

Traditional Indian dance performance by SINDA



A cultural dance performance contributed by the Royal Thai Embassy in Singapore



A dragon dance performance contributed by THKMS



THK Chairman Lee Kim Siang presenting a token of appreciation to President Halimah Yacob at IRIRHN 2018

由新加坡国民发起的活动

序言

德教太和观、回教社会发展理事会、新加坡印度人发展理事会、欧亚裔人士协会、华社自助理事会、新加坡宗教联谊会、德教济云阁与德教济霞阁，为配合7月份的宗教种族和谐月，将携手主办第16届《种族宗教和谐联谊宴会》2019。

这项常年庆祝活动，是为了确认建立不同种族与宗教人士间的互信与互相了解、对促进和谐社会成长过程的重要性。我们很荣幸能邀请到哈莉玛总统与其夫婿穆罕默德先生为今年的大会主宾。

主办盛会的目的如下：

1. 表达对国家和平与和谐的重视和珍惜；
2. 支持我国的种族与宗教和谐政策；
3. 鼓励不同文化的国人，包括孩子们，学习、了解与尊重先辈所留下的多元历史、文化与艺术。

《种族宗教和谐联谊宴会》2019 订于2019年7月6日，在滨海湾金沙宴会大厅举行。我们欢迎新加坡居民一同参加这个盛会。新加坡宗教联谊会旗下的十个宗教团体代表将以祷告祈求世界和平、国运昌隆的方式，为晚会掀开序幕。节目也包括以四种语言宣读《宗教和谐声明》，以及各自助团体所呈现的文化表演。



A Pipa and Dance Performance by CDAC



Students from THK Student Care Centres on stage during the finale of IRIRHN 2018



A cultural performance by Yayasan MENDAKI



Representatives from the IRO reading invocations on stage

展望未来

在缅怀历史和欢庆多元传统文化时，我们回首过去、珍惜当下，并齐心协力共创未来。尽管未来充满了未知数，我们必须以坚定的信念，保持机智灵敏、随机应变。

在这永无止境的旅程，让我们大家同舟共济，全民一心。一起继往开来，一同实现各种梦想。

今年的《种族宗教和谐联谊宴会》让我们重申我们的信念，拥抱身为新加坡人的认同感和共同价值观，把这份爱国情操传承下去。

同舟共济

2019年是新加坡开埠200年。1819年，英国的莱佛士爵士登陆新加坡开辟商埠，并成了英国殖民地。两百年来，新加坡从一个商埠，发展成工业化经济，再转型为如今的现代化繁华大都会。

一路走来，我们经历重重考验和磨难；包括沦陷日据时期、种族暴乱、金融危机和病毒肆虐。近年来，我国也提高警惕，提防在世界其他地方掠夺了无辜的生命，导致许多人家破人亡、流离失所的激进和恐怖主义的威胁。

明智之选，绝非偶然

新加坡如何度过一次又一次的难关？关键在保持高度警觉、落实良好行政监管、不断推动创新与提高生产力，这正是我国繁荣与进步的基石。然而，如果没有和平与稳定的社会，这一切都不可能实现。

人民是我国最强大的防御力量。我们和谐共处的意识、不屈不挠的精神和对种族宗教和谐的支持，造就了我国今日的成就与团结。

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Thye Hua Kwan Moral Society

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TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE FOR BOOKING. Kindly complete the printed form below and post it to us or email us at **RSVP_iri@thkms.org.sg**. Closing date: **9th June 2019**. As we only have 1000 complimentary tickets for distribution, we apologise that we have to make a selection on all applications. The selection by the Organising Committee is final. We apologise for any inconvenience caused. Successful applicants will be informed as soon as possible.

我们共提供了1000张免费门票，并已经开放接受预定。诚意邀请您一起来参与，您只需填妥以下表格，邮寄或发电子邮件至 **RSVP_iri@thkms.org.sg** 截止日期: **2019年6月9日**。由于数量有限，筹委会有最后的决定权。我们在此预先向未能成功索取门票者致歉，也将尽快通知成功索取门票的嘉宾。

Saturday 6th July 2019 • 6.30pm
Marina Bay Sands, Grand Ballroom

2019年7月6日·傍晚6时30分·滨海湾金沙·宴会大厅

COMPLIMENTARY DINNER APPLICATION FORM
申请表格

参加人数不超过10人 No. of Persons Attending: _____
(Not more than 10 persons)

姓名
Full Name as per NRIC: _____

身份证号码 NRIC/FIN no: _____
(The applicant needs to state only the last 4 digits and alphabet in NRIC or FIN)

地址 Address: _____

手机/公司/住家电话
HP/Office/Home Tel no: _____

电邮
Email: _____

请告知我们如果您需要素食* Yes No

*所有素食者会被安排坐在一起
*Guests who require vegetarian meals will be seated together

By submitting this application form, you agree that we may collect, use and disclose your personal data, as provided in this form, for the following purpose in accordance with the Personal Data Protection Act 2012 and our data protection notice (available at our website www.thkms.org.sg): to administer this application, including to contact you for the administration of tickets in relation to this event. Please visit our website for further details on our data protection notice, including how you may access and correct your personal data or withdraw consent to the collection, use or disclosure of your personal data.

Please Mail, Fax, Email or Hand-deliver the reply slip to:

Thye Hua Kwan Moral Society

1 North Bridge Road #03-33 High Street Centre Singapore 179094
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HARMONY:
JOURNEY AS ONE
A celebration of togetherness

Guests-of-Honour

President Halimah Yacob
and Mr Mohamed Abdullah Alhabshee
贵宾：哈莉玛总统和夫婿穆罕默德先生

You're Invited!!
Date: Saturday 6th July 2019
Time: 6.30pm
Venue: Marina Bay Sands,
Level 5, Grand Ballroom

A Ground Up Activity By The People Of Singapore

INTRODUCTION

In celebration of our nation's Harmony month in July, the 8 partners, Thye Hua Kwan Moral Society (THKMS); Yayasan Mendaki (MENDAKI); Singapore Indian Development Association (SINDA); Eurasian Association (EA); Chinese Development Assistance Council (CDAC); Inter-Religious Organisation (IRO); Chee Hoon Kog Moral Promotion Society (CHKMPS) and Chee Hia Kog Moral Society (CHKMS) are jointly organising the 16th Inter Racial Inter Religious Harmony Nite 2019 (IRIRHN).

IRIRHN is celebrated yearly to acknowledge the need to continue building the mutual trust and understanding between people of different races and religions, ensuring the growth of our harmonious society. We are honoured and privileged to have President Halimah Yacob and Mr Mohamed Abdullah Alhabshee as our Guests-of-Honour. The objectives of this annual event are:

1. To appreciate and value the peace and harmony we enjoy in Singapore;
2. To support our national policy for racial and religious harmony;
3. To encourage peoples of different cultures including children, to learn, understand and respect the diverse histories, cultures and arts in our woven Singaporean ancestry.

From left to right: THK Chairman Lee Kim Siang, President Halimah Yacob and Member of Parliament Dr Lim Wee Kiak on stage at IRIRHN 2018



The Eurasian Association (EA) Dance Troupe performed a dance item



We would like to welcome all our residents in Singapore to join in this inter-ethnic and inter-religious harmony event. Representatives of the various religions will open the Event with an invocation read by the 10 religions under the auspices of the Inter-Religious Organisation (IRO). The Event also features cultural performances by the various self-help groups. Our programme also includes the reading of the Declaration of Religious Harmony in 4 languages. This year, IRIRHN 2019 will be held on 6th July 2019 at Marina Bay Sands, Grand Ballroom. We welcome all to join us.

JOURNEY AS ONE

2019 marks Singapore's Bicentennial, which dates back 200 years ago from the year 1819, when Sir Stamford Raffles first arrived in Singapore to establish a trading base. Over the centuries, Singapore evolved from a trading base to a British colony, then to an industrialised economy that transformed into the modern metropolis it is today.

We did not come this far in our journey, without trial and tribulation. Singapore succumbed to the Japanese Occupation, racial riots, financial crisis and outbreak of disease. In recent years, we kept our guards up against the threats of radicalism and terrorism that have claimed innocent lives, destroyed families and shattered homes in many other parts of the world.

A song performance by Ms Antonina Matviyenko, courtesy of Embassy of Ukraine in Singapore



NOT BY CHANCE BUT BY CHOICE

How did Singapore triumph over the odds? Our score of vigilance, practice of sound governance, the drive for innovation and productivity marked the cornerstone for our progress and prosperity, but all these cannot happen without the promise of peace and stability in our homeland.

Our greatest defence lies in our people. It is our culture of cohesion, spirit of resilience and our pledge for racial and religious harmony that fuelled our success and solidarity.

TOWARDS THE FUTURE

As we continue to commemorate our history and celebrate our heritage, let us remember the past, cherish the present and create the future. Amid the uncertainties that lie ahead of us, we must strengthen our resolve to remain nimble and adaptable to challenges.

On this never-ending journey, let us journey as one, as one united people, one Singapore. Together, we set foot onto greater heights and achieve the unthinkable dreams.

This year, the Inter Racial Inter Religious Harmony Nite will reaffirm our commitment to embrace our Singaporean identity and shared values that will be passed on to many generations to come.

