Until Next Time!!! Curtains down for The Third Edition of the International Indie Music Festival



Thrippunithura, Kerala Dec 12, 2024 (Issuewire.com) - The third edition of the International Independent Music Festival (IIMF) concluded triumphantly on November 24, 2024, at the Kerala Arts and Crafts Village, marking another milestone in its journey as a premier global platform for independent music. Hosted by Kerala Arts and Crafts Village in collaboration with Lazie Indie Magazine, a global indie music magazine, and the, the festival featured 17 bands from six countries, celebrating the power of music to transcend boundaries and unite cultures.

Since its inception, the IIMF has brought together artists from close to 20 countries, solidifying its reputation as a melting pot of global music. With its diverse line up, immersive cultural experiences, and growing international acclaim, the festival has set a high standard for independent music events in India.

A Stellar Line up of Talent

This year's edition featured an extraordinary array of artists who captivated audiences with their unique musical styles:

Day 1 Performers

- 1. DIY Disruption (India) Punk and rock fusion that set the stage on fire.
- 2. Deer MX (Mexico) A distinct rock-industrial-tranz sound.
- 3. Street Academics (India) High-energy rap and hip-hop, uniting the crowd.
- 4. Cold Drop (Denmark) A masterful blend of vintage and contemporary rock.
- 5. Dualist Inquiry (India) Immersive electronica and downtempo beats.

Day 2 Performers

- 6. Gabri (India) Dynamic Malayalam rap fused with global hip-hop vibes. 7. Lazy Fifty (New Zealand) Blues-rock grooves led by Adrian Kerry.
- 8. Prarthana Indrajith (India) Soulful live renditions and a soft album launch.
- 9. Kulam (India) Magical Tamil folk-rock fusion led by Pradeep Kumar.
- 10. Taba Chake (India) Intimate, soulful vocals paired with deft guitar skills.
- 11. Martyr (Netherlands) A legendary heavy metal performance.

Day 3 Performers

- 12. 43 Miles (India) Indie and alternative rock vibes that won hearts.
- 13. Wild Wild Women (India) The All Women band empowering music with unapologetic energy.
- 14. Afrodelic (Lithuania) Malian traditional melodies blended with electronic beats.
- 15. Asal Kolaar (India) Crowd-pulling and electrifying Tamil rap.
- 16. Parikrama (India) The iconic Hard Rock Masters from India.
- 17. The Yellow Diary (India) Soul-stirring performance with poignant lyrics and ethereal melodies.

Beyond Music: A Holistic Cultural Experience

True to its ethos, the IIMF offered more than just music. Attendees engaged in workshops on pottery, handloom weaving, Kalaripayattu, yoga, and more, while live art and craft demonstrations highlighted Kerala's rich cultural heritage. Onsite camping facilities enhanced the sense of community, making the festival an immersive experience for music and culture enthusiasts alike.

Building a Global Stage for Independent Music

Kerala Arts and Crafts Village's partnership with Lazie Indie Magazine has been pivotal in the mission to foster global cultural exchange. Lazie Indie Magazine, read in 124 countries, a leading platform for independent artists worldwide. The festival has successfully created a unique space for collaboration and innovation in the indie music scene. The coordination by StarValue, a trusted event management partner, further ensured the flawless execution of this year's festival.

"We are immensely proud to host the IIMF, which has become a benchmark for independent music

festivals. The combination of global musical talent and Kerala's rich cultural heritage has created an unparalleled experience," said *Sreeprasad*, COO of Kerala Arts and Crafts Village. "This collaboration with Lazie Indie Magazine and the excellent coordination by StarValue have brought this vision to life beautifully."

Looking Ahead

With its successful track record of showcasing artists from nearly 20 countries, the IIMF is now poised for even greater growth. The festival aims to expand its reach, bringing in more international acts and enriching its cultural offerings in the years to come.

"IIMF has become a beacon for independent music and cultural exchange. We are thrilled with the overwhelming response to this year's edition and are already planning to make the next festival even bigger and more inclusive," said Jay Pillai, Co-Founder of IIMF and CEO of Lazie Indie Magazine.

Check out https://www.instagram.com/iimf 2024/?hl=en for more details

For this year is Adios Amigos !!!



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