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Poets for Change

KITAB KHANA

presents **A FESTIVAL OF POETRY THIS SEPTEMBER**

September 25, 26, 27, 28, 2014

With live music performances in association with NATIONAL STREETS FOR PERFORMING ARTS

Thursday, September 25 5.45 p.m. - 7.30 p.m. Bol Ke Lab Azad Hai Tere

Readings in Marathi, Gujarati and Urdu

Music Uttarakhandi Lok Geet singer Suresh Kala, with Avinash Lamba on the dholak Readings Ignatius Dias, Mangesh Kale, Neela Bhagwat (Marathi) and Mehul Devkala, Udayan Thakkar (Gujarati). Plus, readings from the works of late Ali Sardar Jafri and Faiz Ahmad Faiz

FRIDAY September 26 5.45 p.m. - 7.30 p.m. Turning Myself into Words

Music Singer Suvarna Salve, accompanied by dafli player Sagar Bhalerao Readings Indira Shabnam, Sudha Arora, Puthiyamaadhavi Sankaran, Tulasi Venugopal, with C S Lakshmi aka Ambai. Plus, Odissi dance exponent Jhelum Paranjape launches *If the Roof Leaks, Let it Leak*, a volume of women's writing published by Sound & Picture Archives for Research on Women (SPARROW).

> SATURDAY September 27 5.45 p.m.- 7.30 p.m. Poems for Peace: Readings in English

Music Carnatic violinist Mukund Ramaswamy, Western classical violinist Roger Mendonca, and folk guitarist Rohit Astekar

Readings Anand Thakore, Ajit Dayal, Jennifer Robertson, Raamesh Gowri Raghavan, Sarabjeet Garcha, Akil Contractor and Vinita Agrawal

SUNDAY September 28, 10.30 a.m – 1.00 p.m.

We Are the World: A special programme for children by Rati Dady Wadia

With participation from students of Activity High School, Arya Vidya Mandir (Bandra), Bombay International School, Campion School, G.D. Somani School, Gopi Birla School, J.B. Petit High School for Girls, St. Anne's High School, Dadar Parsi Youth Assembly, St. Mary's School (ICSE), The Writer's Bug and Urmila Ramakrishnan's Creative Writing Class.

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