



HAWT-RADHAKRISHNA TEMPLE ॐ
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Friends



Fall is just around the corner and we are looking forward to celebrate Diwali! Our children/adults have an opportunity to enjoy our culture and present their talents. As a community, this is the main fundraising event for our temple. We invite all parents and families who are new to the community to contact the cultural committee for information about choreographers for facilitating their children's participation in the cultural event.

The Annual Diwali Show this year will be held at **Horse Shoe Arena Midland, Saturday Oct 10th, 2026.**

Stage rehearsals will be on Friday, October 9th, 2026 (Timing will be announced later)

The program will start at 5 pm followed by dinner at 7pm. We will strictly adhere to the 2-hour duration for the program; therefore, please submit your items/ proposal to the cultural committee as soon as possible to ensure your spot.

Please note the following guidelines for participating in Diwali cultural program:

1. Participants must be members of HAWT.
2. **Who ever would like to choreograph, please contact Sreedevi Godey@432-210-6060 and Varuna Nargunan@716-512-5375**
3. Choreographers are responsible to ensure membership status of the participants.
4. Choreographers have the final call on taking participants in their group; however, choreographers are requested not to discourage any participant if possible.
5. Each dance/song item should be around 4 minutes.
6. Please have each child participate in only one item.
7. Age limit for participation is 5+ years.
8. Number of participants in each dance item is 5 for children & 3 for adult groups. No solo items.
9. Choreographers are requested to choose songs to highlight the cultural and ethnic diversity of India as much as possible along with appropriate costumes.
10. To avoid the duplication of same song being selected by two groups, please let us know the song as soon as it is finalized and definitely before **Sep 1, 2026** (in the Choreographer whatsapp group)
11. Choreographers are requested to send a group photo of participants as well as an individual photo taken while they are practicing by **Sep 15, 2026.** (in the Choreographer whatsapp group)
12. Music should be in a digital format and should send it by **Sep 15, 2026.** (Contact Gopal Gangireddy @ 210-251-5984)
13. Advertisements from our sponsors have to be submitted by **Sep 15, 2026.** (more info to follow)
14. **No exceptions to these dates and deadlines.**

Thank you and more information to follow on Diwali cultural program.

Sincerely,

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