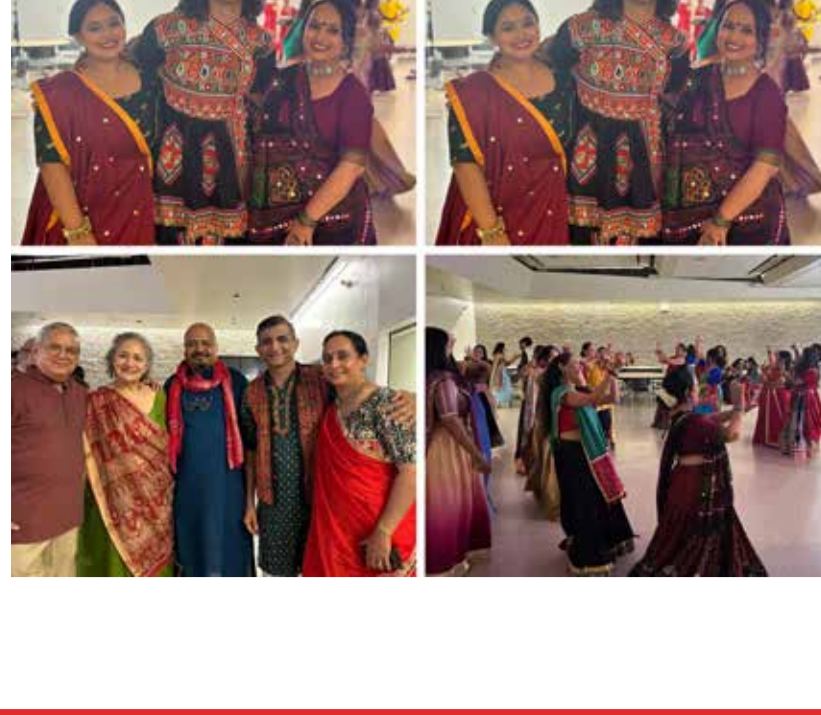




SAWITRI FolkFest 2024!

A special thank you to our readers, audience, and supporters of SAWITRI Theatre Group for making Mississauga Multilingual Fringe Festival 2024 a huge success. Our performances from all the Mississauga Fringe productions put together by Mizaaj Arts, Nautanki Bazaar, Anju Malhotra, Paperboat Productions, Dramatic Jukebox and Karen Wilson received tremendous applause, including some standing ovations! People from all over the Greater Toronto Area attended the festival! A big thank you to MAC (Mississauga Arts Council) and their sponsor the TD Bank Group for supporting the Real to Reel (Emerging Filmmakers) 2024 Project. This Fringe Film Festival saw noteworthy films from Doyinsola Ajayi, Laila Vahed, Siddharth Sharma, Aadhi Vive, Ethan Perysyo and Alexandra Rizkallah. A heartfelt thanks to the film mentors on this project - Ash Varma, Mazahir Rahim and Deepa Mahanti. We are grateful to all the artists who attended the reading of 'The Chattans' at a very short notice and provided stimulating conversations and valuable inputs. Lastly, we would like to thank Shiv Tandon, the playwright from India, for sharing his script with SAWITRI Theatre Group and for being appreciative of the feedback received.



Join us for an exciting Movement Workshop!

border dances

with Brandy Leary and Jumblies Theatre + Arts

Offered in partnership with FLOURISH (UTSC) and SAWITRI Theatre, participants will learn vocabulary rooted in the ancient Indian tradition of Kalari and explore themes of borders and border crossings.

Saturdays 12pm - 2:00pm
Oct. 19th, 26th & Nov. 2nd

AN1 Studios
2465 Cawthra Road, Unit 132
Mississauga, ON

free!
open to
youth (12+)
& seniors.

registration
required

registration
and more info:
info@jumbliestheatre.org



Mahendra Joshi Playwriting Competition Closed!

The Mahendra Joshi playwriting competition is now closed. We thank all the participants for sending in their entries. The names of the winners will be announced shortly. The competition was seeking original one-act plays in English and Hindi by emerging playwrights in South Asia as well as the diaspora.

We are 21! Mark your Calendars from 21st Nov-23rd Nov 2024, for a special production (VR21)

21 years of stories and a stage for tomorrow!

Registration link to follow.

VR21
A celebration of theatre
November 2024
AT THE NEWLY RENOVATED
AN1 STUDIOS
Cawthra Rd Unit 132,
Mississauga, ON L5A 3P2

The City of Brampton is offering free Audition Intensive - a masterclass in auditioning.

This intensive is intended for Brampton residents, but if you are interested, apply, and reach out to Christina or Reé at arts.culture@brampton.ca to discuss.

AUDITION INTENSIVE
LED BY LEIGHTON ALEXANDER WILLIAMS
OCTOBER 19, 26 & NOVEMBER 2, 2024
10:00 AM - ADULT SESSION
1:00 PM - YOUTH SESSION
SNELGROVE COMMUNITY CENTRE
LIFELONG LEARNING
BRAMPTON ON STAGE

Become a Member at SAWITRI Theatre Group Today!

EXCITING NEWS!
BECOME A MEMBER AND BE A PART OF THE SAWITRI THEATRE COMMUNITY!
MEMBERSHIP IS FREE FOR THE REST OF 2024 ONLY.
Register
Link in Bio
JOIN US NOW

SAWITRI's membership is open to all individuals and organizations who would help advance the mandate of SAWITRI Theatre Group and be a part of the arts community in Mississauga and benefit the City and beyond. Membership is subject to approval by the Membership Committee.

Membership Fees

Membership is annual and covers the period from January 1 to December 31 of each year. The fee structure is reviewed and revised each year.

General Benefits

- Participation in diverse artistic and cultural activities and events
- Build and belong to a community that supports the creative industries
- Encourage and increase volunteerism and enhance community involvement
- Be a strong advocate for the arts, culture and heritage of a diverse population
- Receive 10% discount on all full price ticketed SAWITRI productions and professional development workshops. (No discount on Children's Summer Camps). Cannot be combined with any other discounts such as early bird, BOGO, etc. Certain exclusions apply, such as no discount on the ticket price of the Mississauga Multilingual Fringe Festival (100% of ticket price goes to the artists)
- Regular newsletters and discounts on our partner events as and when available.

Artist Membership

For the purposes of this membership SAWITRI Theatre Group defines an artist as an individual who is a professional who has a full-time career in the arts, or a distinct parallel career in the arts, or community artist, in an artistic discipline of their choice (performing arts, visual arts, media arts, literary arts, etc.) and is recognized as such by their peers. Professional artists living abroad are eligible to join as well as professional arts organizations.

Artist Membership Benefits

Includes all of the above and the following:

- Advance notice of SAWITRI auditions
- Posting of artist members' arts, culture and heritage events on SAWITRI Facebook Page and other sites as permitted
- Posting of member artists' profiles on the AoSOPA portal or SAWITRI's website and in other communications as permitted
- Discount on studio rentals on a case-by-case basis

Corporate Membership Benefits

Corporate membership is extended to any two members of the company.

Benefits include all the benefits listed under General Benefits and the following:

- Posting of the organization's name and service/product in an online directory

You can register here:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1-7nvr5nP9QcATnLuSeij3FUgN3bcLG2pUbXm1TEMJUw/edit#responses>

