

ASSOCIATION



Press Conference, Whistling Show

Title	:	Eve of International Whistling Convention
Date	:	Saturday May 22, 2010
Time	:	3.30 pm to 5.30 pm (Press Conference 3.30 to 4.00pm sharp)
Venue	:	4th Floor, Ravindra Natya Mandir, Prabhadevi
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Indian Whistlers Association (IWA), is an exclusive association created to promote the most unique art-form called 'Whistling' and to break all myths and Taboos surrounding this art form.

IWA's whistlers (**almost 500 members all over India**) come from different fields and professions of ages varying from 10 to 75. They are capable of whistling not just film songs but also classical, carnatic, devotional, patriotic and other diverse range of compositions.

IWA has made history by creating a national record when it entered the prestigious **Limca Book of Records in 2008**.

IWA has organised many shows including stellar performances at the **Kala Ghoda Arts Festival**, and workshops all over India, receiving accolades from media, charitable organisations, educational institutions and individuals.

IWA's vision includes bringing together whistlers from all over India, onto a single platform, and get whistling **recognised as a "Performing Art"**. In addition IWA also envisions doing their bit for the society and performing for charitable causes to aid various underprivileged sections of society. IWA has also organized a charity show in Mumbai to help under privileged children.

The International Whistlers Convention (IWC), is held in the historic town of Louisburg, North Carolina, USA, the world's whistling capital. The Convention, Music Festival, International School for Whistlers, and International Whistlers Museum are all sponsored by the Franklin County Arts Council, an honored member of the State of North Carolina Arts Council System, and officially supported by the County of Franklin, the town of Louisburg, and Louisburg College (founded in 1779).

The 2010, 37th International Whistlers Convention and Competition will convene in Qingdao, China between May 26 ~ 30, 2010.

Whistlers from IWA's Mumbai and Chennai chapters, will be taking part in the 37th IWC, not only to compete with other whistler's world over, but also to promote the Indian Chapter of Whistling to the rest of the World and prepare the foundation for hosting the International Whistling Convention in India very soon. This press conference and precursor show has been specially organized by IWA on the eve of this visit to China for the IWC. **You are all most welcome to attend and witness this unique art form and High Tea thereafter. Question/Answer session will be held between 3.30 and 4.00pm.**

Thank You