Yaksha dance and music festival

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COIMBATORE: The fourth edition of the ‘Yaksha’ dance and music festival will be held at the Isha Yoga Centre from March 3 to 9. A release from the organisers says that this year’s event will see performances in Indian classical art forms by pre-eminent artists for the seven consecutive nights.

Yaksha is a platform for artists to perform and connoisseurs to see and listen and appreciate the ancient art forms. It is also an endeavour to preserve and promote the uniqueness, purity and diversity of the country’s performing arts.

The Hindu is the media partner for the event.

In the past, artists like Pandit Jasraj, Pandit Shivkumar Sharma, Ustad Amjad Ali Khan, Subha Mudgal, Pandit Hariprasad Chaurasia, Sivaman, Shankar Mahadevan and others have performed.

T.N. Krishnan

Malavika Sarukkai

Pandit Ulhas Kashalkar

Subhra Guha, and on March 9, it will be Carnatic vocalist T.M. Krishna.

The organisers have arranged for pick-up and drop facilities from various places in the city. And for those who cannot make it, the programme will be telecast live on various channels.

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For more details people can visit www.yaksha.info or call 94868-94868.

This year’s edition will see Carnatic Violinist T.N. Krishnan perform on March 3. On March 4, Bharatanatyam exponent Malavika Sarukkai will treat the audience with her dance style and choreography. On March 5 it will be sarod player Abhishek Lahiri, on March 6 it will be Hindustani vocalist Ulhas Kashalkar, on March 7 it will be sitar maestro Nishat Khan, on March 8 it will be vocalist