatnatyam Ganesh Vandana

Announcer: Bishnu Panigrahi

7. Dance

Aditi Tawde, Kinjal Sharma, Shriya Bansal, Priyal Kancharla, Shimona Agarwal

Na Na Muze Mehendi Na Lagana!

8. Bollywood Dance

Priyanka Arora, Ushna Arora, Anisha Katyayan, Meghana Vidyala

Dhoom Dhoom-2

Announcer: Anjali Gupta

9. Indian Dance

Simran Parikh, Ruchi Naidu, Shreya Krishnan, Neha Punreddy, Arunima Roy, Anushka Roy

Classical Dance

10. Group Dance

Kriti Jindal, Sanjula Singhal, Pooja Singh, Pooni Arunachalam

Barso Re

Announcer: Sandeep Rekhi

11. Diwali

Sandeep Rekhi

Origin of the "Festival of Lights"

12. Slide Show

Kerishma Panigrahi, Kumi Pandya

Rangoli – A Slide Show

Announcer: Benny Hooda

13. Parade

Yash Pande, Aayush pande, Yash kelkar, Shreya Madhav Diwan, Yashodhan Diwan, Eesha Patel, Sidhanth Dhanaraj, Aneesh Sharma, Arnav Bhatt, Aarushi Katyayan, Udithi Kothapalli

Fancy Dress Parade

14. Group Dance

Renuka Diwan, Elisabeth Appel, Uma Kumar, Sapna Nath, Kirti Nath, Pooja Deshpande, Ria Joshi

Neel Rangi

15. Group Dance

Pirtya Chugh, Ashima Muttreja, Pirneeka Chugh, Amrita Ramakrishnan

Medley of Songs

Announcer: Sharadha Sambivasan

16. Punjabi Folk Dance Gidda (Choreographer: Sayed Asghar Tirimzi)

Maneesha Banerjee, Naqiya Choonawala, Niyati Desai, Jucy Gandhi, Crystal Gandhi, Archa Joshi, Maha Mian, Neeha Mian, Mallika Mitra

17. Group Dance

Adity Sampath, Pooni Arunachalam, Sruthi Sridevan, Swathi Sridevan

Announcer: Shreel Joshi

18. Dance

Aishwarya Jain

Dholi Taro Dhol Baje

Barso Re Megha



19. Drama "Eaklavya's Gurudakshina – Right or Wrong?"

Varun Mehta, Jalaj Mehta, Neel Dhanaraj, Sidhanth Dhanaraj, Utsav Deshpande

Announcer: Ramesh Gupta

20. Painting Exhibit (outside the auditorium)

Introduction to Artist Karuna Chak

******* INTERMISSION *******

Announcer: Kumi Pandya

21. Group Dance

Varun Jindal, Suraj Singh, Anjali Singh, Amrith Arunachalam, Angad Singh

Dhoom Again

22. Rajasthani Dance

Ara ra ra ra

Rinni Bhansali

Announcer: Ramesh Gupta

23. Marathi Folk Dance Lavni (Choreographer: Sayed Asghar Tirimzi)

Ushna Arora, Naqiya Choonawala, Niyati Desai, Archa Joshi, Anisha Katyayan, Leela Mitra, Mina Weymouth-Little

24. Classical Dance

Radha Dance

Arunima Roy, Ruchi Naidu & Anushka Roy

Announcer: Syed Khalid

25. Dance

Anjali Gupta

Meri Chunar Ud Ud Jaaye by Falguni Pathak

26. Instrumental Music Violin

Shilpa Iyer and Shweta Iyer

Announcer: Ankur Gupta

27. Instrumental Music

Bishnu Panigrahi

28. Instrumental

Shreeya Panigrahi

Song on Music

Announcer: Saroj Kandasamy

29. Instrumental Music Percussion Music - Tabla Solo

Tejas Tope

30. Magic Show

Neel Dhanaraj and Sidhanth Dhanaraj

Magic Show by Neel

Announcer: Shravan Joshi

31. Group Dance

Sruthi Sridevan and Swathi Sridevan

32. Dance

Suganya Jaiswal

Barso Re

Announcer: Kerishma Panigrahi

33. Classical Dance

Anushka Roy

Jhuti Muthi Mitwa

34. Bhangra

Angad Singh and Anjali Singh

Hip Hop Bhangra

Announcer: Rooshi Khalid

35. Dance

Nitasha Khazanchi

Hindi Movie Dance



36. Group Dance

Rajasthani Folk Dance

Manasi Chavan, Pallavi Deshpande, Arati Deshpande, Geeta Tope, Shaila Satish, Nilima Joshi

Announcer: Benny Hooda

37. Dance

Ghumar Re

Sanjula Singhal, Kriti Jindal, Garima Yadav, Sarina Ailawadi, Shaina Ailawadi, Reshma Sundaran

Announcer: Ramesh Gupta

38. Vote of Thanks

Ramesh Gupta and Benny Hooda

39 Stage Honor of Performers

*****All Performers*****

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Organizers

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DIWALI – The Festival of Lights

November 17, 2007

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DIWALI
FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS

2:30 PM

Registration

2:45 PM

Cultural Program Part I

4:30 PM

Intermission and Snacks

5:00 PM

Cultural Program Part 2

7:00 PM

Dinner

