GENERAL RULES

- Registrations for all the events will start from 9:30 AM.
- All entries must reach the registration desk an hour before the event. Late entries are not allowed.

- All Participants and Visitors entry would be on their valid identity cards during the festival LA-KERMESSE 2018
- Usage of mobile phones is not allowed.
- The college authorities reserve the right to alter any of the rules.
- Information regarding the events will be available at the website: [http://meri.edu.in/meri/lakermesse](http://meri.edu.in/meri/lakermesse)
- Judges decision will be final. Clarifications regarding the judgement will not be entertained.
- Props, dresses, stationery, special equipments etc. will not be provided and will not be compensated as well.
- Participants are required to take care of their belongings.
- Participants using unfair means will be immediately disqualified.
RULES FOR VARIOUS EVENTS

RHYTHM AND BOUNCE >> SOLO DANCE (BOYS AND GIRLS)

- Indecency in any form including gestures, dress etc. will not be allowed.
- Participants will be selected on first come first basis.
- Time limit for each performance is 3 minutes.
- The participant will have to bring his/her own costumes and reach the venue an hour in advance.
- The dance will be on the tunes of the recorded music of which two CD’s should be brought to the venue.
- Props are allowed by the participants.
- Judgment will be based on performance, costumes, expressions and song selection.

CAPTURE THE ARENA >> LAN GAMING

➤ Rules (For Counter-Strike 1.6)

- Each team should consist of maximum four players.
- Head phones to be brought by the players.
- Details regarding maps will be told at the venue itself.
- Personal Gear Allowed.

➤ Rules (For NFS- Underground/Most Wanted)

- Individual game.
- Details regarding the track will be told at the venue itself.
- Head Phones to be brought by the players.
- Personal Gear allowed.
**GUNJAN >> SOLO SINGING**

- No last minute entries will be entertained.
- Hindi and English Songs are allowed.
- Maximum of 2 participants per college will be allowed.
- No musical instruments will be provided by the college but if required, participants need to carry their own instruments and should be played by themselves only.
- If background music is required prior notification is necessary and the participant need to carry the Music CD or Pen-drive to be played.
- Time for each performance is minimum 2 minutes and maximum 3 minutes.
- Judgment will be based on talent, rhythm, voice quality and performance.
- Participants must coordinate with the coordinators to get their CDs/ pen drive fixed 1 hr before the event.

**RANG DE DILLI >> RANGOLI**

- Each Team will comprise of 2 students.
- Participants will arrange for colors by themselves.
- Rangoli will be prepared on plain cemented floor.
- Size of Rangoli cannot be more than 3’ X 3’
- Time allotted for preparing the Rangoli is 1 hour.
- No depiction of religious or political leaders is allowed. Team must apply secular approach. Decency should be maintained.
- Colors, pulses, flowers etc. are allowed.
- Topic will be given on the spot.
- Mobile phones are not allowed.
- Final judgment will be based on the following criteria:
  - Interpretation of the theme
  - Creativity
  - Design
  - Material Used
MASTER MIND >> CHESS

- This competition will be following all the rules of international chess.
- Separate event for boys and girls.
- The time limit for each match will be maximum 15 minutes.
- The touch & move rule applies i.e. you will have to move the first piece you touch on your turn.
- The respective rules of castling will be applicable.
- Only one team per institute is allowed. (one boy and one girl). The tournament will be in knock out format.
- No mobile phones or any Bluetooth devices are allowed during the games.
- Any player found using unfair means will be disqualified.
- Decisions of the judges will be final.

KUSHTI >> ARM WRESTLING

- Free hand must be in contact with the peg at all times.
- Shoulders must be square to the table before start of match.
- Competing elbow must be placed on the elbow pad at all times.
- Thumb knuckles must be showing on competing hands before start of match.
- Competing wrists must be straight before start of match.
- Gripped hands must be in center of table, in line with pegs.
- Competitors must have both feet on the floor under the table for sit down competition.
- A period of thirty seconds will be allowed to grip properly.
- Referee's grip must be administered after thirty second time period has lapsed.
- No movement will be allowed during or immediately following administration of referee's grip.
- Competitors may waive the thirty second time period if both agree; thereby starting the match in a referee’s grip before thirty seconds has lapsed.
- Audible signal given by referees must be "ready, go".
- Competitors may not intentionally delay the competition, i.e. not staying at the table, not attempting to grip up, etc.
- A thirty second rest period may be permitted after a slip grip or foul upon referee's discretion.
- Competitors must be stopped if believed to be in a dangerous position at any time during a match.
- Competitors may not use any part of the body to pin their opponent.
- Competitors may not intentionally slip grips.
- Competitors should not consume alcoholic beverages before or during a sanctioned event.
- No contestant will be matched twice against the same person unless it is for place, i.e. 1st, 2nd, 3rd.
- Competitors may not wear anything on their competing arm or hand. However, in the event of a bleeding injury, a competitor MUST stop the bleeding to the referee’s
satisfaction. No more than 3 minutes will be allowed. Use of a Band-Aid or a piece of tape the size of a Band-Aid on the wound is allowed.

- Competitors are allowed one minute total to arrive at table. Competitors will receive call number one, then call number two thirty seconds later. Failure to report will result in loss.
- 3 weight categories
- For men are
  - 55-70; 70-85; 85 and above.
- For Women are
  - 40-55; 55-70; 70 and above (may be changed on the spot)
- Foot rule: you must not wrap your legs around the table legs or lift both feet off the ground.
- Sportsmanship will prevail. Failure to comply will result in a foul or immediate barring from contest.
- Decisions of the judges will be final.

**ROCK' N' ROLL >> GROUP DANCE**

- Indecency in any form including gestures, dress etc. will not be allowed
- Time limit for the performance should be 4-5 minutes. In case of exceeding the time limit negative marking will take place.
- Maximum of 3 teams per college will be allowed.
- The team should be of 4-10 members. Also, there should be at least 02 members on stage at any point during the performance.
- All Dance forms are allowed (Free style dance).
- Participants will be judged on the basis of dancing style, coordination, costume, expressions and choreography.
- Teams have to bring their own props, costume, make up and reach the venue an hour in advance.
- There is restriction on the use of fire or any inflammable object and glass shatter on stage. Disqualification will be awarded in such a case.

**CYCLORAMA >> COLLAG**

- Each team should have 2 members.
- Contact event co-ordinator for the topic for collage.
- Not more than 2 teams are allowed to participate from a college.
- Participants will arrange their own material.
- Scissors are not allowed.
- Time slot is one hour.
- No depiction of religious or political leaders is allowed.
**NACH BAIYE >> JODI DHAMAKA**

- Duet
- Parameters: Costume, choreography, co-ordination, props, expression
- Each team may comprise of either 2 boys or 2 girls or 1 boy and 1 girl.
- Participants are required to bring their own CDs.
- Time limit is 3-4 min
- All entries must reach the registration desk an hour before the event. Late entries are not allowed.

**CODE MANIA >> WEB MASTER**

- One team will have maximum two participants.
- Maximum 1 hour will be given to create a website.
- Have to create website using html, and css.
- Internet will be allowed to download images only.
- No external device will be used.
- Copying any kind of code from internet will be considered as disqualification.
- Theme will be given on the spot.
- Final judgment will be based on the Functionality, Purpose, Look and feel, Number of distinct elements used in a webpage.
- If there is a tie b/w two teams then the minimum time will be the parameter of the judgment.

**TIC-TAC-TACH >> TABLE TENNIS**

- ITTF rules will be followed during complete tournament.
- Separate event for boys and girls.
- Bumping of racket with table during the game is not a foul.
- Movement of table during game will result in a foul.
- Rackets will not be provided by the host college.
- The tournament will be played on knock out format.
- Only one team per institute is allowed. (One boy and one girl)
- Decisions of the judges will be final.
**ACT-ON-ACT >> DUMB CHARADES**

- Any Idea, Theme, topic would be given.
- One team of college comprises of 3 members.
- Props are not allowed.
- Alphabetically enactment is not allowed.
- Topic will be decided by lot drawn by the participant.
- Maximum of 8 teams are allowed on the basis of first come first serve.

**COUNTDOWN BEGINS >> One Minute Game Show**

1. It will be an event of short games of 1 min duration.
2. Each team will have 2 members.
3. A maximum of 8 teams (one from each college) will be entertained on First Come First Serve Basis.

**WORD PUNCH >> CREATING PUNCHLINE**

- Maximum 15 words.
- Time limit is 90 sec.
- 2 members in a team. Maximum 4 teams
- There will be three rounds – preliminary, semi and final.
- Indecency of words usage will not be allowed.

**MIND GRIND >> QUIZ**

- Prelim round includes written test.
- Each team will have 2 members.
- No team should consist of participants from different colleges / institutions
- A max. Of 10 teams (one from each college) will be entertained on First Come First Serve basis.
- Selected first five teams will go for next round.
- There will be 2 rounds.
- Each correct answer 10 marks. Wrong answer -5 marks. Bonus point +5
- In case of tie there will be tie breaker questions.
  - Additional rules may be announced at the time of the event.
LITERARY DELIGHT >> CREATIVE WRITING

- An essay on any topic would be given on the spot (Word Limit: 1000-1500 words)
- Maximum of 2 participants per college will be allowed.
- Medium would be English/Hindi.
- Essay would be marked on criteria like correct grammar and fair expression.

SPLIT SECONDS >> (EXTEMPORE)

- Topic will be announced on the spot.
- Time allotted for the speech is 1 minute.
- Participants will be judged on the basis of clarity, content and coverage.

THE CHEW >> COOKING WITHOUT FIRE

- Each participant college can depute only one team with two members.
- Participants have to pay registration fee of Rs 30.
- Usage of mobile phones is not allowed.
- Non-veg item of any kind is not allowed.
- No processed juice can be used.
- Cutting/peeling of fruits and vegetables to be done on the spot.
- All marinating to be done on spot.
- Time duration is 45 + 5 minutes for Competition.
- Participants are required to bring all necessary ingredients for cooking.
- No form of alcohol or intoxicating ingredients are allowed for any kind of preparation.
- There will be considerable negative marking if any cooked ingredients are found in the presented dish.
- Each participant must prepare at least "2 dishes". (Drinks and beverages will also be counted as dishes)
• All required materials, tools and equipments should be arranged by the participants themselves.
• All the participants must leave their working area clean after the preparation is over.
• Any kind of pre-cooked food like pasta, noodles, tortilla rolls, etc. from home is allowed.
• No microwave, oven or gas stove on the spot is allowed.
• Presentation of the dishes will get additional points.

Paint ur Nails (Nail Art)

• All types of nail art are allowed to create the design
• Jewelry or other accessories are not allowed.
• Pre-assembly of art is NOT allowed.
• All work must be created during the competition time.
• The artwork must be identifiable by judges as being part of the theme
• No nail art or embellishments of any kind are allowed in the nail application other than color/glitter. There will be no points given for any work done prior.
• The surface of the nail must be free of any and all products prior to the competition & will be checked by the floor judges.
• Scores are based on degree of difficulty, creativity, originality, quality of work & ability to represent the theme.

Art Splash>>T-Shirt PAINTING

• Maximum of 2 members allowed from each Institute/College.
• Time Duration is 1 hour for the competition.
• No indecent picture/Slogans to be used.
• Only eco friendly materials to be used by participants. Materials are to be brought by the participants.

Cat Walk (Fashion show)

• Max of 10 teams on first come first serve basis would be allowed for entry.
• It is a team event. A team should have minimum 6 members and can have maximum of 12 members.
• Time limit for every team would be 10 minutes
• Negative marking if participants exceed time limit.
• Theme selection is open to the team.
• Should carry their tracks in C.D Or Aux.
• Vulgarity is strongly prohibited.
• Any form of obscenity will lead to debarring the team from the contest.
• Use of cigarettes, alcohol and any unfair means is strongly prohibited.
- Teams will be judged on costumes, co-ordination, theme, walking stance and attitude.
- Decision of the judges will be final and binding.

**DEBATE (HINDI/ENGLISH)**

- Two member team; one for the motion and one against.
- Contact event co-ordinator for the topic for debate. It will be uploaded at least 2 days prior to the event.
- Maximum of 2 teams allowed from each Institute/College.
- Maximum time limit: 3 +1 minutes (maximum 3 minutes to each participant and 1 minute to conclude collectively)
- Negative marking if participants exceed time limit.

**CLASSICAL DANCE**

- One participant and Three accompanists allowed.
- Maximum of 2 teams allowed from each Institute/College.

- Time Limit: 6 + 2 minutes
- Judgment will be based on rhythm, formation, synchronization, expressions, costumes, make up, sets, and overall effects.
- No bollywood song allowed.
- Restriction to one particular classical dance form.
- Decision of the judges will be final and binding.