# **NATARAJA**

# - THE DANCE SOCIETY

NATARAJA - the dance society of YMCAUST, Faridabad was started for the students of YMCAUST to overcome the inhibition of public stage performances. Nataraja comprises of two groups, first being the western and other one bhangra, which together are responsible for the healthy organisation and choreography of every dance event. The society aims at providing various platforms for the students both inside and outside the university. Be it elements culmyca (the annual fest) or freshers or any other college event, the society comes up with contemporary to classical, bhangra to hip hop and many more such forms. Started years back the society is growing year by year and providing various such opportunities to the students every year. Nataraja, the dancing society of the university is the club whose aim is to provide a platform to the students to showcase their love and passion to dance.

Faculty coordinator	Secretaries	Joint secretaries
	Kushal Sharma	Asha Singh
Ms. Rashmi Popli	Payal Malik	Anmol Prashar
ivis. Nasililli i Opli	Aman Mehla	Kapil Balwan
	Jasmeet Kaur	Bhawna Indora
		Randeep Panteja



# Various functions of the club are:

- **O** Arranging proper practice and rehearsal sessions for the students.
- **O** Participating in different events like solos, duets and group dances, so as to provide proper exposure and experience.

- **O**· Organizing various types of dance events during the cultural fest.
- **O** Encouraging all sorts of dancing styles and learning about them as much as possible.
- **O** Participation in dance competitions in cultural fests organized in other colleges.

# SECRETARIES:1.PAYAL MALIK



2.KUSHAL SHARMA



3.AMAN MEHLA

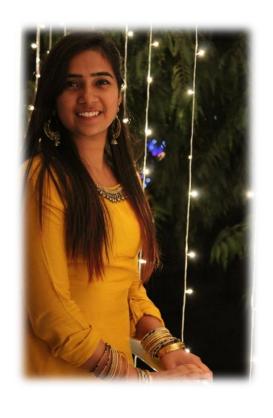


4.JASMEET KAUR



# JOINT SECRETARIES: -

# 1. ASHA SINGH



2. ANMOL PRASHAR



3.BHAWNA INDORA



4. KAPIL BALWAN



# 5. RANDEEP PANJETA



# **EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES:-**

S.No.	Event	Venue
1.	REIZO'16	YMCAUST
2.	RENDEZVOUS'16	IIT-DELHI
3.	ORIENTATION'16	YMCAUST
4.	NAAC	YMCAUST
5.	AUDITIONS	YMCAUST
6.	RAKZZ (ELEMENTS CULMYCA 2K17)	YMCAUST
7.	FOLKLORE (ELEMENTS CULMYCA 2K17)	YMCAUST
8.	FLASHBACK (ELEMENTS CULMYCA 2K17)	YMCAUST
9.	DANCE YOUR HEART OUT (ELEMENTS CULMYCA 2K17)	YMCAUST
10.	FOOTLOOSE (ELEMENTS CULMYCA 2K17)	YMCAUST
11.	INDEPENDENCE DAY	YMCAUST
12.	TREE PLANTATION DRIVE	SECTOR 11 AND YMCAUST
13.	FOUNDATION DAY	YMCAUST
14.	REIZO'17	YMCAUST
15.	GROUP DANCE COMPETITION (WESTERN AND BHANGRA)	AGGARWAL COLLEGE
16.	ORIENTATION'17	YMCAUST
17.	NATIONAL CONFERENCE, 10 <sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2017	YMCAUST

# **EVENTS DESCRIPTION: -**

# 1. REIZO'16

# GROUP DANCE (WESTERN AND BHANGRA)

**NATARAJA**, the dancing society of **YMCAUST, FARIDABAD** performed in REIZO 2016. It is "Fresher's Party" for the newly admitted students which was held on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2016. Around **40 members** participated in the event. The performance astonished the audience completely. Nataraja stole everyone's heart by its performance.





# **➢ WELCOME DANCE**

The *Fresher's Day, i.e.* 16<sup>th</sup> September 2016, at YMCA University of Science and Technology was a beautiful interaction. It was diligently organised. The beginning of the event was marked by a breath-taking Semi-Classical solo dance performance by *Akansha Dahima*, a member of Nataraja.



## 1. RENDEZVOUS'16

Rendezvous is the cultural festival of IIT-DELHI. Western Nataraja participated in the group dance competition held there on 21<sup>st</sup> October. Though it couldn't win but gave a tough competition to other teams.

## 2. ORIENTATION'16

Nataraja- the dance society of YMCAUST organised its orientation on 6<sup>th</sup> October 2016 at Lal chowk. A flash mob performance was given by Nataraja (both western and bhangra dance forms). The crowd was filled with enthusiasm.

# 3. NAAC VISIT

The NAAC team visited YMCAUST on 13<sup>th</sup> October. Nataraja - the dancing society of **YMCAUST**, **Faridabad** presented two dance forms: Bhangra and Western. Members from each form created a mesmerising environment in the campus. Everyone including the NAAC team, faculty members and students of the college enjoyed the enthralling performance given by NATARAJA.

# 4. Rakzz

Rakzz is an event in elements culmyca, the cultural fest of YMCAUST. This western group dance was held on the first day of fest i.e. 23<sup>rd</sup> march 2017 and it was definitely the show stealer!





## 5. WELCOME DANCE

REIZO'17 is the welcome party for freshers. The beginning of the event was marked by a breath-taking Shiv Tandava performed by *AKANSHA DAHIMA, ASHA SINGH, ALISHA KHURANA, SHWETA TRISAL* and *AASTHA,* the members of western Nataraja. The performance gave a cultural essence to the environment. There was a soul to it. A soul that was vibrant, contagious and exuberant.



## 7. FOLKLORE

It is an event on the first day of elements culmyca in which members of Nataraja make audience anthusiastic by their bhangra magical beats.



#### 8. FLASHBACK

FLASHBACK is an event on the second day of elements culmyca the members of Nataraja make people go back in the 90's by their steps smirking on the floor. This is performed by both western and bhangra groups.





# 9. DANCE YOUR HEART OUT

Dance your heart out is one of the events held on the third day of culmyca i.e. 26<sup>th</sup> March 2017 by Nataraja. It is a solo or duo dance competition. There were around 50 praticipants who took part in the event.

# **10. FOOTLOOSE**

Footloose is an event where participants are supposed to give an impromptu on the stage. Students from different colleges took part in this event. The event was held at the Reception. The event was judged by **Mahima Sharma**, **Manita**, **Ashish Malik and Gurveer**.

## 11.INDEPENDENCE DAY

On the prestigious occasion of 70<sup>th</sup> Independence day celebrations, NATARAJA represented the culture of our country by various dance forms: classical, bhangra and contemporary. The feeling of nationalism was enhanced in a unique and different way by performing a fusion of classical and contemporary dance form. Nataraja mesmerised the environment by performing bhangra on various patriotic songs.





# 12. TREE PLANTATION DRIVE

"He who plants a tree, plants a hope." With this vision in mind, the members of NATARAJA actively participated in the plantation drive held at university campus and sector 11.





# 13. FOUNDATION DAY

**16**<sup>TH</sup> **SEPTEMBER** is celebrated as the foundation of YMCAUST. Nataraja gave a classical performance and a bhangra performance. Second year students participated in the event and mesmerised the environment of the campus.





## 14. REIZO'17

# > WELCOME DANCE

REIZO'17 is the welcome party for freshers. The beginning of the event was marked by a breath-taking Semi-Classical solo dance performance by **ALISHA**, a member of Nataraja. There could not be a better start to the event.



# > GROUP DANCE

**NATARAJA**, the dancing society of **YMCAUST**, **FARIDABAD** performed in REIZO'17. It is "Fresher's Party" for the newly admitted students. Nataraja gave thrilling performances and set the stage on fire. After weeks of rehearsals the Nataraja Club was ready to make the audience more energetic and live.





# 15. GROUP DANCE COMPETITION, AGGARWAL COLLEGE

Nataraja represented YMCAUST in the inter college group dance competition held during the annual fest of Aggarwal college ,Ballabgarh on 6<sup>th</sup> October 2017. The club gave two dance performances- western and bhangra. Western Nataraja won **second position** in the competition and was appreciated by all the competitors.





## 16. ORIENTATION'17

An orientation was conducted by NATARAJA on 9<sup>th</sup> October to introduce and brief freshers about the club activities. Members of Nataraja interacted with the audience and motivated them to participate in the auditions. An introductory video was also projected to show a glimpse of club memories. A flash mob performance was also given at the lal chowk of university.





# 17. NATIONAL CONFERENCE

A two day Rashtariya **Media Sammelan Filmotsav** (RMFS-2017) was organised by **YMCAUST** in associated with **Vishwas Samvad Kendra** ( VKS ). Members of Nataraja welcomed the audience by presenting a classical dance on ganesh vandana. A glimpse of indian culture was shown through Rajasthani, Haryanvi and bhangra dance performances.









# **MEMBERS OF NATARAJA**

# **WESTERN**

#### **FOURTH YEAR:-**

- 1. KUSHAL SHARMA
- 2. PAYAL MALIK
- 3. HARSHIT SHARMA
- 4. MAYANK VASHISTH
- 5. AKANSHA DAHIMA
- 6. SHIVAM ARORA
- 7. NEHA SHARMA
- 8. DEEPIKA PAWAR
- 9. UMEMA AKHTAR

#### THIRD YEAR: -

- 1. ASHA SINGH
- 2. ANMOL PRASHAR
- 3. AARUSHI AGRAWAL
- 4. SONU RAWAT
- 5. ANKIT SELWAL
- 6. AVANINDRA SINGH
- 7. HIMANSHI GOYAL
- 8. SAKSHI CHAUHAN (MAJ)

## SECOND YEAR: -

- 1. AAKASH VERMA
- 2. SIDDHARTH RAJE
- 3. PARAS LAMBA
- 4. AASTHA SONI
- 5. SHWETA TRISAL
- 6. STUTI GUPTA
- 7. SIMRAN KOUL
- 8. ALISHA KHURANA
- 9. PRASHANT BHANDARI (MCA)
- 10. SHREYA NARULA
- 11. SWATI JUNEJA

#### FIRST YEAR: -

- 1. SRISHTI PANDEY
- 2. RENU SINGH
- 3. DEEPANSHI
- 4. VANSHIKA KHURANA
- 5. DIKSHA
- 6. SHUBHA
- 7. AKANSHA
- 8. KRITI
- 9. SUDHANSHU
- 10. RISHABH
- 11. SWATI (BSC)

# **BHANGRA**

## FOURTH YEAR: -

- 1. AMAN MEHLA
- 2. JASMEET KAUR
- 3. AYUSHI DALAL
- 4. KARAN
- 5. JASBIR
- 6. SUNAINA
- 7. SAPNA
- 8. SACHIN
- 9. PRATIKSHA
- 10. SUKHCHAIN

#### THIRD YEAR: -

- 1. KAPIL BALWAN
- 2. RANDEEP PANTEJA
- 3. BHAWNA INDORA
- 4. RAVI MITTAL
- 5. GUNJAN VERMA
- 6. GAGAN ANAND
- 7. AARTI VERMA
- 8. SONIKA SEHGAL
- 9. LALITA BAIRAGI
- 10. PARVDEEP KAUR
- 11. VIRENDER KAMBOJ

# SECOND YEAR: -

- 1. DILJEET SINGH
- 2. EITI JAIN
- 3. RITIKA HANS
- 4. SARTHAK SHAH
- 5. RAGHAV
- 6. SIDAKJOT
- 7. PREETI RAJ
- 8. MALIKA
- 9. JYOTI
- 10. HARDIK
- 11. PARAS
- 12. SHUBHAM

# FIRST YEAR: -

- 1. JAIKANT
- 2. SACHIN
- 3. ANKESH
- 4. RISHI