



KERALA ASSOCIATION OF COLORADO



## 22<sup>nd</sup> INDIAN DANCE FESTIVAL

Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup> 2022, 3:00 PM

Cherokee Trail High School

25901 E Arapahoe Rd, Aurora 80016

### TICKETS

Ages 13 & above: \$20

Ages 5 to 12: \$15

Free for KAOC Members



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## About KAOC

Kerala Association of Colorado (KAOC) is a community driven cultural organization for Malayalees (people from the South Indian state of Kerala) in Colorado, serving for more than 35 years. It acts as the bedrock for all types of arts and cultural activities for Keralites in Colorado. KAOC is a registered non-profit organization exempt from taxes and certified per the federal regulations for non-profit as a 501(c)(4) organization (Fed ID 84-1530554). KAOC provides a forum for its members to meet and exchange views and to foster a spirit of friendship, goodwill and understanding. The primary purpose of a cultural organization like KAOC is to bind the community together by promoting and preserving its identity, traditions, and values. By providing public programs through which cultural heritage can be shared, KAOC strives to build bridges between various cultural groups and the larger Indian Community. KAOC is committed to serving the community through its annual Indian Dance Festival, Music Night, Onam and Christmas Celebrations.

## About Indian Dance Festival

The Indian Dance Festival is a premier platform for all talented Indian dancers in Colorado. This event is open to all residents of Colorado and has proven to be an educational insight into Indian culture and values. Professional and amateur artists of Colorado perform various Indian dance forms like Bharatanatyam, Kuchipudi, Mohiniyattam, Kathak, Odissi, Bhangra, Bollywood etc., demonstrating the rich cultural heritage of India. Kerala Association has been organizing the Indian Dance Festival annually for more than 20 years. This festival has proved to be one of the biggest gatherings of the Indian Community in Colorado.

## Utsav

It is said that the greatness of a culture can be found in its festivals. This year we proudly present "Utsav - Festivals of India", a dance extravaganza to celebrate the magnificent festivals and diverse yet glorious cultures of India. Indian festivals are a true reflection of its rich culture and traditions, bringing people closer and creating a strong bond of humanity. Some of the main Indian festivals include Diwali, Holi, Onam, Vishu, Eid, Christmas, Pongal, Ganesh Chathurthi, Krishna Janmashtami, Vaisakhi, Dussehra and Durga Puja. We are ecstatic and equally humbled to be working with Colorado's best Classical, Semi-Classical, Folk and Bollywood dance artists to bring to you the most vibrant dance depiction of the festivals of India. Come, celebrate with us!

