# **JUNE 2021**



The Monthly Newsletter from Goethe-Zentrum Hyderabad



#### WHAT'S UP AT GZH IN JUNE 2021!

As we all try to stay calm during these cruel times, our hope for better times is what is keeping us all alive. The team GZH extends our deepest sympathy to all those who are impacted. Our offices still remain closed for visitors. Therefore, we are devoted to bringing you the best of digital content in the form of workshops, films, talks etc. The highlights of this month are the World Environment Day on 5 June and World Music Day on 21 June, both of which we would like to celebrate with you through our events. Also check out our digital exhibitions that are targeted to aid the pandemic affected. Our German language classes and programs shall remain fully operational online.

Visit our website (with its new look and feel) for details.

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Photo credit: Amita Talwar

# GERMAN LANGUAGE COURSES JUNE & JULY 2021



### **Upcoming Courses**

#### **A1 Online Course**

14.06.2021 | 10:30am to 02:00pm (with half an hour break) Mon to Fri | 08 Weeks

#### **A2 Online Crash Course**

19.07.2021 | 9:00 am to 12:30 pm Mon to Fri | 08 Weeks

#### **B1 Online Crash Course**

09.07.2021 | 7:00 am to 10:15 am Mon to Fri | 08 Weeks

### **Upcoming Examinations**

Registrations are closed for the following exam

**Goethe Zertifikat B1 Exam** 01.07.2021



**Registrations Open\*\*** 

**Goethe Zertifikat A1 Exam** 

08.07.2021

**Goethe Zertifikat A2 Exam** 

15.07.2021

**Goethe Zertifikat B1 Exam** 

12.08.2021

For more details contact: info@goethe-hyderabad.org









# LEARN GERMAN WITH US

We've lined up an interesting set of language courses for you to stay home and the learn the language of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, Ludwig van Beethoven and Johann Wolfgang von Goethe. Errr! Are you confusing it with music? We of course meant German as a language. Got you there!

Write to us at info@goethe-hyderabad.org if you have any queries.

Do check out our World Music Day program for the other language that these three gentleman shared in common: Music!!



### **Virtual Photo Exhibition**



# **HELP HYDERABAD HEAL**

Clicks for a Cause! by Serish Nanisetti

On View: 22 May 2021 to 30 June 2021

An Online exhibition and sale in aid of the pandemic affected. These photographs were shot over the past decade, showing the architectural glory of the city that was founded on the Deccan plateau. Some of these photographs were part of an exhibition called Domes of Hyderabad at the Hyderabad Literary Festival.

The proceeds of the auction will be directly transferred to chosen NGOs working to provide Covid relief to citizens in need. The NGOs are working to help families feed, help families conduct the funeral rites of their loved ones, and aid families find their moorings due to emotional, social and financial stress.

All Photographs are for SALE. Limited Canvas Edition Prints - 10 original prints on CANVAS are immediately available. To buy DIGITAL prints please write to jyothi.bezawada@goethe-hyderabad.org. Post sale pick up at Goethe-Zentrum Hyderabad following all COVID protocol.

#### **View ONLINE Exhibition here:**

https://tinyurl.com/helphyderabadheal



### **Virtual Photo Exhibition**



# BETWEEN DARKNESS AND LIGHT

A compilation of photographs by Amita Talwar Curated by Lina Vincent

### On View- 11 June 2021 to 09 July 2021



**Stay tuned for the link!** 

Light and darkness are elemental concepts that engender a multiplicity of meanings and experiences, in both figurative and metaphorical terms. They coexist like the symbol of yin and yang; and follow universal systems that we understand from the very way our cosmos is arranged. The compilation of photographs from Amita Talwar's diverse body of work, reflects on the intermingling of darkness and light, and the subtle relationships of concealment and revelation that it makes visible. Talwar's images often embrace the subject of Transience – the ephemerality and impermanence of both physical and intangible entities. In a period of disorientation like the current times, the relevance of acknowledging this in-betweenness, and finding a way to balance between extremities, is a valuable message.

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#### GOETHE-ZENTRUM KOOPERATIONSPARTNER GOETHE

# **ZERO WASTE KITCHEN**

### An interactive workshop on going Zero Waste in your Kitchens



# 12 June 2021 | 18:30 hrs IST

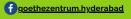
A lot of our food waste ends up in landfills and produces a large amount of methane - 25 times more powerful a greenhouse gas than CO2. It even causes landfill fires! The good thing is that there is a way to do something about it.

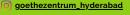
Join us for the third interactive workshop by Bare Necessities on going Zero Waste in your kitchens. We'll deep dive into problems associated with food waste and the current system, become aware of the solutions we can all be a part of and also do some fun DIYs together: The art of composting and Upcycling an old t-shirt into a reusable bag.

At the end of the session we will all start becoming aware of the products and ingredients we use at home, the way we segregate our waste. Remember, it's all about the incremental steps, nothing happens overnight!

### Register here: https://tinyurl.com/zerowastekitchen







# **WORLD MUSIC DAY**

### Fête de la Musique 2021

# 21 June 2021 | 18:30 hrs IST

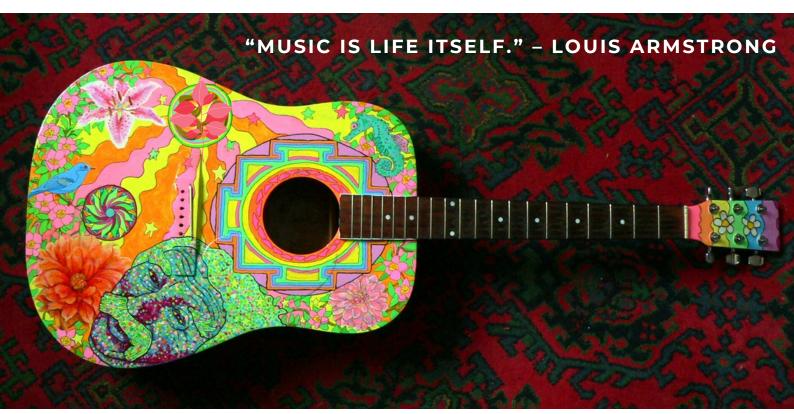
"Music is life itself." - Louis Armstrong

Hurray, it is that time of the year again, where Music is celebrated across the world. Over 120 countries celebrate World Music Day by organizing free public concerts in parks, streets, stations, museums and other such public places. On this day musicians are encouraged to play in and for public.

And we are back albeit this year too VIRTUALLY, to take you with us on a musical journey with 5 different genres of music, simply celebrating the musicians and the magic they create!!



- Aman Mahajan & Nishad Pandey with piano and guitar music
- Hindustani music by a Khayal vocalist of the Gwalior Gharana -Tanveer Singh Sapra
- Multi genre music by Raghu Avanish Moparthi
- Jazz and pop on saxophone by George Hull
- Pahadi music by Vasudev and team presented by Nations Rock Beat
- Beatcity hip-hop music presented by Nations Rock Beat



Catch us live!











#### **DOCUMENTARY SCREENING ONLINE**



# **BEUYS**

### A film by ANDRES VEIEL

107 minutes, 2017, German and English with English Subtitles

# 23 June 2021 | 18:00 hrs IST

Beuys, the man with a hat, some felt, and the Fettecke. Thirty years after his death he still seems to be a visionary, way ahead of his time. Back then he was trying to patently explain how "money shouldn't be a commodity." He knew that money trade would undermine democracy. But there's more. Beuys lectures and explains pictures to a dead hare. He asks with a grin: "Do you want a revolution without laughter?" His expanded concept of art leads him smack in the middle of socially relevant discourse, even today.

\*\*\* You can watch the film via a live VIMEO link which will be shared shortly on all our social media platforms. After the screening, from about 8:00 pm IST, you can join the open discussion with the filmmaker and the producer on Facebook. Kindly click

https://www.facebook.com/goetheinstitut.Kolkata/ to participate in the open discussion.

Learn more here:

### 100 YEARS OF JOSEPH BEUYS



### **INFORMATION**



Adopted from the newsletter #UpdateGermany - deutschland.de

### **Diplomats of Colour**

#### A new initiative at the Federal Foreign Office

Tiaji Sio, founder of Diplomats of Colour. With her initiative Diplomats of Colour, she wants to promote diversity in the Federal Foreign Office. In an interview she mentioned, "The Federal Foreign Office is very open to future-oriented ideas, and we use this advantage. So it's about breaking down barriers and increasing the visibility of people of colour."

### To the article here

### **LGBTQI+** rights in Germany

#### Video of the month

Whether heterosexual, homosexual, bisexual, transgender or intersexual: the General Act on Equal Treatment guarantees equal rights for everyone, regardless of their gender or sexual orientation. We reveal how Germany is also fighting internationally for the rights of LGBTQI+ people. Berlin Pride is one of the largest gay and lesbian organized events in Germany and one of the biggest in Europe. Its aim is to demonstrate for equal rights and equal treatment for LGBT people, as well as celebrate the pride in Gay and Lesbian Culture.

### To the video here



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