



PHF 2023-Schedule of Events

1st February – 15th March (updated March 07 2023 at 11 pm)

Sl.no	Date	Time	Event	Location/Platform	Event HOST
1.	25/01/2023 Wednesday	10:30 am	Press meet	Alliance Francaise Auditorium, 58 Rue Suffren	PHF/AFP
2.	01/02/2023 Wednesday	9 am 3:45 pm 4 pm	Quiz at Alliance Francaise - school students (Only for participants) Quiz Finals Results & Prize distribution PHF 2023 Inauguration	Alliance Francaise Auditorium 58 Rue Suffren	PHF/AFP
3.	03/02/2023 Friday	10 am	Learning Through Nature Personality Development Session with Dr. Bhawana Badhe and Chitra Torvi (Only for students and invitees)	Primrose School	MidamTrust/Primrose School
4.	07/02/2023 Tuesday	9 am	Fine arts / Literary - School and college students	Alliance Francaise Auditorium 58 Rue Suffren	PHF/AFP
5.	07/02/2023 Tuesday	10 am	Learning Through Nature workshop for students with Sushrut Badhe (Only for students and invitees)	Aklavya International School	Midam Trust/Aklavya International School
6.	08/02/2023 Wednesday	9 am	Visual Arts - Photography / Short Film - School and college students (Only for participants)	SAS auditorium and Board Room	PHF/Auro Bharati, SAS
7.	08/02/2023 Wednesday	9:40am	Book release: Sri Madhusudan Damle's book Learning Through Nature & workshop for students (Only for students and invitees)	Vidya Niketan Hr. Sec School	Midam Trust/Vidya Niketana
8.	10/02/2023 Friday	7 am - 9 am	Refreshing Heritage Cycle Tour	SITA, 22 Candappa Moudaliar Street	SITA Cultural Center

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9.	10/02/2023 to 12/02/2023 10/02/2023 Friday	9:30 am - 8:30 pm 10 am 4:30 pm – 6 pm	PUDU Vaanam - Craft Bazaar Inauguration PUDU Vaanam “Crafts & Cultural Heritage of Pondicherry” – a discussion	Crafts Bazaar, Gandhi Thidal, Beach Road	Crafts Council of Puducherry/PHF
10.	10th Feb to 28 th Feb Friday	10 am - 6 pm	NOSTALGIA: Art exhibition cum sale of Pondyscapes by artists ANARKALI & ABEL	Chintz Boutique, 28 Rue Romain Rolland	PHF/Chintz Boutique
11.	10/02/2023-18/02/2023	10 am - 5 pm	Celebrating 150th birth anniversary of Sri Aurobindo and 75 years of India’s independence – An exhibition on the unsung heroes of Pondicherry	Matriniketan, 34 Marvadi St. Kuruchikuppam	INTACH/SAS
12.	10/02/2023 Friday	3 pm - 5 pm	Vedic Chanting: Workshop and Demonstration program	Matriniketan, 34 Marvadi St. Kuruchikuppam	Auro Bharati, SAS
13.	11/02/2023 Saturday	9 am	Learning Through Nature Workshop by Avanti Badhe (only for students and invitees)	St. Patrick MHSS	Midam Trust/St. Patrick
14.	11/02/2023 Saturday 11 th Feb to 11 th Mar	3 pm	Wetland photo contest: Inauguration of exhibition and Prize distribution ceremony	Promenade Hotel Beach Road	IFP/Hidesign
15.	12/02/2023 Sunday	3:30 pm	Introduction to the mangroves followed by a boat ride	Thengaithittu (PYC)	Aquaterra/ PondicherryIn
16.	12/02/2023 Sunday	4:30 pm	Pudu Vaanam: Artisan Felicitation, talk & demonstration by renowned Terracotta Artisan Padmashri V K Munusamy	Crafts Bazaar, Gandhi Thidal, Beach Road	Crafts Council of Puducherry/PHF
17.	14/02/2023 Tuesday	9:00 am	Dance - School and college students	Alliance Francaise Auditorium 58 Rue Suffren	PHF/AFP
18.	15/02/2023 Wednesday	9 am	Music and Instrumentals - School and college students (Only for participants)	Matriniketan, 34 Marvadi St. Kuruchikuppam	PHF/Auro Bharati, SAS

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19.	15/02/2023 Wednesday	5 pm	The Journey From Pondicherry to the world of investment banking to vineyards: by Ravi Viswanathan	Intach, 62 Rue Aurobindo	INTACH/Tourism Department, GOP
20.	16/02/2023 Thursday	7 pm	Food walk	<i>Starting point to be announced</i>	Twinkle/ Smack-a-licious
21.	16th Feb to 26th Feb	7 pm onwards	Soiree Francaise: A French Food Festival	Hotel Le Dupleix, 5 Rue de la Caserne	Hidesign
22.	16th Feb to 26th Feb	7 pm onwards	Vietnamese Food Fest: at Bay of Buddha	Promenade Hotel, Beach Roas	Hidesign
23.	18/02/2023 Saturday	10 am – 12 pm	Heritage walk	<i>Starting point to be announced</i>	INTACH
24.	18/02/2023 Saturday	11 am – 12:30 pm 2pm – 3:30 pm 5 pm – 6 pm	Silambam Workshop Kolam Workshop Indian Board Games	SITA, 22 Candappa Moudaliar Street	SITA Cultural Center
25.	18/02/2023 Saturday	3:30 pm	Photo exhibition ‘Birds of Thengaithittu mangroves’ by Mohan G followed by a boat ride	Thengaithittu (PYC)	Aquaterra/ PondicherryIn
26.	19/02/2023 Sunday	11 am – 12:30 pm	Millet cooking	SITA, 22 Candappa Moudaliar Street	SITA Cultural Center
27.	19/02/2023 Sunday	3:30 pm	Introduction to the mangroves followed by a boat ride	Thengaithittu (PYC)	Aquaterra /PondicherryIn
28.	19/02/2023 Sunday	7 pm	Samvadam: with Carnatic singer Ashwath Narayanan; Vishvesh Chandrashekar, Violin and Kishore Ramesh, Mridangam Doors will close when space is full. Limited seating	Gratitude, 52 Rue Romain Rolland	PHF/Gratitude
29.	23/02/2023 Thursday	2:30 pm - 5:30 pm	‘Cultural Heritage Conservation, Community Culture and Sustainable Tourism with special reference to Pondicherry’	Beach Office, Sri Aurobindo Society 11 Rue St. Martin	Auro Bharati, SAS
30.	23/02/2023 Thursday	5:30 pm	Book Launch: Iffat Nawaz’s book Shurjo’s Clan followed by conversation after Tea & snacks	Palais de Mahe, 4 Rue de Bussy	PPH

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31.	24/02/2023 Friday	6:30 pm Doors close at 6:20pm or when seats fill up	Anita Ratnam Concert The Blue Divine	Kariappa house, Pilliar Koil street, Vaithikuppam	PHF/Kariappa House
32.	25/02/2023 Saturday	8:30 am Slot 1 2 pm Slot 2	Kayak for a Trash free Fair Planet	Pondicherry Yatch Club near Art and Craft Village	Pondicherry Beach Escapes/Aquaterra/ Pondylive
33.	26/02/2023 Sunday	3:30 pm	Exhibition of Underwater photography of the Pondicherry bioregion Introduction to the mangroves followed by a boat ride Speakers: Anand Viswanath/Ratheesh N	Thengaithittu (psa)	Aquaterra/ PondicherryIn
34.	Till 31 st March 2023	8:30 to 12:30 & 2 pm to 5:30 pm Monday to Friday	A photographic exhibition: Sadhus, Yogins and Ascetics from the photo archives of EFEO	EFEO, 19 Rue Dumas	EFEO
35.	28/02/2023 Tuesday	2:30 pm - 05:30 p.m.	Celebrating the 150th Birth Anniversary of Sri Aurobindo: A Symposium on 'Indian Cultural Heritage in the Light of Sri Aurobindo' & Screening of Documentary Film "The Transformation"	Beach Office, Sri Aurobindo Society 11 Rue St. Martin	Auro Bharati, SAS
36.	01/03/2023 Wednesday	2:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Panel Discussion on "Tamil Heritage: linguistic, cultural, religious socio economic advancement"	Beach Office, Sri Aurobindo Society 11 Rue St. Martin	Auro Bharati, SAS
37.	01/03/2023 Wednesday	5:30 pm	Poetry evening with Pondicherry-Auroville poets	Matriniketan 34 Marvadi St. Kuruchikuppam	The Brown Critique/SAS
38.	02/03/2023 Thursday	4 pm	A Talk on Tanks by Audrey Richard-Ferroudji with Freeric Landy, Ignatius Prabhakar, G, Venkatasubramanian and Laura Verdelli	IFP Conference Room, IFP, 11 Rue Saint Louis	IFP/All For Water For All/ PHF
39.	02/03/2023 Thursday	7 pm	Dance by Meera Das	Matriniketan 34 Marvadi St. Kuruchikuppam	La Maison de Bitasta

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40.	04/03/2023 Saturday	9 am Slot 1 2 pm Slot 2	Cycling the Coconut Island	Outside the Ashram Handmade Paper on S V Patel Salai	Pondicherry Beach Escapes /Aquaterra
41.	05/03/2023 Sunday	9 am – 12 pm	STREET PLAY hosted by architects Ananthi G Velmurugam and Suguna Selvam: A neighbourhood experience designed to foster deep connections within the community.	Muthumariamman Koil Street: between MG Road and Mission Street	PPH
42.	05/03/2023 Sunday	TBD	On this day we will make it as an event can share Ideas when we meet.	Thengaithittu (psa)	Anjali
43.	06/03/2023 to 11/03/2023	TBA	Local Food Systems Festival with focus on Millet	TBA	IFP
44.	06/03/2023 Monday	4 pm – 5:30 pm	Tree walk - Under the Tree by Vigneswaran (Landscape Architect) after a talk on his trees of Pondicherry book	Bharati Park	Vigneshwaran
45.	08/03/2023 Wednesday	2:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Symposium “Measuring Women's contribution to culture - Key factors for achieving sustainable growth”	Beach Office, Sri Aurobindo Society 11 Rue St. Martin	Auro Bharati, SAS
46.	10/03/2023 Friday	11 am – 3 pm	Farm & Learn: Join 50 underprivileged kids to Solitude Farm in Auroville to empower them to grow their own food and experience sustainable living	Solitude Farm, Auroville	Ladies Circle India/Solitude Farm/ edforall
47.	10/03/2023 to 11/03/2023 Friday & Saturday	11 am -8 pm	Made in Pondy MIP Display and sale of products of Designers and Artisans of Pondy and Auroville	Kariappa house Pillayar Koil street, Vaithikuppam	LAL/La Maison de Bitasta
48.	10/03/2023 Friday	7 am – 9 am	Refreshing Heritage Cycle Tour	SITA, 22 Candappa Moudaliar Street	SITA Cultural Center
49.	10/03/2023 Friday	4:30 pm	Archaeology in Auroville: A talk by Taranti Maiolini	Library Hall, EFEO 19 Rue Dumas	EFEO

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50.	11/03/2023 Saturday	5:30 am Slot 1 2:30 pm Slot 2	Nature Trail Cycling: Duration 4 hours	Moratandi arch of Prathiyangara temple on bypass road after JIPMER	Pondicherry Beach Escapes/Pondylive
51.	12/03/2023 Sunday	9 am	A Morning Hour of Baroque Music with the Pondicherry Flute Ensemble: Murugesan D, Moise Irudayaraj A, Sathish Kuram K, Rohaan N.S., Dhanya J (recorders) and Dominic Goodall (Viola da gamba, traverso)	Library Hall, EFEO 19 Rue Dumas	EFEO/Pondicherry Flute Ensemble
52.	12/03/2023 Sunday	4:30 pm	Walk and Sketch: Sketching heritage Buildings with Pondicherry Sketchers	Meeting point: Notre Dame des Anges Church on Rue Dumas	Pondicherry Sketchers
53.	14/03/2023 Tuesday	6:45 pm	Heritage Culinary Trail by Twinkle Gupta	Starting from Grand Hotel D'Europe, Rue Suffren	Smack-a-licious/PFH
54.	15/03/2023 Wednesday	2:30 pm – 5:30 pm 5:30 – 6:30 6 pm	Round Table on 'Responsible Tourism' Refreshments Closing Ceremony & Guardians of Heritage Awards	Alliance Francaise Auditorium 58 Rue Suffren	PHF/AFP/Tourism Ministry

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