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Sawitri Theatre Group Presents



चारचौघी

CHARCHOUGH

A Play by
Prashant Dalvi

Producers
Nitin Sawant and Jasmine Sawant

Director
Prakash Date

Asst. Director
Ridima Vaidya, Rama Joshi

Stage Manager
**Shruti Bhide, Swapnil Sathe,
Apurva Gokhale**

Music
Deepak Sant

Meadowvale Theatre 6315 Montevideo Rd, Mississauga ON L5N 4G7



Women-centric story, and stage

Charchoughi Thank you to the entire cast and crew for the immense success of the timeless Marathi classic, "Charchoughi"! SAWITRI Theatre was delighted to produce this seminal, women-centric story, and stage two performances at the Meadowvale Theatre on 9th & 10th May. It drew enthusiastic Marathi theatregoers from Mississauga, the Greater Toronto Area and beyond. "Charchoughi" offers an uncompromising exploration of female autonomy, resilience, and societal expectations. The actors magnificently captured the raw intensity and nuanced vulnerability of the characters and took the audience on a profound emotional journey which earned the production standing ovations.



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Lines between things

The immersive exhibit in collaboration with Jumblies Theatre that concluded on 30th May beautifully demonstrated the power of community-engaged art. Thank you Jumblies, Sharada Eswar, Áine Schryer-O'Gorman and team for bringing this very impactful work to AN1 Studios. This is the first time AN1 was sharing stories through an exhibit. From 17th to 30th May, the exhibit transformed the space, sharing stories through artwork on fabric panels and on the walls as well as through fabric and ceramic sculptures and audio-book. The lighting and soundscape greatly enhanced the experience. The closing reception was made memorable through emotional speeches tracing the project's journey and its community impact. Food artist Fasih elevated the evening with a refreshments table that was a visual and gastronomic delight. The evening also sparked conversations that lay the groundwork for future artistic collaborations.

Come and meet some of



SAWITRI

Theatre Group's

TEAM MEMBERS!



Saturday, June 13, 2026



10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.



West Acres Park

2166 Westfield Drive,
Mississauga, L4Y 1P7

We'll see you there! ♥



Councillor Stephen Dasko is hosting a Ward 1
Community Family Fun Fair.

There are a number of fun filled events taking place,
including:

- 🍁 Bouncy Castle
- 🍁 A demonstration of the War of 1812
hosted by Mississauga Heritage
- 🍁 Active Transportation demonstrations
- 🍁 Food vendors and more ...
- 🍁 **SAWITRI Theatre Group**

Fun for the whole family! ♥

ACT - From Breath to Performance



Theatre workshop

हिंदी और अंग्रेज़ी में | in Hindi and English



Instructor: Neeraj Yadav



Frequency: Every Saturday from
20th June to 25th July.
Participant Showcase on 15th August



Venue: AN1 Studios



Duration: 3 hours approximately



Workshop Time: 2 PM to 5 PM



Showcase Time: 11 AM to 12 noon.



Fees: SAWITRI Members:\$225 + HST; Others \$250 + HST



To register:

CLICK HERE



Neeraj Yadav

Neeraj is a versatile performer whose career in radio, theatre, voice acting, film and television spans 30 years. His journey began in 1997 with a theatre workshop in Delhi conducted by YATRIK Theatre Group, igniting a lifelong passion for storytelling and performance. His professional broadcasting career began in 2001 as a Radio Jockey with All India Radio's Delhi FM station (102.6 MHz) where he went on to build an extensive career as a voice actor, lending his voice to major national and international networks including National Geographic, Discovery, Disney, HBO, History, Fox, BBC India, NDTV, Aaj Tak, and Zee News. He has also worked extensively in dubbing, commercials, and television content, including hosting the celebrity-based show Cricket, Camera, Action for ABP News. An early voice in India's audiobook and podcast space, Neeraj has recorded for platforms such as Audible, Kuku FM and Spotify, bringing stories to life for diverse audiences. He has also appeared in films, television serials, music videos, and short films. Despite his success across multiple mediums, theatre remains his first love. Over the past three decades, he has performed in more than 50 productions in Hindi, English, Sanskrit, Haryanvi, Urdu and Punjabi, captivating audiences in India and across the world. Neeraj continues to inspire audiences as a dynamic storyteller, performer, and theatre entrepreneur. In Canada he has been working with SAWITRI Theatre Group for over a year.

Congratulations to the participants of **MMFF 2026!**

**AN1
Studios**

10th Aug
to
16th Aug
2026

1. Krithika Aravindan
2. Anu Radha Verma
3. Very Serious Theatre
4. Jay Bhoi
5. Dramatic Jukebox
6. Siva Pemmasani

**SAMPRADAYA
— THEATRE —**

17th Aug
to
23rd Aug
2026

1. Think Brown Media
2. Anjalee Nadarajan
3. A J DreamZ
4. Paperboat Production
5. Bakwaas Production
6. Adaakar Events

Distinct Voices. One unique theatre festival!

Presents

Elephant Song



June 10th - 14th

Aki Studio

@Native Earth Performing Arts

Elephant Song

Date - 10th to 14th June, 2026

Venue - Native Earth Performing Arts, Toronto.

Pensive Cat, in association with CinemaClub, presents Elephant Song, an original drama written and directed by Kush Shah, running June 10–14 at Native Earth Performing Arts, Toronto. Following a sold-out premiere at the 2024 Toronto Fringe Festival, Elephant Song returns in a radically reimagined form: larger, strange and more ambitious than before. An existentialist musical-drama, Elephant Song follows “B,” a government employee working in Mumbai’s death benefits department, whose life begins to fracture as he begins to see visions of a White Elephant. The play blends poetic, prose-driven writing with satirical humour and heightened drama.

For tickets :

<https://www.zeffy.com/en-CA/ticketing/elephant-song>

May 2026



Become a member at **SAWITRI** **THEATRE GROUP**

SAWITRI's membership is open to all individuals and organizations who would help advance the mandate of SAWITRI Theatre Group and be a part of the arts community in Mississauga and benefit the City and beyond. Membership is subject to approval by the Membership Committee.

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