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Shripradhaa of Chitrakulam North Street, Mylapore (left) and M. Hasini, Canal Bank Road. Two of the 10 winners in the recent Mylapore Times Navaratri Art Contest for children. Each winner was gifted a mounted version of her/his artwork submitted for keepsakes.

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M S MARTIN AND HIS KEYBOARDISTS ON STAGE. OCT.27

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SEMINAR AT CLARKE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF: SILENT READING IN



Clarke School for the Deaf is hosting a seminar on "Mental Health Observance" on 29th October at the Clarke School Auditorium in Mylapore.

Eminent speakers to take part here are experts in this field and are from the reputed Institute Madras School of Social Work. (MSSW).

Clarke School has signed a MoU with MSSW for sharing knowledge, conducting seminars, identifying and implementing programmes which will enable people with disability to handle their life better.

Special educators, therapists, counsellors, parents, family members and their close associates will benefit by attending the seminar which will enable them to understand and adapt to techniques which will help to deal with themselves and the person with disabilities, said S. N. Srikanth, secretary

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Refreshments provided. Balaji is the host. The group meets every alternate Sunday here. Open to all.

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Sastha Catering has opened a kitchen and sales operation for Deepavali at Narayani Ammal Kalyana Mantap, 1st Cross St., Jeth Nagar, Mandaveli. Besides selling sweets and savouries, the staff take orders and ship out besides having 'live' cooking stalls. Open till Oct.30. From 9.30 am onwards. WhatsApp orders - 9962919460 / 8925361555.

Caterer Arusuvai Arasu is opening a similar sweets and savouries facility at Ethiraja Kalyana Mantap, Alwarpet.

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VINCENT's JOTTINGS

By VINCENT D' SOUZA

Sangeetha called me this morning. She needed help. At the GCC cemetery on St. Mary's Road.

How could the family raise a tombstone on her late mom's grave.

I had to listen first. Civic rules change like the Marina shoreline. Maybe, GCC has stopped people from raising mausoleums and grave stones. With space at a premium, recycling was the answer.

Recently, the civic body decided on have private bodies start and manage graveyards; this has raised much dust and ash.

Have you located mom's grave, I asked Sangeetha.

We lost track of it over the years, she said.

Then how could we raise a tombstone?

I couldn't be sharp on a

sensitive issue and we decided to pursue the issue.

A senior resident of Murrays Gate Road called; keen to share her woes of flooding in the area. This was going to be a long story and I was working on a deadline at the desk. She wanted to trace the history of this recurring problem. Have asked her to mail us a crisp note and photos.

When our photographer Madhan Kumar shared a photo of sewage water flooding outside an old school in Mylapore, we posted it on GCC's X page. The quick reply said we must pass it on to Metrowater, the body that deals with such issues.

There are times we at *Mylapore Times* have to be Agony Aunt, Mylapore's Listening Post and more. People expect us to address issues. Solve them. Talk to officials. Report now.

We would like to do this and more but 3 people can only focus on the core - neighbourhood journalism.

A few simple steps by you will address issues. Amplify the issue when it is posted online. Follow-up.

We encourage citizen journalism. Yes, you want your crafts sale to appear in print. You want your daughter's karate contest win to be featured. You want the festival sale to be up now.

There is space for news and info that matters. Locally. But reportage on issues needs your participation

LETTERS FROM READERS

E-MAIL your letters to - mytimesedit@gmail.com.
Provide full name and short address.
This column also contains comments posted on our social media pages.

Fish hawkers. Hawking. And new fish market

The market that GCC has got ready and is being used is a good one for starters; we need such a smart facility. But it has a few key issues that hawkers want corrected and GCC will hopefully address them.

keen to continue clearing their nets of fish and sell on sands / road side?
Because that is the natural process for small fishers.
These men put out to sea for daily catch, spend two or three hours at sea, bring the strengths.

Why are some fishers

or three hours at sea, bring the small catch, offer it on sale by the roadside and move on. These needs must also be understood.



The Marina has been the natural reserve for fishfolk. While traffic movement is a priority, their livelihood is also important.

- Martin Roberts

Remembering Sr. Mary Ann John

I had the honour of working with Sister Mary Ann John at St Isabel's, Thoraipakkam. She was such a kind soul and compassionate towards us all. RIP, dear Sister.

- Dr Rengaraj Sudarsanam

Thank you MT for monsoon updates

- Very useful information on rains with visuals from time to time on the Mylapore Times web site. Please keep reporting.
 - Dr.Lakshman Rao
- Ganga Sridhar surprised us by anchoring the monsoon reportage on Mylapore Times' social media pages. The reports were crisp, timely and useful. Look forward to more of this.

- R. Kanaka

Monsoon woes of Dr. R K Salai 8th St.

Whenever it rains, the drainage water backlashes and fills our house on 8th Street, Dr Radhakrishna Salai. I called up 1913 and placed a request to GCC to send a suction tank lorry. No action was taken, though. The authorities should work to help us out.

- K. Soundarraj

Tips for pet owners this monsoon

As a pet owner, I share a few checks to be made before heavy rains.

1. Check if you have sufficient pet food in stock 2. Take the dog for a walk whenever the rains stop 3. If it is raining continuously, keep a coir bag in the balcony for his job. 4. Dogs usually stress hearing loud thunder, so keep stress-relieving medicines handy.

- Rama Prabhakar.

MY STORY



We trained simple women to make bio enzyme-based home care products.

By NEERAJA ARJUN

As the founder of The Canopy Tales, a sustainability store in Mylapore, we were thrilled to receive the Wipro Urban Ecology Small Grant, aiming to make a notable impact on urban ecology.

Through this project, we partnered with two incredible NGOs in Chennai—The Women's India Association (founded by Annie Besant and Dr. Muthulakshmi Reddy) located in R.A. Puram, and Yein Udaan in Chetpet. We trained two of their staff members to batch and manufacture bio-enzyme-based home care products.

It's amazing how this initiative is helping turn everyday waste into eco-friendly cleaners, empowering women with new skills while making a positive impact on the environment.

I approached Padma Venkataraman, the current president of WIA and asked if they would be ready for a collaboration under this program. She readily agreed and said "WIA has always been tirelessly working to keep ecology in the forefront". When she nominated Devika for the training, I had my doubts.

How would Devika find the time between caring for the kids in the crèche and handling all the errands at WIA? Devika has been part of the Women's India Association for 24 years, looking after toddlers aged 1 to 5, whose mothers from marginalised communities rely on WIA's free daycare service at their R.A. Puram premises.

At the first bioenzyme workshop, which kicked off her training, Devika excitedly exclaimed, "Amma, there's really nooru elumichaiyin sakthi in this bioenzyme!" (the power of 100 lemons!).

The WIA premises is quite impressive, with a training hall, admin area, hostel, a place for making sathu maavu (which my family and I have been faithfully buying), and a tailoring unit. But when it came to finding space for making the cleaners, the crèche was the only room available. Without hesitation, Devika reassured me, "Amma, don't worry! I'll start batching the cleaners once all the children have gone, even if it means working overtime." It was at that moment I knew my years of research were going into the right hands.

Once the enzymes from mixed citric fruit peels (sourced from a nearby fruit shop) and soapnut were ready, I gave her hands-on training to make laundry liquid, floor cleaner, and surface cleaner.

After four years of experimenting with different formulations, I wondered how Devika would grasp everything in just a day or two. But to my surprise, she became a biochemist overnight!

I later asked if she had any feedback on the plant fertiliser we made with mixed veggie peels. With a smile, she said, "Amma, one of our members told me her hibiscus flowers are blooming twice their usual size!" That's the magic of nature!

This project not only supports women like Devika in acquiring new skills but also encourages the use of eco-friendly, natural products that benefit both homes and the environment.

We are grateful to Wipro Urban Ecology for making this vision a reality. These products are lab tested from an NABL certified Lab. Products like Floor cleaner, Laundry liquid, Surface cleaner and Plant fertiliser are available at reasonable prices at WIA premises at R A Puram.

To buy these products, contact Pandian, WIA – 9445081824, 044 – 2493 8907.

• Neeraja Arjun is founder of The Canopy Tales, a sustainability store that creates eco-friendly home care products. Her mission focuses on empowering women through training while promoting sustainable, chemical-free living for a healthier planet. @neeruinsta, @thecanopytales

Sukra Jewellery creates world's largest silver wardrobe. On show at North Mada St store

Sukra Jewellery in Mylapore unveiled what it calls the 'world's largest silver wardrobe, which has officially been recognised by Guinness World Records. It is now on show at its store on North Mada Street.

This unique work was executed to commemorate the company's 45 years in the silver industry.



On October 22, Durga Stalin, wife of the chief minister unveiled the silver wardrobe, of Nithin Kalkiraju, CEO and head of design of Sukra Jewellery.

Nithin Kalkiraju said that every aspect of this work, from the door handle to the hinges, screws, nails, nuts and bolts, is handcrafted in 92.5% pure silver, reflecting Sukra's expertise in silver craftsmanship. Standing seven feet tall, three feet wide and two feet deep, this wardrobe weighs 158.78 kilograms and is handcrafted from 92.5% silver.

The design features intricate flora and fauna elements inspired by traditional Indian painting styles from around 16th and 17th century CE, such as Pichwai and

Rajput. A striking highlight is the fascia, where a peacock gracefully perches on a branch, overlooking a vibrant meadow. Each feather is meticulously crafted to showcase exquisite detail.

The design work commenced in April 2024, followed by manufacturing from July 2024. Under the supervision of Nithin

Kalkiraju, a dedicated team of twelve silversmiths completed the special piece in the first week of October 2024, after taking over 6900 man-hours.

Founded by A. Kalkiraju in 1979, Sukra Jewellery has been principally into silver retailing and it is the first in the state to do so.

It holds two other records – the largest silver sculpture certified by Guinness Book of Records and the largest silver clock certified by World Records Academy, USA.

Sukra is at 72, North Mada Street, Mylapore.



K. R. Jambunathan takes us through nooks and corners of the Mylapore he knows best in this video series. This is a weekly series.WATCH VIDEOS at www.youtube.com/mylaporetv

Srivathi Stores

North Mada Street had famed stores for clothes and jewels. There were also small ones which were popular.

Srivathi Stores ground coffee beans to provide powder.

The store would dry the beans we gave them and then roast and grind them.

It was not easy to get coffee beans those days.
We would go to the India Coffee store in Jammi Buildings, stand a Q, get a card and get the

rationed beans and bring them to Srivathi Stores. Here too, there would be a Q. It was the pre-

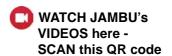
ferred coffee powder place.

They also ran a Binny Mills stockists cloth store next door.

How did that shop get the name?

Srinivasan and Parvathi ran this store! They had combined part for their first names.

On Kutchery Lane, closeby, there used to be a few chekku mills, which extracted oil the traditional way.















Susila Achutharaman, a well-known Harikatha and Carnatic music artiste of her time and a Mylaporean, passed away on Oct.7. She was 101 years old.

Born in Chennai on May 10, 1923 to Chellammal and K. Arunachalam, Susila was fondly called Pichai by her family. Having lost two earlier children at a young age and

wishing for her good health, her parents thought of her as the God's alms rather than their own and collected alms for her first meal – hence the name Pichai.

She received her first chipplakattai (wooden clappers) from Coutrallam Mouna Swamigal at the age of three after singing Tyagaraja's Santhamu Leka Sowkhyamu Ledu and explaining its meaning to him.

She learnt her first Harikatha "Valli Kalyanam" from Doriaswamy Ganapatigal and gave her first performance at the age of 9.

She started learning music from her mother who was an accomplished vocalist, violinist, vainika, and sitar player, and continued learning under Manakkal Varadarajan.

She lived in Andhra in her early years and performed Harikatha in Telugu in several places including Guntur and Bezawada.

She completed her SSLC at St. Raphael's High School, St Thomas Convent in Mylapore and moved to Coimbatore after marriage. She was an All India Radio A-grade artiste and continued to perform at various sabhas in Chennai, notably giving the inaugural concert at The Music Academy Conference in 1946.

Her music and discourses were characterised by a deep sense of bhakthi, so she was unaffected by accolades.

On her return to Chennai after a tragedy in the family, she resumed giving Harikatha discourses in AIR and local sabhas. Her rendition of Narakasura Vadam was replayed by AIR on the eve of Deepavali for many years.

Among her repertoire were Yaksha Prashnam, Bhadrachala Ramdas, Tiruppanazhwar, Kulasekharaazhwar, Tyagaraja Charitram, Sabari Moksham, Radha Madhavam and Nandanar Charitram.

Her performance of Sabari Charitram in The Music Academy's 36th conference in 1962 had to be moved from the temporary stage to the main hall to accommodate the large crowd that attended.

The bhajana ghoshtis she led in the 1950s and 60s at her home in Mylapore gave a platform for several young musicians who went on to become stalwarts in their fields.

Amongst her mentors were advocate Sundaram Iyer and later Mannargudi Sambasiva Bhagavatar. She is known to have popularised and taught Oothukkadu Venkata Kavi's Rasa Sabdams to many aspiring vocalists in the early sixties. She continued to perform till she was 60, and thereafter maintained a deep interest in both Harikatha and music as long as she lived.

She was gifted with a powerful voice and used vivid language, imagery and music to immerse her audiences in the stories she told. She was a pioneer in art and in life – one of a few women in the male dominated field of Harikatha and one of the first women to drive a vehicle in Coimbatore in 1947.

She was resilient, generous with her art, gregarious, and independent. She was the recipient of the Gana Kala Shiromani award from the Mannargudi Sambasiva Bhagavathar Trust.

- Tribute by Ramya Vishwanathan, grand daughter of Sushila



Students start reporting for Mylapore Times special pages

Four Mylapore-resident school students have completed their first field reporting assignment and will file reports for publication in *Mylapore Times*' issues in November.

The weekly is encouraging senior children (class 6 and above) to sign up for this project where they must step out into their campus or neighbourhoods, locate interesting news and shoot pictures and file for the newspaper.

The newspaper's editor, Vincent D'Souza will guide them

To sign up, WhatsApp your name, contact number and interest to the Editor at 9841049155. Those who file three good reports get certificates.

Music-Dance combo fest

Charsur Arts Foundation and Kala Sadhanalaya are hosting a 'Shakthi-themed music and dance combo fest at Sunaadalahari premises 52, C.P. Ramaswamy Road, Alwarpet, from October 25 to 27.

Oct.26 - 5.30 p.m.: Shreema Upadhyaya & Niranjan Dindodi. At 6.30 p.m.: Shijith, Parvathy & Vivek Sadasivam.

October 27, 5.30 p.m.: Smrithi Vishwanath & Abilash Giriprasad. At 6.30 p.m.: Jyotsna Jagannathan & Brindha Manickayasakan.





This R. A. Puram family's kolu was delayed. Now, the themed kolu – Shanmathas established by Sri Adi Shankara, is open to guests



By Our Edit Team

The Srinivasans of Srinivasa Avenue in R. A. Puram had to delay their Navaratri kolu for

But they did not jet the hiccup stand in the way of continuing a tradition of themed kolus. The theme -Shanmathas (six forms of worship) established by Sri Adi Shankara.

The family says that the planning for the stories, background models and flex printing and purchasing of bommai started weeks ahead of the fest.

They said they referred

to corresponding spiritual texts and the theme and storyboard was developed.

> Said Guruprasad Srinivasan, "For over 12 years, my mother has been preparing theme based kolus

and some of themes have been Chaturthi mahimai, Kandhapuranam, Bhagavatham, Lalitha sahasranamam and

This year's kolu is themed 'Shanmatha Sthapanacharyar' based on Madhaviya Shankara Vijayam by Sri Vidyaranya and revolves around how

rejuvenated Sanatana Dharma and established Shanmathas or six modes of worship.

"My mother, Rohini Srinivasan explains the concepts and stories to all the guests. All the preparations are done as a team by the entire family and friends,"

said Guruprasad. "My mother believes that celebrating these occasions are excellent opportunities to carry the rich heritage and culture to next generation"

The kolu is still on display for guests till next Wednesday.

But the family requests

that guests call before they drop in.

Contact Guruprasad Srinivasan / 9445623609 / 6380571171

Address: Bharathi Guru Krupa, B15, Shree Apartments, No.19, Srinivasa Avenue Road, R A Puram, Chennai 28



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STRESS SELF-ASSESSMENT

For each question mark: 0 = Never, 1= almost never, 2 = sometimes 3 = Fairly often and 4 = Very often.

In the last 30 days how often:

- 1. You been upset because of something that happened unexpectedly?
- 2. You felt that you were unable to control the important things in your life?
- 3. You felt nervous and stressed?
- 4. You felt confident about your ability to handle your personal problems?
- 5. Have you felt that things were going your way?
- 6. Have you found that you could not cope with all the things that you had to do?
- 7. Have you been able to control irritations in your life?
- 8. Have you felt that you were on top of things?
- 9. How often have you been angered because of things that happened that were outside of your control?
- 10. Have you felt difficulties were piling up so high that you could not overcome them?

You can determine your score by following these directions: First, reverse your scores for questions 4, 5, 7, and 8. On these 4 questions, change the scores like this: 0 = 4, 1 = 3, 2 = 2, 3 = 1, 4 = 0. Now add up your scores for each item to get a total. 0-13 = low stress, 14-26 = moderate stress and 27-40 high perceived stress. Physical Wellness + Psychological wellness = Longevity

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Sewage pipelines being laid for colonies off Marina Loop Road



By Our Edit Team

New sewage pipelines are being laid in the colonies off Marina Loop Road. This project was approved by TN Urban Habitat Development Board

Local ward councillor Amirda Varshini says that the sewage pipes were laid as a temporary solution post 2004 tsunami, which clogged over time.

She said the existing drainage system could not handle the load as the density of people in the colonies increased.

"Chambers in coastal areas were damaged due to erosion risks. So we have reconstructed the damaged manual doors and focussing on improving the sewage flow using the motor located in Srinivasapuram," said the councillor.



Festival buzz low in Luz as Metro-construction impacts retail business. But stores now open want Mylaporeans to shop

By Our Edit Team

When Mylaporean Bhanu went out on a short shopping spin in Luz Circle, she realised that the zing and the lights were missing. And the festival of Deepavali is just over a week away.

"In two shops that I visited the staff were just sitting and had glum faces," said Bhanu who resides off Kutchery Road and has been in Mylapore for over 40 years.

"They told me- Metro has finished us," said Bhanu

In some stores which used to be bustling spaces, there was not even a single shopper the past Thursday evening.

"Places that were minutes away from our home seem one kilometre away now, so who wants to shop?, asks Mohan. The kilometre exaggerates the diversions that Mylaporeans have to cover to

barricade indicate the pathway. In a sense, they also inform people these stores are alive, so please do shop here.

The shops which chose to remain even as Luz looked like a section of industrial estate, with roads on all four sides barricaded, blocks





shop at their regular places.

"Please tell people that we are still alive!," says Girish of Rex Fashions, once a go-to readymades destination on Luz Church Road. Now, barricades for the Metro work cut off the facades of his and many other stores here.

Rex flex banners on the

demolished or shut and only walkways through messy paths.

But their owners are holding on. - Be it Hari Agencies, Gani Dresses, Children's Choice, Mohan Dress, Nalli, Sri Meenakshi, Sivanmalai Andavar....

Even regular shoppers





have chosen to skip the zone.

"Only some longtime clients who like our stuff come to shop," said a manager of a popular store.

Luz / Mylapore has always drawn people from all over; not just to buy clothes but to do A to Z shopping sweetmeats and masalas, temple visits and homeneeds. Said Ratna Mukherjee, "A few weeks ago I was trying to get to the Ramakrishna Mutt and it was a nightmare and I thought that I will not go that side unless I have to."

Luz charmed Mylaporeans because it has been a local attraction. Said Chitra Sivakumar, "Felt very bad to see Luz corner so deserted. Shopping in Luz especially

for Deepavali used to be such a pleasure and the whole place used to be so colourful and lively."

Even the pavement hawker stalls seem jaded. These were go-to places for families with limited or low incomes, rushing here to shop on festival eve - footwear, fancy chains, clothes, belts.





HSBC India hosted the 22nd edition of the "Helping Hands' mela - an endeavor to keep communities at the heart of the bank's overall sustainability efforts.

At HSBC's Chennai branch on Cathedral Road, the mela was inaugurated by N Ram of The Hindu Group, Robin Singh, cricketer and Shalini Medepalli of the British Deputy High Commission, Chennai

'Helping Hands Mela', an annual exhibition by NGOs at HSBC India's premises across the country, was on from October 21 to 25 at No.5 & 7, Cathedral Road.

The Chennai branch has also chosen the theme of sustainable development goals. Senior VP and branch Head Stephen Dique spoke about these goals and how HSBC has also integrated these as part of their CSR initiatives.

10 NGOs displayed their products, ranging from art and crafts, accessories, hand crafted jewellery, woven fabrics, home linen, stationery, diyas, organic food items, sarees etc.

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Skanda Sashti celebrations will start at all temples on November 2.

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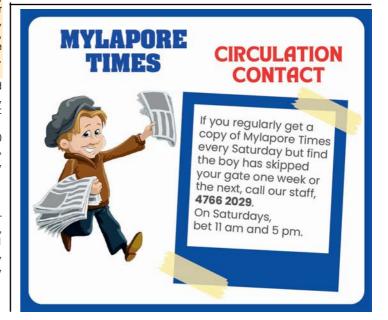
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This store is open 24 hours, 365 days. In Mandaveli



By Preetha K.

Ebenz Family Supermarket on Venkatakrishna Road, Mandaveli is open round the clock. It also has special offers on groceries and household products.

So why open 24 hours? "Many people are

nowadays leaving for work at 6 a.m. There are others who come for morning walks to the beach at 4 a.m. and walk to pick up stuff on their way back. VIPs also prefer to shop when there is a smaller crowd and they come to the store

either late night or early







mornings," says A, Gerald Ebenezer, managing director of the supermarket, who also runs hospitals, medical centers and an NGO.

"These factors encouraged me to keep the store open round-the-clock, just as it is in foreign countries," he adds.

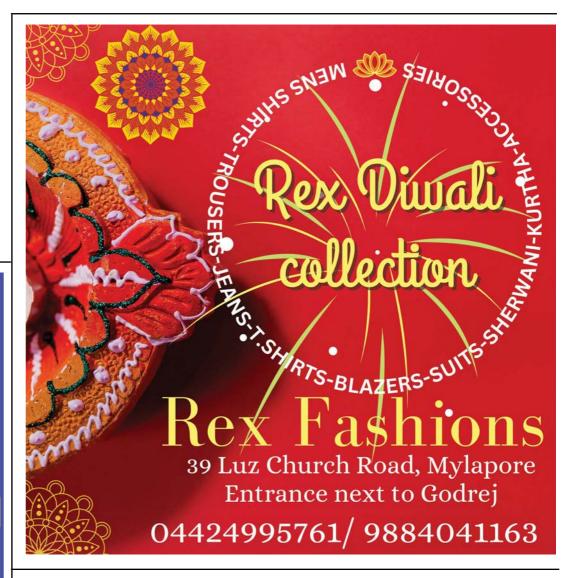
The supermarket also

has home delivery options for areas within 5 km radius.

This five-year-old store stocks groceries, fruits, vegetables, medicines, puja items, toys, office stationery, household items, gift items and many more daily needs, in the three floors of the building.

Gerald, a chartered accountant, says that customers have started walking in late at night "I have 15 staff members who work in shifts and I take good care of them," he adds.

Ebenz Family Super Market is at 48/42, Venkatakrishna Road. Ph: 24935000/8939565000





MYLAPORE TIMES presents a Contest for all Mylapore-based families (covering San Thome, Alwarpet, Mandaveli, R A Puram and Abiramapuram too)

Create a special decoration - flowers, lamps, craftwork and more - on the floor, your puja space, on the wall.. anywhere. On Deepavali day. Shoot 2 good, sharp photos; they MUST have a date/time line print; and mail them to us with a one-line description and your name and full address and phone number.

Mail to - mytimesedit@gmail.com. Subject line; Deepavali Decor Contest

BEST FIVE DESIGNS WIN PRIZES. Contest closes on Nov. 1, 8pm.











Mylapore Fund clients seen on South Mada Street as they await their turn to access lockers

Mylapore Fund issue: some people allowed access to lockers

By Our Edit Team

About 40 clients of Mylapore Hindu Permanent Benefit Fund were able to access their lockers after police arranged for it on Saturday.

The Fund office has been sealed since the day its directors were arrested in a case slapped on them for not returning the monies of its depositors.

The lockers access process was organised and processed by staff of the TN Police Economic Offences Wing (EOW) who were present.

Many Fund clients had been requesting this since they wanted their things in the lockers urgently to meet various personal needs.

It is not clear when other locker clients will be allowed access. Depositors said that 60-plus people have sought access to lockers.

Meanwhile, a spokesperson of the Mylapore Benefit fund Depositors Association said that bail has been refused to the Fund's MD and his associates in the lower court and the arrested have sought relief in the Madras High Court and this plea will come up for hearing on

He said that the association will ask the court to direct the MD to outline how and when he intends to return the deposits and interest earned.

Disciples of Shubha Ganesan help team win max prizes at Carnatic music contest



By Our Edit Team

Disciples of Dr Shubha Ganesan, Carnatic music artiste and teacher, bagged the maximum number of prizes in the a music contest themed on the compositions of vidushi Dr Rukmini Ramani.

A rolling trophy was also awarded by the chief guests Dr Sudha Seshayyan and Nalli Kuppuswami Chetti to Shubha Ganesan.

The contest was conducted by Shiva Anugraha Trust. Hamsanadam Music School, run by Shubha, functions at Mandaveli can be contacted at 9962927930.

POST CARD ART CONTEST FOR CHILDREN.

By MYLAPORE TIMES

This is a contest for Deepavali. We will give you a postcard. On one side, you must colour and paint the image it carries.

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Contest open to all school children residing in Mylapore zone (Alwarpet. R A Puram, Abiramapuram, San Thome, Mandaveli)

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- Contest closes on Oct.28, 5 pm.

PRIZES FOR 10 BEST ENTRIES. Based on the artwork!







Sai Supermarket



Date: NOV. 2nd to 10th, 2024 Venue: Narada Gana Sabha Main Hall, TTK Road, Alwarpet, Chennai

Nov 2nd: 2.45pm:Dr. Sudha Raja's Sargam Choir 4.00pm: "Sangeeta Medhaigalukku Meendum Oru Medaiyaa" -"Carnatic Fantasy"- A Musical Play featuring Drama Legend Kathady Ramamurthy with Naanu and Carnatic Stars -Conceptualized by K.N. Shashikiran

6.30pm: Inauguration, Chief Guest: Sri. B.V. Jagadeesh 7.00pm: "Pianotes" - "Black & White Classical" - Classical Interpretations of Iconic Flim Songs from Black & White Era - by Kalaimamani Anil Srinivasan featuring S. Saindhavi, Maalavika Sundar, R.P. Shravan & Abilash Venkitachalam

Nov 3rd: 4.45pm: "NAVAYUGA" featuring Bharat Sundar 7.00pm: Carnatic Jugalbandi featuring Kunnakkudi

M. Balamuralikrishna - Vocal & Ramana Balachandhran - Veena Nov 4th: 4.45pm: "Carnatic Bhakthi Sangeet" by

7.00pm: "CreatiVanganza" featuring Abhishek Raghuram - Vocal & S. Sashank - Flute

Nov 5th: 4.45pm: "Bharat Sangeet Medley" by Kruthi Bhat -Vocal & Vittal Rangan - Violin

7.00pm: "Carnatic For Everyone" presented by Sriranjani Santhanagopalan - Vocal

Sooryagayatri & Spoorthi Rao - Vocal Duet

Nov 6th: 4.45pm: "Sangeetha Upanyasam on Mahalakshmi Jaganmata" by U Ve Dushyant Sridhar & Palghat Ramprasad

7.00pm: "Sampradaya Kutchery" by N. Vijay Siva - Vocal Nov 7th: 4.45pm: "Indian Classical Sangeetmilan" by Ramakrishnan Murthy - Vocal & Charumathi Raghuraman

7.00pm: "StringWindasy" by Rajhesh Vaidhya - Veena & J.A.

Nov 8th: 4.45pm: "Sangeet Sangamam" by Sandeep Narayan - Vocal

7.00pm: "ARRagam - A classical twist to 90s Classics" -Conceived and Executed by Subhasree Thanikachalam

Nov 9th: 4.00pm: "Sringaram" - Romance in Cama Compositions - presented by K.S. Vishnudev & N.J. Nandini 6.00pm: The Federation of City Sabhas celebrates the centenary

of the legendary Mridangam maestro Dr. T.K. Murthy 7.00pm: "Siblings Sing" Vocal Duet concert by Trichur Brothers (Srikrishna Mohan & Ramkumar Mohan)

Nov 10th: 7.00pm: "கச்சேரி களைகட்டப் பெரிதும் காரணம் មារ៉េស្លឹច្ចលោះ? មានម៉ង់ទ្វីឃលា:? - Isai Pattimandram" featuring Pattimandram Raja as Moderator, Padma Bhushan Awardee Sudha Ragunathan, Bharathi Bhaskar, 'SunTV Fame' K. Sivakumar, Dr. Nithyasree Mahadevan, Palghat R. Ramprasad, Harikatha B. Suchitra







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HEME KOL THAT WON PRIZES

Today, it is not easy to spend time to create themes around the main, traditional kolu. But some families make that effort and this was seen

in the entries for theme kolus submitted to the annual Mylapore Times Kolu Contest.

In fact, long after the contest was over, we got a call from S. Srinivasan

of B-15, Shree Apartments on Srinivasa Avenue Road, R A Puram. He wanted us to visit and see the theme he had created - Shanmathas (six forms of worship) established by Sri Adi Shankara.

Here is what our winners created, in brief.

While S. Geetha of Mandaveli created a temple and kulam scene, Akshara Ramesh created a village life scene, cricket play and temple zone.

Yoga Bhagyalakshmi of Mandaveli has a triple set - Vande Bharat, Kapali Temple zone and the new Kilambakkam bus terminus.

Veteran kolu setter, Vijayalakshmi Sailapathi focussed on themes on Ramayana and Krishna Leela and a frisbee play scene on Elliots Beach.

Four sub-themes on the 'Nava Prakar' was the work of Smirutula Kumar of Mylapore, Prema Narayanan of Mylapore neatly set up temple processions of various deities on the palaquins and R. Anusha of

R. Girija and her husband created a sound and light show, themed on

Kulasekara azhwar, CIT Colony's Vyjayanthimala had a wedding feast, a Thiruneermalai temple zone and scenes of war in the world.

Alwarpet's Rashmi Krishnan focussed on 'Pancha Bootha sthalangal.















Smirutula kumar



Special Sunday at this church. Differently-abled were honoured

By Fabiola Jacob

A 'Sunday for people with special abilities' was observed on October 20 at CSI St. Thomas English Church in San Thome.

Students from the nearby CSI School for the Deaf and CSI School for Autism participated in the morning worship service and performed a choreography.



The church community is an inclusive and welcoming one, and this was evident in how differently-abled members from the congregation also played an active role in the service on Sunday.

Members from 'Mission to the Blind' – a Christian organization that works among the visually challenged people in India with a goal to bring them into the mainstream – also joined the worship, to share their experiences.

A Jaikumar, the national executive director of Mission to the Blind preached a sermon on 'Dignity and dependence'.

Bags, purses, pillowcases, fridge covers and other articles made at the Mission to the Blind's vocational training centre at Madhavaram were on sale after the morning service.

Tree, branch crash on busy Mylapore road. People want GCC to check state of avenue trees



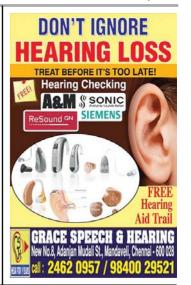
Senior citizen K R Jambunathan and his wife had a narrow escape recently when what seemed to be a dead branch of a tree off Sri Mundagakanni Amman Koil Street came crashing down.

The tree is located inside the Angala Parameswari Temple.' The branch, a big one that had blocked traffic, was removed by civic staff soon after Jambunathan reported it in the WhatsApp groups of the local MLA and ward councillor.

Jambunathan says that a week ago, a tree by the roadside here had come crashing down.

He says that GCC needs to ask its staff to do another check of avenue trees and see if they pose a danger after the first set of rains.







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