



Ministry of Defence

# Infantry Day Tribute to its Heroes in a Novel Way

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As part of the **Infantry Day Celebration 2017**, for the first time this year a mega event showcasing the martial traditions and extraordinary marching skills with arms by the Infantry soldiers is being organized on **28 Oct 17 from 5:00pm** onwards at the lawns of the iconic '**India Gate**'. Infantry Day has historic relevance, as on 27 Oct 1947 Indian troops first landed at Srinagar to thwart Pakistan's attempt to sever Kashmir. This event "**Veerta Ka Prateek**" is a tribute to the Infantry soldiers. During the three hour extravaganza, teams from various Regiments belonging to different regions across India will display spectacular precision '**Continuity Drill**' and various martial arts from all parts of the country. As a tribute to our Unsung Heroes, renowned singers and famous choreographer will also perform on the occasion. **Entry is open and all are welcome to witness the event.**

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