

Malayalee Engineers' Association, Houston

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2022 MEA CULTURAL FEST – GUIDELINES FOR PARTICIPATION

MEA Cultural Fest will take place on Saturday Dec 10, 2022 at Houston Knanaya Catholic Community Center, Stafford (2210 Staffordshire Road Stafford, TX 77477).

You can take/renew your MEA memberships [here](#).

Please register for the events by filling the details at <https://forms.gle/rW5LjksamS29gtQ86>.
You can also register at our website [here](#).

Last date for registration : Nov 20, 2022

Last date for submission of music track/dance music: Nov 27, 2022.

1. MEA membership requirement for event participation:
 - For solo events, the participant should be a current MEA member or family of MEA members.
 - For group events, all eligible participants shall be current MEA members. If participants are not eligible, at least 75% of the participants in an event shall be current MEA members.

2. Event participation rules:
 - Solo performers must be 12 years or older. Children under 12 years may perform in group items only.
 - Only one solo item per participant is allowed, to give opportunity to more members. We will only have limited slots for solo items, so please submit your entry as early as possible.

- A participant shall not be part of more than two events (either one solo and one group or two group events).
- 3. In the case of songs and dances, please provide the name of the song to avoid the same item being presented by more than one person as much as possible.
- 4. The time allotted for every program will be a maximum of 5 minutes to maintain our schedule. Skit presentations will be allotted a maximum of 10 minutes.
- 5. All participants shall arrive an hour early to know the order of the events. If a participant or a group misses their given time slot, they will have to wait until the end, to ensure smooth flow of the overall program.
- 6. All participants must provide their music track (karaoke) and dance music either in MP3 or WMA format. Playlists will be prepared with all the tracks for use by the sound system operator at the auditorium to minimize interruptions during the program.
- 7. MEA Committee reserves the right to select the programs to ensure variety. Selected entries will be separately contacted to register.