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...the Bengaluru Temple Festival

Celebrating & cleaning Sacred spaces,
Spaces that honour the Supreme Being,
rejoicing with song, dance, puppetry,
Hari Katha and more...

**In 21 temples across Bengaluru
February 11th to March 19th, 2011**

A first of its kind event !!!



The event will run in **21 Heritage spaces** a thousand years old to just a decade. Temples that are filled with history and culture! Where every stone has a story to tell!

200 artists of repute from across India will converge in these sacred spaces filled with the vibrations of sacred chants. They will bring to the people different genres of dance, music, puppetry and Harikatha. Innovative Rangoli art by artists and designers will adorn these sacred floors.

Since September 2010 Heritage has conducted various programs in these temples, cleaning and greening, doll arrangements as also artistic programs.

Gudiya Sambhrama Temples

Malleswaram - February 11th to 13th 2011

Sri Kaadu Mallesha Devasthanam (Mujarai)
Sri Nandi Tirtha (Mujarai)
Sri Lakshmi Narasimhaswamy Devasthanam (Mujarai)
Sri Gangamma Devi Devasthanam

V.V. Puram - February 17th 2011

Sri Kanikaparameshwari Devasthanam
Sri Lakshmi Venkataramana Swamy Devasthanam
Sri Subramanyaswamy Devasthanam
Sri Satyanarayanawamy Devasthanam

Domlur - February 18th to 19th 2011

Sridevi Bhudevi Sametha Chokkanathaswamy Devasthanam
(Minor Mujarai)

Basavangudi - February 25th to 27th 2011

Sri Karanji Anjaneyaswamy Devasthanam (Mujarai)
Sri Dodda Ganapathy Devasthanam (Mujarai)
Sri Dodda Basavanna Devasthanam (Mujarai)
Sri Mallikarjuna Swamy Devasthanam (Mujarai)
Sri Shiva Bhakta Bedara Kanappa Devalaya
Sri Balaprasanna Anjaneya Devasthanam
Sri Navamantralaya Mandira
Sri Govardhanagiri Puthige Matha Devasthanam

Gavipuram & Hanumanthnagar - March 11th to 13th 2011

Sri Gavigangadeshwara Devasthanam (Mujarai)
Sri Harihareshwara Devasthanam (Mujarai)
Sri Guddada Anjaneya Devasthanam (Mujarai)

Fort Area - March 19th 2011

Sri Prasanna Venkataramanaswamy Devasthanam Fort (Mujarai)

Gudiya Sambhrama

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Heritage a not-for-profit trust has launched '**GUDIYA SAMBHRAMA' ...the Bengaluru Temple Festival** an event that is happening for the first time.

The event will run in 21 Heritage spaces ranging from a thousand years to just a decade bringing together mystical chants, the beauty of architecture, performing art, visual art, learning, spirituality, festivity and celebration.

GUDIYA SAMBHRAMA ...the Bengaluru Temple Festival is reviving the ancient culture of Heritage Spaces being centres of performing arts and learning.

THE TEMPLE is a creation of an open Culture that recognises and understands the diversity of people's approach to the Supreme GODHEAD. The origin of the Temple is rooted in a culture that accepts 'change' as inherent to progress. The temple of the Vedic times was the Yaaga Shala and as the wheels of time turned it transformed into the temple of today. Indian Culture sees divinity in the sacred spaces within temples, in the Yaaga Shalas as also in all creation. Indian culture stands unbroken and connected for thousands of years bringing forward time-tested practices and wisdom for centuries.

GUDIYA SAMBHRAMA ...the first ever Bengaluru Temple Festival hopes to create and revive the ancient culture of Heritage Spaces being centres of performing arts and learning.

The temple is a place where there is a mingling of the energy of the temple with the subtle Silence in Music and the Stillness in Dance.

Come! Connect to your roots, feel the silence and absorb the cosmic energy.

The Organisers : Heritage a not-for-profit trust has been actively involved since 1994 in the promotion, preservation and dissemination of our heritage and culture through seminars, workshops and cultural festivals. Heritage has fulfilled its societal responsibility through a free mid-day meal program that brings fresh meals to 250 rural children along with Vijayam Bharani Trust.

The advisory committee for the festival is **Paaramparika Sanskruti Seva Samiti** consisting of representatives of all these temples, scholars, professionals, artists and others.

THE TEMPLE is a home to someone who is actually everywhere! Yet you can visit the all pervasive one in this sacred space! Amazing, isn't it!

THE TEMPLE is where you have a relationship with the Formless in a form... and in a form that you love!

THE TEMPLE is a space for GOD,
the one who is actually all pervasive:
what a contradiction, but how delightful
that omnipresent GOD can also have
a home which people can visit.

***Connect to your roots & revel in the art, architecture,
knowledge and space of your ancients.***

Support **GUDIYA SAMBHRAMA**
the Bengaluru Temple Festival
an opportunity to share your time and
resources with your sacred spaces,
THE TEMPLE.

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