

## Pick of the week

Concerts, workshops, tours and everything else you need to plan your social calendar



### Kidding around

Chennai's social club, **SYNCK**, and creative learning centre for children, The Activity Room and Toodle Town host Hoppin Summerland, an activity pop-up for parents and children, today. Activities include tepee making and a petting zoo, along with stalls on books and magic. From noon to 7pm; entry fee at ₹100 (excluding activity charges). The **British Council's Summer Camp 2022** will kick off on April 25 for children aged four to 17. Expect storytelling, drama, debates and more. The two-week course starts at ₹4,000.



### Dank you for the music

Rap artist **RCR**, who has worked with IPL and Star Sports for the title track, *CSK Anthem*, and *Star Sports 2022 - Believe in Blue*, will be performing at Dank, Chennai, tomorrow. From 7.30pm onwards. Free entry. Meanwhile, if you are in Indore, don't miss **When Chai Met Toast**. The neo-folk band from Kochi — known for tracks such as 'Firefly', 'When We Feel Young'; and 'Remember' — is stopping for a gig, as part of their first album *When We Feel Young* tour. The quartet will perform at Sho Sha at 8pm. Tickets from ₹999 on insider.in



### Heritage in kalamkari

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### Picnic at the palace

After Delhi, Dineout's **SteppinOut Night Market** event arrives in Bengaluru today. Termed the Retro Edit (3pm to 11pm) at Jayamahal Palace Hotel, this edition features pop-up food stalls and live music. Spread a picnic blanket on the palace lawns to enjoy it all over *biryani*, *gourmet cookies* and *tropical cocktails*. Passes for ₹224 on Dineout app. Meanwhile, in Delhi, **AAHAR** — International Food & Hospitality Fair, a business-to-business event, will be held at the Pragati Maidan Exhibition Centre from April 26 to 30.



### Sound connection

**The Beatles and India**, a 2021 documentary film directed by author and political journalist **Ajoy Bose**, will be screened at BIC, Bengaluru, on April 27 (6pm to 8pm). Inspired by Bose's book *Across the Universe: The Beatles in India*, it explores the band's immersion in Indian culture. Bose and musician Biren Ghose will speak at the event. Entry is free. Or, explore Indo-Balkan music fusion in Bengaluru. Four-member Slovenia-based **Aritmija** is performing on April 27 at Gilly's Redefined. Tickets for ₹399 on insider.in.



### India Art Fair

The 13th edition of the **India Art Fair** (April 28-May 1) puts the spotlight on the next generation of artists, alongside modern masters through exhibitions, talks, film screenings, and workshops at NSIC Grounds in Okhla, New Delhi. The fair features **77 exhibitors** from across 13 cities and 63 galleries. Four international galleries, Aicon Art and Aicon Contemporary (New York), Grosvenor Gallery, (London), and Galeria Karla Osorio (Lago Sul, Brazil) will also be at the event. From ₹600, on indiaartfair.in



### Photographing cultures

As part of the ongoing **Bonjour India 2022** festival, Alliance Française is hosting **Convergence**, a photography exhibition featuring the works of prominent French photographers who travelled to India between the mid-19th Century and the 1970s. They include names such as Louis Rousset (mid-19th Century) and Marc Riboud, a French photojournalist who travelled across Asia in the '50s. On view at the **Kiran Nadar Museum of Art**, New Delhi, from 10.30am to 6.30pm. April 27 to June 27. knma.in



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