

INVOKING GANDHI

Bapu Ghat, Langar Houz, Hyderabad



An interactive experience on Peace, Truth & Ahimsa

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Gandhi has been invoked by the most powerful even today, President Obama stated him when stumped by a question from an elementary school girl, Pop star Shakira invoked him in her award acceptance speech at the ILO, a bikers group in the United States - BAAC - Bikers against Animal Cruelty quotes him on their website, 10,000 people in Salvador, Brazil march in his honor every year, in 2011 a nation got democracy in 18 days using the weapon (SATYAGRAHA) created by him...



Tahrir Square, Cairo, Egypt

We invite you to be a part of the program - "Invoking Gandhi".

A program that is designed to take you back into history and connect you with the life of the man we call Mahatma.

Duration: 4 hrs.

How do we do this?

By taking you through an interactive experience at the Peace Truth Ahimsa museum. A historic location on the banks of river Musi where Gandhi's ashes were immersed on 12th February 1948.

Standing face to face with the world's longest wall on Gandhi showcasing some of the rarest moments of his life.

Interact at the state of the art digital zone on Gandhi where one can view the transformation of Mohandas to the Mahatma in pictures, read letters handwritten by him on an I Pad, learn interesting facts about Gandhi, take an interactive media quiz and even hear the voice of the great one via touch interfaces.

View a private collection of memorabilia that consists of the original time magazines from 1930, 31 and 48 with Gandhi on the cover, a signature of Sir Richard Attenborough, first edition copy a 1924 biography of Gandhi. An Arabic newspaper with Gandhi on the front page from Cairo dated 21st april 1931..... The list goes on.

A discussion with the curator of the Museum - Birad Rajaram Yajnik , Author of the book - Peace Truth and Ahimsa, The Great Indian Yoga Masters*.

Viewing of the Ahimsa Harley and the rare original 16mm projector print of the 1950's film by 20th Century Fox commentary by William Cronkite - "The Triumph and Tragedy of Gandhi".

A special show on Mahatma Gandhi in the 21st century and how he is invoked by the most powerful even today.

*Please note this meeting is not assured and dependent on his travel schedule; please reconfirm his participation while booking your visit. Information links on Birad Rajaram Yajnik.

www.biradrajaramyajnik.blogspot.in
www.facebook.com/biradrajaram.yajnik
www.youtube.com/user/Biradyajnik



AHIMSA HARLEY

On the 18th of August 2012, 900 students from 26 countries were introduced to a concept - Gandhi in the 21st century. They had gathered from all parts of the world in Hyderabad as a part of the Harvard Model United Nations India 2012. Birad Rajaram Yajnik in his address asked them to kick start a revolution of Peace, Truth and Ahimsa and create a symbol that would announce to the world that Gandhi has arrived in this generation. The students pledged their support by signing on a black Harley Davidson turning it white, as a symbol of action.

Beverage on arrival

A vegetarian lunch from India's foremost thali chain - Rajdhani

An insight into Yoga and Ayurveda.

An opportunity to experience the favorite music of Gandhi via a live performance

Finally take home a piece of history with you : An exclusive limited edition fine print on Gandhi along with a student edition book - "Peace, Truth and Ahimsa", a photo-biography of Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi, in 2010 a special Edition of this book was released at the United Nations to mark the International Day of Non-violence.

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