

TAG presented 'Lifetime Contribution to Khell/Khell-Tiatr Awards 2022' and felicitated Roseferns for achieving milestone of completing 100 Tiatrs

Every year Tiatr Academy of Goa celebrates the birth Anniversary of Late Rosario Rodrigues, Father of Khell-Tiatr on 24th October and presents Lifetime Contribution to Khell/Khell-Tiatr Awards to Khell-Tiatr artistes for their valuable contribution to Khell/Khell-Tiatr.

This year as the birthday of late Rosario Rodrigues clashed with Diwali Festival, the celebrations were held on 26th October, 2022 at 3:30 pm at the Conference Hall of Ravindra Bhavan Margao. The function began with offering floral tributes to the portrait of late Rosario Rodrigues by the dignitaries.

On the occasion TAG's prestigious 'Lifetime Contribution to Khell/Khell-Tiatr Awards 2022' were conferred on Khell/Khell-Tiatr personalities namely Artur Viegas, Miguel Azavedo and Mariano Dias at the hands of Chief Guest Shri Roseferns, a veteran tiatr artiste in the presence of Special Invitee Smt Carmina Rodrigues, wife of late Rosario Rodrigues. Menino Fernandes President, Socorro Fernandes Vice President and Suresh Divkar Member Secretary of Tiatr Academy of Goa were also present on the dais along with Vithal Furtado, one of the founder member of late Rosario Rodrigues' dramatic troupe.

Tiatr Academy of Goa also recognized the immense contribution of Roseferns, the King of Centuries in the field of Khell-Tiatr/Tiatr and felicitated him for achieving the milestone of completing 100 Tiatrs. Speaking on the occasion, Roseferns appreciated Tiatr Academy of Goa for always being keen in developing and promoting Tiatr. He thanked the President and the entire committee members of TAG for the warm felicitation given to him. Recalling the beginning of his tiatr career, he thanked all the senior tiatrists for their guidance and motivation which helped him in achieving this milestone. He advised the young generation of tiatr artistes to work hard in order to achieve the highest goal in the field of tiatr and to preserve Tiatr for posterity.

Awardee Artur Viegas also spoke on behalf of all the awardees and thanked TAG for recognizing their work. Vital Furtado and Ben Evangelisto shared their experiences with late Rosario Rodrigues and insisted the tiatr artistes to follow his path for the development and preservation of Khell-Tiatr.

Menino Fernandes, President of TAG welcomed the dignitaries and the audience while Socorro Fernandes, Vice President of TAG proposed the vote of thanks. The formal function was followed by a Konkani Musical Show presented by Vithal Furtado and his troupe. The programme was compered by Agnelo Fernandes (Agnel Borim) and co-ordinated by Meleeta Rodrigues.



Lifetime Contribution to Khell, Khell-Tiatr Awardees along with other dignitaries



Felicitation of Roseferns, King of Centuries