

TIATR ACADEMY OF GOA

Report of the activities from April 2020 to April 2021

Due to the covid pandemic some of the activities could not be held however the programmes were organised following the guidelines of Govt. by keeping social distance.

July 2020

11th Popular Tiatr Competition 2019:

Tiatr Academy of Goa organized 11th Popular Tiatr Competition from 2nd February 2020 to 15th February 2020 at Ravindra Bhavan, Margao and Vasco. The competition was judged by well known tiatr personalities Shri. Wilson Mazarello, Fr. Rolland Lin Fernandes and Shri. Socorro Fernandes. In all 8 tiatr troupes participated in the competition.

The detailed result is as under:

Best Performance:

- 1st Prize:** Tiatr 'Ho Uzo Palouk Zata' by Epiphania Menezes
2nd Prize: Tiatr 'Bhailean Butter Bhitorean Gutter' by Comedian Domnic & his Troupe
3rd Prize: Tiatr 'Khell' by Machi Mogi Morjim Cultural Sanskrutik Sauntha

Best Direction:

- 1st Prize** - Mario Menezes - **Tiatr:** 'Ho Uzo Palouk Zata'
2nd Prize - Domingos Gabriel Coelho - **Tiatr:** 'Bhailean Butter Bhitorean Gutter'
3rd Prize - John Alexando Fernandes - **Tiatr:** 'Khell'

Best Script:

- 1st Prize** - Mario Menezes, **Tiatr** - 'Ho Uzo Palouk Zata'
2nd Prize - Jose Roman Fernandes, **Tiatr** - 'Subject'

Best Actor Male:

1st Prize - Cyril Fernandes, **Tiatr** - 'Khell'

2nd Prize - Samir Shabi Gadekar, **Tiatr** - 'Vingans'

Best Actor Female:

1st Prize - Rosy Alvares, **Tiatr** - 'Ho Uzo Palounk Zata'

2nd Prize - Meena Goes, **Tiatr** - 'Tanchi Chuk Kosli?'

Best Comedian Male:

Lino Fernandes, **Tiatr** - 'Bhailean Butter Bhitorlean Gutter'

Best Comedian Female:

Evon Fernandes, **Tiatr** - 'Subject'

Best Supporting Artiste (Male):

Satyavan Tari, **Tiatr** - 'Uzvadd Tuka Diun'

Best Supporting Artiste (Female):

Valini Fernandes, **Tiatr** - 'Khell'

Best Actor in Negative Role (Male):

Maxie Pereira, **Tiatr** - 'Uzvadd Tuka Diun'

Best Actor in Negative Role (Female):

Shenaya Pereira, **Tiatr** - 'Ho Uzo Palounk Zata'

Best Child Artiste Female:

Alethea De Souza, **Tiatr** - 'Vingans'

Best Stage Setting:

Kapil Chari, **Tiatr** - 'Ho Uzo Palounk Zata'

Best Light Effects:

Ratnakant Salgaonkar, **Tiatr** - 'Khell'

Best Make-up:

Pascoal T. Fernandes, **Tiatr** - 'Rochna'

Best Music (Live Band):

Agnelo Lobo, **Tiatr** - 'Tanchi Chuk Kosli?'

Best Costumes:

Pascoal T. Fernandes, **Tiatr** - 'Rochna'

Best Background Music:

Benny Carvalho, **Tiatr** - 'Bhailean Butter Bhitorlean Gutter'

Best Singer Male:

1st Prize - Aniceto Lourenco (Axea), **Tiatr** - 'Bhailean Butter Bhitorlean Gutter'

2nd Prize - Peter Colaco (Dotor), **Tiatr** - 'Uzvadd Tuka Diun'

Best Singer Female:

1st Prize - Evola Couto (Ranu Mondal), **Tiatr** - 'Rochna'

2nd Prize - Rioma Menezes, **Tiatr** - 'Ho Uzo Palounk Zata'

Best Child Singer Male:

Jonas Fernandes (Konn Sukhi), **Tiatr** - 'Khell'

Best Duet: Freddy D'souza & Macquenzi Fernandes
Tiatr - 'Tanchi Chuk Kosli?'

Best Duo: Celina Pereira & Wilma Fernandes
Tiatr - 'Vingans'

Best Trio: Pascoal Fernandes, Maria Afonso & Celeste Pereira
Tiatr - 'Rochna'
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Best Quartet/Quintet: Pierson D Costa, Senford Fernandes, Bladwin
Da Silva & Elita Fernandes
Tuiatr - 'Ho Uzo Palounk Zata'

Best Choral Song: Ramson Cardoso, Rosanne Coutinho, Asner
Fernandes & Wilma Fernandes
Tiatr - 'Vingans'

Best Comedy Kantar: Shenaya Pereira
Tiatr - 'Ho Uzo Palounk Zata'

Best Lyrics: Roque Dias
Tiatr - 'Khell'

The award ceremony was held on 3rd July 2020 at the Multipurpose Hall of Art & Culture Department, Panaji Goa. The Awards were presented at the hands of Director, Art & Culture Department and President of Tiatr Academy of Goa Shri. Sagun R. Velip on and Shri. Ashok Parab, Dy. Director, Art & Culture.

Shri. Sagun Velip, President of TAG welcomed the Guests. Speaking on the occasion, Shri. Sagun Velip congratulated the winners and said due to the competitions we can see more creativity among the tiatrists.

Shri. Mario Menezes speaking on behalf of prize winners thanked TAG for the presentation of award and requested the Director of Art & Culture to financially support the tiatrists who are entirely dependent only on Tiatr since because of covid 19 all the public performances have been stopped and they don't have any source of income.

Shri. Cezar D'Mello Member Secretary of TAG proposed a vote of thanks. The function was compered by well known tiatr personality Shri. Pradeep Naik.

October 2020

1. Government issued order bearing no. DAC/Accts/Comm.TA/2020-21/1841 dated 07-10-2020 nominating Mr. Menino Fernandes alias Menino de Bandar, President of Tiatr Academy of Goa.

2. Simultaneously, another Government order bearing no. DAC/Accts/Comm.TA/2020-21/1840 dated 07-10-2020 was issued nominating 10 members from government side to the General Council of Tiatr Academy of Goa. They are :-
 1. Shri. Socorro A. A. Fernandes
 2. Shri. Shirish Prabhu Lawande,
 3. Shri. Mariano Fernandes,
 4. Shri. John D'Sa,
 5. Shri. Joe Rose
 6. Shri. Matias Damaso Mascarenhas,
 7. Shri. Peregrino Joaquim Faleiro,
 8. Shri. Maxcy Pereira,
 9. Shri. Michael Gracias,
 10. Shri. Agnelo Pereira

3. By order no. DAC/Accts/Comm.TA/2020-21/2391 dated 30-11-2020 Government nominated the following members on the General Council of Tiatr Academy of Goa. They are :-
 1. Shri. Socorro A. A. Fernandes
 2. Shri. Shirish Prabhu Lawande,
 3. Shri. Mariano Fernandes,
 4. Shri. John D'Sa,
 5. Shri. Joe Rose
 6. Shri. Matias Damaso Mascarenhas,
 7. Shri. Peregrino Joaquim Faleiro,
 8. Shri. Maxcy Pereira,
 9. Shri. Michael Gracias,

4. The President Mr. Menino Fernandes, and the above nominated members met on 22-10-2020 and as required by the constitution of Tiatr Academy of Goa nominated another 10 members from the field of Tiatr, its Music and Song to the General Council. They are:-
 1. Fr. Milagres Dias (Sao Bartolomeu Sports Club & Cultural Association, Chora)

2. Fr. Doel Dias (Menino Jesus Kala Association, Chinchinim)
3. Shri. Vincy Quadros (Dalgado Konkani Academy)
4. Willy Silveira (Silver Screen Productions, Verna)
5. Marcus Gonsalves (Fulte Machi Mogi Nirmiti, Raia)
6. Smt. Chitra Afonso
7. Shri. Ben Evangelisto
8. Shri. Mario Menezes
9. Shri. Xavier Fernandes
10. Dr. Cosma Fernandes

Birth Anniversary of Late Rosario Rodrigues 24/10/2020

The Birth Anniversary of Late Rosario Rodrigues, Pioneer of Khell Tiatr is always celebrated on the 24th October, every year but due to Covid-19 pandemic this year the function was not held on the same day. However on 24th Oct, 2020 a small function was held in TAG office, the Photo of Late Rosario Rodrigues was garlanded by the President of TAG Shri. Menino Fernandes along with Member Secretary, Shri. Cezar D'Mello and the officials of Tiatr Academy of Goa. It was decided by the president in his speech that the Lifetime contribution to the Tiatr Award (Khell) which were presented on the birth anniversary of late Rosario Rodrigues i.e. 24th October will be held on later day.

As decided the Lifetime contribution to the Tiatr Award (Khell) were presented on 17/12/2020 along with Lifetime contribution to the Tiatr Award (commercial) at the Ravindra Bhavan, Margao. Shri. Babu Kavlekar, Dy. Chief Minister was the chief guest and a senior Tiatrist, Smt. Sabina Fernandes Was the guest of honour the awards were presented in the hands of the chief guest. The awardee were as follows: Evagrio Domingos D'Souza, Joao P. Dias, Lourence Gracias,

November 2020

The meeting of the General Council took place on 5-11-2020 and as per the requirement of the constitution; the Vice President and the members of the Executive Board were elected. They are:-

1. Shri. Mario Menezes - Vice President
2. Smt. Chitra Afonso
3. Shri. Ben Evangelisto
4. Shri. Joe Rose
5. Shri. Socorro Fernandes
6. Shri. Matias Mascarenhas
7. Fr. Doel Dias

Birth Anniversary celebration of Late Regina Fernandes on 16/11/2020

The Birth Anniversary of Regina Fernandes 'The First Woman on Tiatr Stage' was celebrated by Tiatr Academy Goa (TAG) on the 16th November 2020. Shri. Menino Fernandes popularly known as Menino de Bandar, President of Tiatr Academy of Goa paid tribute to Late. Regina Fernandes, the First Women on Konkani Stage on her Birth Anniversary along with Shri. Mario Menezes, Vice President and Shri. Cezar D'Mello, Member Secretary and staff by garlanding the portrait.

Due to pandemic situation, the function could not be organised but her contribution to the tiatr was remembered by the President. He also said it has been decided to present the Young Achievers Award annually presented on 16th November on 2nd January i.e. on the birth anniversary of late Lucasinho Ribeiro, the 'Pioneer of Tiatr'. In his speech he said that we are celebrating her 140th Anniverasry and she was the First Women on Konkani Stage who gave us the lead and later more followed. Shri. Mario Menezes, Vice President said due to her entry on Tiatr Stage, many female artists have joined tiatr and still more figures keep on coming and now it is easier to find females than males.

Shri. Cezar D'Mello, Member Secretary welcomed and proposed the vote of thanks.

As decided Young Achievers Award were presented 02nd January, 2021 at the Multipurpose Hall of Directorate of Art & Culture, Patto, Panjim to two brightest artistes of Tiatr, Ms. Valency Carmeline D'souza and Richard Colaco for their valuable contribution to tiatr. The award consisted of a memento, citation and cash purse of Rs. 20,000/-

The awards were presented at the hands of the Chief Guest, Shri. Churchill Alemao, Hon. MLA of Benaulim Constituency. Prince Jacob was Guest of Honour for the function.

On the occasion Konkani Musical Show was presented by Jr. Reagan and team.

Konkani Song & Music Awards

TAG presented Konkani Songs & Music Awards 2019

In order to encourage the producers, lyricists, singers and musicians who take pains and invest huge amount of money to produce Konkani Audio(CD)/Video (VCD)/DVD/Digital Albums

of Konkani Tiatr songs, every year Tiatr Academy of Goa organizes Konkani Song and Music Awards. Konkani audio albums produced from 1st January 2019 to 31st December 2019 This year the awards presentation ceremony was held on 30th November 2020 at the TAG's Conference Hall, Campal, Panaji Goa.

TAG's President Shri. Menino Fernandes welcomed the gathering. Fr. Domnic Alvares was the Chief Guest and gave away the prizes in the presence of Shri. Menino Fernandes, President, Shri. Mario Menezes, Vice President and Shri. Cezar D'Mello, Member Secretary of Tiatr Academy of Goa.

The Competition was judged by well-known musicians Fr. Rolland Lin Fernades and Elvis Goes.

The following are the winners:

Best Singer (Male)

Song

Album

- Johnny B Gud
- Happy Anniversary
- Love in the Rains

Best Singer (Female)

Song

Album

- Agatha
- Kalzam Nachtat Kumpasar
- Kor Kantar Taleigao

Best Child Singer (Male)

Song

Album

-
- (Insufficient Entries)
-

Best Child Singer (Female)

Song

Album

- Annalee Pires De Menezes
- Ulo Bhurgeoncho
- Mog Pallkacho

Best Duet

Song

Album

- Genevie / Mark Revlon
- I want to be like
- Kor Kantar Taleigao

Best Duo

Cardozo

Song

Album

- Assis Cardozo / Tomazinho
- Sopnam
- Devak Argam

Best Trio

Tomazinho Cardozo

Song

Album

- Maria Cardozo/Assis Cardozo/
- Sontrekar
- Devak Argam

Best Quartet

Song

Album

-
- (Insufficient Entries)
-

Best Quintet	-
Song	- (No Entries)
Album	-
Best Choral Song	- Fr. Joaquim Loiola Pereira / Fr. Peter Cardozo
Song	- Sobit Dev
Album	- The Candle He Lit
Best Lyricist	- Jerry De Souza
Song	- Char Dis Late
Album	- Dis Dakoilai Novo
Best Music Composer	- Mukesh Ghatwal
Song	- Rozalin
Album	- Devak Argam
Best Album	- (Insufficient Entries that fulfil the Criteria)
Producer	-

Along with cash prizes, mementos and certificates were awarded to the winners. The Programme was compered by Shri. Socorro Fernandes.

December 2020

Birth Anniversary Joao Agostinho Fernandes 14/12/2020

The Birth Anniversary of Late Joao Agostine Fernandes, Pai Tiatrist is always celebrated on the 14th December, every year but due to election code of conduct this year the function was not held on the same day. However on 14th December, 2020 a small function was held at Ravindra Bhavan, Margao. The photo of Late Joao Agostinho Fernandes was garlanded by Shri.Damu Naik, Chairman of Ravindra Bhavan, Shri.Mario Menezes, Vice Presedent of TAG along with Member Secretary, Shri.Cezar D'Mello and the officials of Tiatr Academy of Goa and Ravindr Bhavan Margao. But the same was held on 17th December 2020 at 3.30 p.m. where Lifetime Contribution Awards (Commercial) and Lifetime Contribution to Khell/Khell Tiatr Awards were Awarded followed by Cultural Programme.

Birth Anniversary Joao Agostinho Fernandes 17/12/2020
Lifetime Contribution to Tiatr (Commercial) & Khell tiatr

On the 17th December, 2020 Tiatr Academy of Goa in collaboration with Ravindra Bhavan Margao, celebrated the Birth Anniversary of late Joao Agostinho Fernandes – Father of Tiatr. On the occasion TAG presented Lifetime Contribution to Tiatr Awards (Commercial) to five veteran tiatr artistes **Minguel Jacob Carmo Luis Fernandes (Prince Jacob), Mario Menezes, Socorro Antonio Agnelo Lourenco Fernades (Socorro de St. Cruz), Minguel Silva, Kenneth Michael Theresa Zuzarte (Kenny)** and Lifetime Contribution to Khell/Khell Tiatr Awards to three Khell Tiatrist **Joao P. Dias John Hatts), Evagrio Domingos D'Souza and Lourence Gracias** who have given their valuable contribution to the tiatr and khell tiatr stage.

The awards were presented at a specially organized function at the Pai Tiatrist Auditorium, Ravindra Bhavan, Margao – Goa, at the hands of the Chief Guest Shri. Babu Kavlekar Hon. Dy. Chief Minister and senior tiatrist, Smt.Sabina Fernandes, who was the Guest of Honour. Pai Tiatrist Granddaughter Smt. Sharmila Fernandes, was also present as a Special Invitee.

Earlier, Shri. Menino Fernandes, President of Tiatr Academy welcomed the guests.The Chief Guest, Shri. Babu Kavlekar congratulated all the Awardees and Shri. Damu Naik, Chairman of Ravindra Bhavan, margao also spoke on the occasion.

Shri.Mario Menezes,Vice President of Tiatr Academy Goa proposed the Vote of Thanks.

The function was compered by well-known personality Shri. Pradeep Naik. On this day also Lifetime Contribution Award to Khell was presented.The function was followed with staging of a Musical Show by Tony de Ribandar and his troupe.

January 2021

Birth Anniversary of Lucazinho Ribeiro on 2/1/2021

Tiatr Academy of Goa celebrated the Birth Anniversary of late Lucasinho Ribeiro, the 'Pioneer of Tiatr' on 02nd January, 2021 at the Multipurpose Hall of Directorate of Art & Culture, Patto, Panjim. On this occasion, TAG presented 'Lifetime Contribution Tiatr Awards 2021 (Non - Commercial)' to to 5 tiatr personalities **Antonio Joaquim Simoes, Manual Francisco Xavier Fernandes , Joaquim Fernandes (Jack De Vasco), Rosario E Botelho and Mariano Lourenco Fernandes** for their valuable contribution to tiatr.

TAG also presented '**Young Achievers Awards - 2020**' to two of the brightest artistes of Tiatr, **Valency Carmeline D'souza** and **Richard Colaco** for their valuable contribution to Tiatr. The award consisted of a memento, citation and cash purse of Rs. 20,000/-.

Due to the covid pandemic Young achievers award presented annually on 16/11/2020 i.e on the Birth Anniversary of Regina Fernandes, the First Lady of the Tiatr Stage could not be presented on that day due to covid 19 restrictions but were presented on this day.

The awards were presented at the hands of the Chief Guest, Shri. Churchill Alemao, Hon. MLA of Benaulim Constituency. Prince Jacob was the Guest of Honour for the function. Speaking on the occasion Shri. Churchill congratulated all the awardees and also TAG for recognizing the work of tiatr artistes. He further said that this is not the stop for them and should contribute more to tiatr. Prince Jacob said that tiatrists have preserved the culture of Goa.

Awardee Rosario E Botelho spoke on behalf of all the awardees. He thanked TAG for recognizing their work and bestowing this award upon them.

Shri. Menino Fernandes, President of TAG welcomed the guests and Shri. Mario Menezes, Vice President of TAG proposed a vote of thanks. The function was compered by well-known tiatr personality Shri. Joe Rose.

On the ocassion Konkani Musical Show was presented by Jr. Reagan and team.

Meet The Artiste **(Shri.Premanand A. Lotlikar)**

Tiatr Academy of Goa held their 'Meet the Artiste' programme on 22nd Jan, 2021 at Black box of Ravindra Bhavan, Margao- Goa. Shri. Menino Fernandes President of TAG welcomed all the guest and tiatr lovers, Shri. Mario Menezes, Vice – President of TAG gave a brief introduction of Shri. Premanand A. Lotlikar. Shri. Premanand A. Lotlikar, was interviewed by another famous personality, Shri. Daniel. F. De. Souza. Shri. Tomazinho Cardozo, 1st President of TAG released the brochure published on this occasion. Cezar D'Mello, Member Secretary of TAG proposed the vote of thanks. The programme was compered by Meleeta Rodrigues.

February 2021

Competition of Zomnivoilo Khell

TAG organized its 10th Competition of Fells/Khells (Zomnivoile Khell) from 20th February to 22nd February, 2021, which was held at Goa Kala Academy's Open Air Amphi – theatre, Panaji.

All together 8 troupes participated in this competition.

The *Khells* which bagged prizes at this 3-day competition are as follows:-

1st Prize – “Timepass” by Jose Roaman Fernandes

2nd Prize – “Tumche Upkar” by Luis Xavier Mascarenhas (Xavier de Maina

3rd Prize – “Raza Rani Gulam” Caitano F Fernandes (Caje de Curtorim)

This year TAG included 6 more prizes which are as follows:

Category of the winner	Name of the winner	Name of the Khell
Best Actor Female	Sonia Travasso	Tuji Bail
Best Actor Male	Rockman Fernandes	Tumi Sagat
Best Comedian	Com.Agnelo Rebello	Tuji Bail
Best Music Director	Rogery Fernandes	Tumche Upakar
Best Script Writer	Vera Baretto	Chit Munxea
Best Director	Jose Fernandes	Timepass

Well known veteran tiatr personalities Mr. Osvi S.C.L.Viegas and Mr. Michael Silva were the judges for the competition.

On the last day one of the prominent personality Shri. Lawry Travasso, was the chief guest and Shri. Pravin Barad, Member Secretary, Kala Academy Goa was the guest of Honour for the function.

President of TAG Shri. Menino Fernandes and Vice President Shri.Mario Menezes spoke on the occasion. They said that this year 6 more prizes have been included in the competition and promise to increase the individual prizes in future. The Judges and the Chief Guest Shri. Lawry Travasso gave away the prizes and certificates to the winners. Shri. Cezar D'Mello, Member Secretary proposed the vote of thanks.

Meet The Artiste

Shri. Xavier M Fernandes

Tiatr Academy of Goa held their 'Meet the Artiste' programme on 22nd Feb, 2021 at the conference Hall of Tiatr Academy of Goa, Campal. Shri.Xavier M Fernandes, a veterant musician was the "Artiste" in this programme. He was interviewed by another famous tiatr personality, Shri. Ben Evangelesto. Shri. Menino Fernandes President of TAG welcomed all the guest and tiatr lovers, Shri.Mario Menezes,Vice – President of TAG gave a brief introduction of Shri.Xavier M Fernandes and Shri.Ben Evangelesto.

Shri.Gurudas Pilarnekar, IGP, Director (Urban Development) with additional charge of Member Secretary (GSUDA) released the broucher, publised on the occasion. Cezar D'Mello, Member Secretary of TAG proposed the vote of thanks. The programme was compered by Meleeta Rodrigues.

Somplelea Tiatrstancho Ugddas

Yad Somplelea Tiatrstanchi – February 2021

TAG's programme Yad Somplelea Tiatrstanchi was broadcast on All India Radio's FM Rainbow Channel on Saturday, 27th February 2021 wherein the late tiatr artistes Kid Boxer, Miss. Mohana, Roam Tony, Vincent Florencio Fernandes (Seza Pai) and Pedro Filipe Fernandes (Filipe de Orlim) were remembered. The panel for the programme was Shri. Cezar D'Mello and Smt. Elina Fernandes.

March 2021

Financial Assistance to Dramatic Troupes participating in Kala Academy's Annual Tiatr Competition

This scheme has been formulated by TAG in order to encourage non commercial dramatic troupes participating in Kala Academy's yearly Tiatr Festival to produce tiatrs of better quality.

1) 46th Tiatr Competition 'A' Group 2020-21

The following Institutions availed the benefit of TAG's Scheme 'Financial Assistance to Dramatic Troupes Participating in Kala Academy's Yearly Tiatr Competition in 2020 - 21:

Sr. No.	Tiatr staged on	Name of the Institution	Name of the Tiatr
1.	10/3/2021	St. Domnic Dramatic Troup	Kolakar
2.	12/3/2021	Taleigao Dramatic Troupe	Bhivpachi Goroz Na
3.	19/3/2021	Machi Mogi Morjim	Chowkidar
4.	16/3/2021	Menino Jesus Kala Association, Chinchinim	Oxem Kiteak?
5.	18/3/2021	A Amar P Sawanth Fan Club, Varca	Good News
6.	25/3/2021	Ami Daizi, Fatorda	Goal
7.	17/3/2021	Kala Mogi, Candolim	Jivitachi Vatt
8.	23/3/2021	Novim Pavlam Novo Uzvadd Dramatic Troupe, Shiroda	Vell
9.	22/3/2021	Sao Bartolomeu Sports Club & Cultural Association	Xabaski Tuka
10.	24/3/2021	Britona Dramatic Academy, Britona	Viojjin Mai

2) 6th Tiatr Competition 'B' Group 2020-21

The following Institutions availed the benefit of TAG's Scheme 'Financial Assistance to Dramatic Troupes Participating in Kala Academy's Yearly Tiatr Festival in 2020 - 21:

1.	1/3/2021	Drishti Entertainments, Curchorem	Lucky Tum
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2.	4/3/2021	Goan.comSocio & Cultural Association, Candolim	London with Love
3.	6/3/2021	Being Noble, Calangute	Ghoddpachem Ghoddtelem
4.	5/3/3021	Matias Creative Group, Calangute	Apun Apnank Dev Somestank
5.	02/3/2021	Machi Mogi, St. Cruz	Udkantlo Ujeant
6.	07/3/2021	Goa- Velha Art & Cultural Association, Goa Velha	Kru Vo Baullo

● Orientation Courses in Dramatics

1) 10-Day Orientation Course in Dramatics in Nuvem

Tiatr Academy of Goa in collaboration with Kala Niketan (Goa) organized a 10-days Orientation Course in Dramatics (Acting, Lyrics composition, History of tiatr Direction & Singing) from 22/03/2021 to 31/03/2021 from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm at Nuvem Panchayat Hall.

The workshop was inaugurated on 22/03/2021 in the presence of President and Vice President of TAG. In all 32 artistes participated.

Michael Gracias was the main resource person and guided the participants on various aspects of acting and Direction. Piety Rodrigues, a senior tiatr artiste trained the participants in composing the lyrics of songs in tiatr

The valedictory function was held on 31/03/2021. The participation certificates were distributed at the hands of President of TAG Menino Fernandes, Vice President Mario Menezes and resource person Michael Gracias.

2) Orientation Course in Dramatics at Curchorem

Tiatr Academy of Goa in collaboration with Drishti Entertainments organized a 10-days Orientation Course in Dramatics (Acting & Singing) from 26/03/2021 onwards from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm at Curchorem Primary School Hall.

The workshop was inaugurated on 26/03/2021 in the presence of President and Vice President of TAG. In all 25 artistes participated.

Sanket Bhandare was the main resource person and guided the participants on various aspects of acting and Singing.

● **Promotion of Tiatr through Academic Activities**

This scheme is formulated in order to promote tiatr and tiatr related activities in educational institutions such as schools, colleges, etc. by organizing workshops, symposia, seminars, etc. Various activities under this scheme are listed here below:

1) Workshop on Tiatr at Fr. Agnel College of Arts & Commerce, Pilar

TAG in collaboration with Fr. Agnel College of Arts & Commerce, Pilar organized a 3 days Workshop on Tiatr on 26th, 27th March 2021 and 30th March 2021 at the college premises. Shri. Fermino Goes was the Chief Conductor of the workshop. Besides him, Fr. Domnic Alvares and Joy Fernandes also guided the participants. Around 40 participants attended the workshop.

The concluding function was held on 30th March 2021 in the presence of President of TAG Menino Fernandes, Vice President Mario Menezes and Principal and Vice Principal of the College.

● **Promotion of Tiatr Related Activities**

Many lovers of tiatr organize various tiatr related activities in the villages. These activities include Kantaram Singing Competition, Musical Shows, workshops on dramatics, etc., etc. Many a times such activities cannot be organized due to lack of funds. Under these circumstances Tiatr, its song and music suffer.

Therefore TAG has formulated this scheme through which TAG provides financial support to carry on Tiatr related activities.

The following individuals/institutions have taken benefit of this scheme:

1. Joaquim C. D'Costa, Colva, Salcete Goa for Konkani Musical Show on 26th March 2021 at Margad, Colva, Salcete Goa

March 2021

Meet the Artist

Fatima D'Souza

Tiatr Academy of Goa held their 'Meet the Artiste' programme on 24th March, 2021 at the conference Hall of Tiatr Academy of Goa, Campal, Goa.

Smt.Fatima D'Souza, a veteran tiatrist was the "Artiste" in this programme. She was introduced and interviewed by another famous personality Smt. Chitra Afonso. Shri. Menino Fernandes President of TAG welcomed all the guest and tiatr lovers, Shri.Mario Menezes,Vice – President of TAG gave a brief introduction of Smt.Fatima D'Souza and Smt. Chitra Afonso .

Smt.Jessie Dais, a senior tiatrist released the boucher, publised on the occasion.

Cezar D'Mello, Member Secretary of TAG proposed the vote of thanks. The programme was coordinated by Meleeta Rodrigues.

Promotion of Duo/ Duets/ Trios/Quartets/ quintets/ Choral Songs

Tiatr Academy of Goa organized its Konkani Kantaram competition named as '**Kantaramchem Daiz**'. The Grand finale was held on 31st March, 2021 at 2:00, p.m. the Multipurpose hall of Directorate of Art & Culture,Patto, Panaji-Goa.the participats and audience was welcomed by the President Shir. Menino Fernandes, Shri.Mario Menezes gave a brief details of the competition. The competition was judged by senior tiatrist Shri.Joe Rose and well known musician Fr,Lynn Fernandes. The prizes of the competition was declared on the newspaper and a separate prize distribution

function was held on 9th April, 2021. the competition was compared by a famous tiatrist Shri. Soccorro Fernandes.

April 2021

Scheme: Preservation of Tiatr Literature

TAG released 5 books of Tiatr at the hands of Chief Guest Arun Sakhardande

Tiatr Academy Goa under its scheme Preservation of Tiatr Literature released 5 books of tiatr namely '**Devachea Molleant**' written by Menino Mario Araujo, '**Ek Aslo Surya**' written by Marcos Gonsalves, '**Kirnnam**' written by William Fernandes, '**Zayat Zage**' written by Prince Jacob and '**Eke Fottik Xembhor Fotti**' written by Mario Menezes. The books were released at the hands of Chief Guest Shri. Arun Sakhardande, President of Goa Konknni Academy on 7th April 2021 at the Conference Hall of Tiatr Academy Goa, Campal, Panjim. Shri. Mario Menezes, Vice President of TAG introduced the Chief Guest Shri Arun Sakhardande and the Konkani writer, Mrs Guadalupe Dias.

Speaking on the occasion Shri Arun Sakhardande appreciated the efforts taken by Tiatr Academy of Goa and all the five writers for their respective contribution for taking the initiative in printing their tiatrs in the form of books. Shri. Prince Jacob writer of 'Zayat Zage' spoke on behalf of all the 5 writers and praised the committee for releasing the 5 books evn during the pandemic period. Mrs. Guadalupe Dias gave her review on all the 5 tiatr books.

Shri. Menino Fernandes, President of TAG welcomed while Shri. Cezar D'Mello, Member Secretary proposed a vote of thanks. The programme was compered by Shri. Pradeep Naik.

1st Tiatr Script Writing Competition 2020

In order to encourage new generation of tiatr playwrights to script better quality of tiatrs and enrich the Konkani language, TAG had organized Tiatr Script writing competition.

The first prize was bagged by Henzil S. K. Cardoz for his script 'Ekach Devachim Bhurgim. The second prize was won by Evaristo Lateran Rodrigues for his script 'Kornni Toxi Bornni' and third was won by Jose Martinho Felix de Jesus Nazareth Barreto for his script 'Khuris'.

The Competition was judged by Shri. Fausto V. Da Costa and Fr. Milton Rodrigues. The prize distribution function was held on 9/4/2021 at the conference hall of TAG. There were total 9 participants for the competition.

Prize distribution function of Kantaram Competition & 1st Tiatr Script Writing Competition 2020

The prize distribution function was held on the 09th April, 2021 at the conference Hall of Tiatr Academy of Goa, Campal, Of the Promotion of Duo/Duets/Trios/Quartets/Quintets,Choral songs. The president of TAG, Shri.Menini Fernandes welcomed the prize winners and the audience. Shri.Mario Menezes Vice-President of TAG congratulated all the winners and told the participants not to be discourage if they did not win the prize as todays losers can be tomorrows winners. Shri.Xavier Gomes a well-known tiatrist was the chief guest and gave away the prizes, the function was compared by another well-known tiatr personality Shri.Willy Silveira. On this same day prizes of script writing competition was also given the following are the prize winners of kantaram competition.

Below 16 years Category

BOYER - REMMIE BEST DUO AWARD

1st prize

Dhakttem Ani Vhoddlem

Naira Fernandes, Nyssa Fernandes

2nd Prize Mogachi Bhoinn:- Jenifer Fernandes, Jane Colaco

General Category

C. ALVARES BEST DUET AWARD

1st prize

Online Xinkop

Felecity Pereira, Zedekias D'Souza

2nd Prize Solfam Xinkonk Zai:- Joshua R Pereira, Newita Albuquerque

3rd Prize Sakrament Sambai:- Casey Carvalho, Delju Simon

Best Duo:

1st Prize Mobile:- Riosha N Menezes, Rioma L Menezes

2nd Prize Kitem Hanv Korum:- Celia Dias, Flaviolla Pereira

KID -YOUNG -ROD BEST TRIO AWARD

1st prize

Goencho Vepar

Sweta D'Souza, Megan Vas, Delju Simoes

2nd Prize Cheddenk Patienakai:- Lizandra Fernandes, Shania D'Costa, Vilban Pereira

3rd Prize Goem Konn Sambaltele:- Jenifer Fernandes, Jane Colaco, Janice Colaco

ROAM TONY ANI SANGATI BEST QUARTET/QUINTET AWARD

1st prize

Kazar Kor Ga Pai

Amanda Luis, Presley D'Costa, Vilban Pereira, Claster Cardoso

2nd Prize Chorleli Girestkai Porot Mellonk Kottin:- Celfra Azavedo, Ivo Goncalves, Kingsley D'Souza, Bencia Monteiro

3rd Prize Avoi Chukli:- Christina C Correia, Velvin Palha, Royston Gracias, Frebran Fernandes

ARISTIDES & LUCIAN BEST CHORAL AWARD

1st prize

Xetkamti

Franzy Furtado, Tenisha Rebello, Jonathan Barretto, Alico Fernandes

2nd Prize Cheddum:- Pury S Corte, Rioma L Menezes

3rd Prize Konknnicho Ani Palkacho Mog:- Cristina C Correia, Megan C Vas, Velvin Palha, Royston L Gracias

Best Lyrics

- 1st Prize Online Xinkop:- Peter Camilo
- 2nd Prize Kazar Kor Ga Pai:- William Fernandes
- 3rd Prize Mobile :- Anthony Barreto

Joining of new Member Secretary

Shri.Suresh Divkar was appointed as Member Secretary of Tiatr Academy of Goa vide order no. DAC/4/TA/2020-21/Part-III/137 dtd 9/4/2021. He joined and stationed from 12/04/2021.

Farewell of Smt. Assucenna Souza, Lib Gr I & Cezer D'Mello, Member Secretary

The farewell of Smt. Assucenna Souza, Lib Gr I & Cezer D'Mello, Member Secretary was held on 31st May, 2021. On this day Smt Assucenna Souza, retired from the govt. service and also Shri. Cezer D'Mello who was relieved on 14th April, 2021 upon joining of the new member secretary. On this occasion President appreciated the work done by Assucenna Souza & Cezer D'Mello. Vice President also spoke on the occasion. Shri.Suresh Divkar, the new member secretary proposed vite of thanks

21st June 2021

TAG Memorandum to the Chief Minister

President of TAG, Shri, Menino Fernandes along with Vice President Mario Menezes in the presence of Shri. Churchill Alemao, Hon. MLA of Benaulim Constituency presented a Memorandum to the Hon. Chief Minister, Shri. Pramod Sawant for financial benefits to the tiatrists who are facing lot of financial problems as performances in tiatr have stopped due to covid pandemic.

21st July 2021

TAG Memorandum to the Minister of Art & Culture Department

President of TAG, Shri. Menino Fernandes, Vice President, Mario Menezes and Member Secretary, Shri. Suresh Divkar presented a Memorandum to the Hon. Min of

Art & Culture, Shri. Govind Gaude requesting for special funds to celebrate 150th Birth Anniversary of Shri. Joao Agostinho Fernades (Pai Tiatrist).

