





ABHIVYAKTI

Army Wives Welfare Association (AWWA), an organization that has grown from strength to strength since its inception in 1966 with the quiding principle of "We Care and We Share". It is dedicated to the well-being and holistic development of Army families and Veer Naris. AWWA endeavours to make 'our own' confident, capable and independent.

To tap the immense talent of our multifaceted fraternity, an initiative to organize a Literature Festival was started in the year 2021. 'Abhivyakti' the AWWA Literature Festival is held annually with an aim to foster love for literature and flair for writing in AWWA members. It is a congregation of acclaimed writers, story tellers journalists, celebrities, influencers and reading enthusiasts under one umbrella. Abhivyakti indeed, has been an enriching experience for the AWWA fraternity to connect with books and ideas, thereby igniting a passion for words in the world around us.

We are ready to enter into folds of Abhivyakti Season-4 being held at Chandimandir under the aegis of Regional AWWA, Western Command. Reverberating with reminiscence of literary hues of previous three seasons, Season-4 promises an enthralling literary journey with the theme "Explore, Express and Experience" wherein, we Explore the rich tapestry of accomplished writers, gain out of thoughts Expressed and enrich ourselves from Experience of connoisseurs of literature.

Let's celebrate the essence of literature by delving ourselves into tales of unwavering valour & resilient motherhood, unravelling the mythical legends, rejoice timeless voices of women writers and soak in immense experience of authors to emerge enlightened and soulfully enriched.



08 November 2024 (Friday)

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<u>Time</u> ,	Main Lawns
10:15 AM-11:00 AM	Opening Ceremony - A New Chapter Begins: The Grand Opening - Regional President AWWA - Voices Unveiled: Welcome to the Journey - President AWWA - Inspiring Journeys: A Keynote to Remember - Mr Boman Irani - MC - Mrs Soni Sharma & Mrs Aditi Mathur Kumar
11:00 AM-11:10 AM	Book Launch
11:15 AM-11:40 AM	Tea Break
11:45 AM-12:30 PM	MC - Mrs Soni Sharma Mrs Aditi Mathur Kumar Panel Discussion Timeless Voices: Celebrating Women Writers and Contributions of Army Spouses Moderator - Mrs Nitya Shukla Panelist 1 - Ms Anuja Chauhan Panelist 2 - Mrs Aditi Mathur Kumar Panelist 3 - Mr Lokesh Nathany Panelist 4 - Mrs Meenu Tripathi
12:40 PM-01:10 PM	MC - Mrs Soni Sharma & Mrs Aditi Mathur Kumar Mythical Modernity: Indian Legends Re-imagined Mr Amish Tripathi In Conversation with Mrs Prachi Joshi Johar
01:15 PM-01:25 PM	Book Launch
01:30 PM-02:30 PM	Lunch Break
02:30 PM-02:40 PM	Book Launch
02:45 PM-03:25 PM	MC - Mrs Soni Sharma/ Mrs Geetika Lidder Panel Discussion Unshackling the Financial Labyrinth Moderator - Maj Gen Anand Saxena Panelist 1 - Mr Vineet Bajpai Panelist 2 - Mr Dhirendra Kumar Panelist 3 - Ms Sumaira Abidi
03:25 PM-03:30 PM	Book Launch .
03:35 PM-04:05 PM	India's Civilisational History: A Brilliant Mosaic Mr Neelesh Kulkarni In Conversation with Col Avnish Sharma
04:05 PM-04:45 PM	Tea Break
06:30 PM-08:30 PM	Stand-Up Comedy Act by Harpriya Bains Pooja Batra in Conversation with Col Ashish Bedi Performance by Indian Ocean Band (By Invitation Only)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Sambandh Lawns</u>
11:45 AM-12:30 PM	MC - Mrs Sunaina Jain Panel Discussion Creative Nurtures: The Harmony of Motherhood and Art Moderator - Mrs Parul Sharma Panelist 1 - Col (Dr) Nikita Naredir Panelist 2 - Mrs Manjari Chandra Panelist 3 - Mrs Yamini Chowdhury Panelist 4 - Mrs Varsha Rani
12:40 PM-01:10 PM	MC - Mrs Sunaina Jain Workshop (Creative Writing) Ink Your Soul: A Journey of Self-Discovery Conducted by Dr Sunaina Jain
02:45 PM-03:25 PM	MC - Mrs Parul Sharma Panel Discussion Narratives Reborn: Adaptive Literature for Films Moderator - Mrs Navneet Grewal Panelist 1 - Mr Prahlad Menon Panelist 2 - Mr Ojaswwe Sharma Panelist 3 - Lt Col Ankita Srivastava (Retd)
03:35 PM-04:05 PM	Workshop Beyond Magic Myths & Morals Writing for Children & Young Adults by Savie Karnel

Authors' Lounge

Time	Activity
11:45 AM-01:25 PM 2:30 PM-04:05 PM	Book Reading, Signing & Authors Meet of Launched Books

09 November 2024 (Saturday)

<u>Time</u>	Main Lawns
10:15 AM-10:35 AM	Keynote Address of the Day
10:35 AM-10:45 AM	Book Launch
, 10:45 AM-11:30 AM	MC - Mr Hardeep Singh Chandpuri & Capt Sajita Nair (Retd) Panel Discussion From Battlefields to Bestsellers Moderator - Mr Vivek Atray Panelist 1 - Lt Gen Bhopinder Singh (Retd) Panelist 2 - Mr Shabbir Boxwala Panelist 3 - Shiv Aroor Panelist 4 - Rahul Singh Panelist 5 - Cap Sajita Nair (Retd)
11:30 AM-11:40 AM	Book Launch
11:45 AM-12:15 PM	Tea Break
12:20 PM-01:00 PM	MC - Mrs Soni Sharma & Mrs Sunaina Jain Panel Discussion Pride in Uniform: Celebrating Army Wards' Achievements Moderator - Mrs Ganiv Chadha Panjrath Panelist 1 - Ms Pooja Batra Panelist 2 - Maj Mohammad Ali Shah(Retd) Panelist 3 - Ms Aashna Lidder Panelist 4 - Mr Karunya S Bisht
01:00 PM-01:10 PM	Book Launch
01:15 PM-02:30 PM	Lunch Break
02:30 PM-02:40 PM	Book Launch
02:45 PM-03:30 PM	MC - Mrs Soni Sharma & Mrs Sunaina Jain Panel Discussion Publishing Pathways: Navigating the Industry Moderator - Mr Hardeep Singh Chandpuri
	Panelist 1 - Mr, Kanishka Gupta Panelist 2 - Mr Sahana Ahmed
Q3:30 PM-03:40 PM	Book Launch
03:45 PM-04:20 PM	,
06:30 PM-08:00 PM	Stand Up Comedy Act by Neeti Palta (TBC) Live Performance by Army Symphony Band (By Invitation Only)

Time	Sambandh Lawns	
10:45 AM-11:30 AM	MC - Sqn Ldr Toolika Rani (Retd) Panel Discussion Growing Up with Stories: The Power of Children's Literature Moderator - Mrs Sheeba Kant Panelist 1 - Mrs Jyotsana Atre Karhade Panelist 2 - Mrs Vandana Yadav Panelist 3 - Mrs Vijaylakshmi Nagraj	
12:20 PM-01:00 PM	MC - Sqn Ldr Toolika Rani (Retd) Workshop Story Telling by Visual Naration : Graphics & Illustrations Mrs Anisha Kotibhąskar	
02:45 PM-03:30 PM	MC - Mrs Ranjeeta Sahay Ashesh Panel Discussion Verses of Modern India: The Poet's Voice Today Moderator - Mrs Modhumita Goswami Panelist 1 - Col VP Singh (Retd) Panelist 2 - Maj Rama Sharma Panelist 3 - Mrs Ranjeeta Sahay Ashesh	

Authors' Lounge

<u>Time</u>	. <u>Activity</u>
10:45 AM-01:10 PM	MC - Mrs Modhumitha Goswami & Mrs Parul Sharma Book Reading, Signing & Authors Meet of Launched Books
02:30 PM-03:30 PM	MC - Mrs Chander Suta Dogra & Mrs Parul Sharma Book Reading, Signing & Authors Meet of Launched Books

10 November 2024 (Sunday)

<u>Time</u>	Main Lawns
09:30 AM-09:50 AM	Keynote Address of the Day - Dr Radhakrishnan Pillai
09:50 AM-09:55 AM	Book Launch
	MC - Mrs Soni Sharma
,	Panel Discussion Rekindling the Habit of Reading
10:00 AM-10:45 AM	Moderator - Mrs Soni Sangwan Panelist 1 - Mr Ajay Jain Panelist 2 - Mrs Vandana Palli Panelist 3 - Mrs Saguna Jain
10:45 AM-11:15 AM	Tea Break
11:20 AM-11:40 AM	Mr Navtej S Sarna in Conversation with
11:45 AM-12:00 PM	Closing Keynote Address
12:05 PM-12:25 PM	Felicitations & Vote of Thanks
12:30 PM-01:00 PM	Farewell Festivities: The Grand Closing Cultural Extravaganza: Medley of Regional Dances
	Lunch

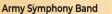
<u>Time</u>	Sambandh Lawns
10:00 AM-10:45 AM	MC - Mrs Gunjan Mishra
	Panel Discussion Digital Narratives: Storytelling in the Age of Screens
	Moderator - Mrs Ambreen Zaidi Panelist 1 - Mrs Shikha Akhilesh Saxena Panelist 2 - Mrs Gunjan Mishra
	Panelist 3 - Mrs Amrinder Maan Panelist 4 - Mai Nithi CJ (Retd)

Authors' Lounge

<u>Time</u>	Activity	
10:Q0 AM-10:45 PM	MC - Mrs Chander Suta Dogra & Mrs Vandana Palli Workshop	
	Perfecting the Script	
	Mrs Nidhi Khali Dhyani	

Key Attractions













Stand Up Comedy



