# Consulate General of India Saint-Denis, Reunion Island



## **Activity Report for the Month of April 2022**

The post organized the events under the "Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav" program, these programs were :

- (i). Celebration of 72<sup>nd</sup> Indian Council of Cultural Relations (ICCR) Foundation Day
- (ii). Celebration of Ambedkar Jayanti
- (iii). Mehendi design
- (iv). Hindi film screening 'Neerja' at Cultural Centre of Consulate.

## 09/04/2022 - ICCR Foundation Day

Celebration of 72<sup>nd</sup> Indian Council of Cultural Relations (ICCR) Foundation Day was conducted by ICCR Teacher performer Mr. Sreenivasan cum Krishnaswamy. The program started with a classical music performance by the teacher and his students. After watching the program some of the local Reunion showed students and adults their interest

Bharathanatyam dance, Oddissi dance, Bollywood dance and Sitar Recital at Cultural Centre of Consulate. Fifty people were present in the Cultural Centre on this day.



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## 14/04/2022 - Birth Anniversary of Dr. Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar:

Ambedkar Jayanti was observed to commemorate the memory of Dr. Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar. The portrait of Dr. Ambedkar was garlanded by the Consul General and other members on this occasion. Consul General delivered a short speech on the importance of the day and thereafter documentary was screened on the life of Dr. Ambedkar who was a social rights-activist, an economist, maker of the Indian Constitution, reformist of India's caste system and an eminent jurist.



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## 14/04/2022 - Tamil New Year

Since there is a large number of Tamil origin people in this Island, many associations and government organizations celebrated this event with music and dance programs to which CG was invited. Click below to see the photos and videos:

https://www.facebook.com/Departement974/videos/1726306671094829

https://www.facebook.com/regionreunion/photos/pcb.51079316892450 99/5107927972578804/

#### Local TV:

https://www.facebook.com/reunionla1ere/videos/518118756703859/

## 27/04/2022 - Mehendi design with Hindi film screening (NEERJA)

The Consulate General of India organized Mehendi design in collaboration with Ti Fleur Henne. The post also screened Bollywood film 'Neerja' with subtitle French at the Cultural Centre. The aim was to promote Indian 'Heena' art and culture.







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