



# Vaitari

## Book Releasing & Work Shop

at natanakairali on 2nd September 2007



his colourful book arouses curiosity by visual means in order to find a common focus among students and teachers. Without prior training in Indian music, groups of learners can start making music together. It contains plenty of musical activities to choose from, be it for a single class or several sessions devoted to Indian culture. The light-hearted approach offered by *vaitari* helps to make those shared moments enjoyable and memorable for all participants.

programme



## programme

### 9 AM Thuyilunarthu pattu (prayer) by Vayali

- ◆ Welcome  
Prof. Emanuel Wuethrich (Bern University of Arts)
- ◆ President  
Sri K.V. Ramanathan
- ◆ Inauguration  
Sri Nagamangalam Raghavan (Director, Doordarshan TV)
- ◆ Releasing the book  
Sri G. Venu (Founder-Director, Natanakairali)
- ◆ Recipient of the first copy  
Smt. Usha Keshavaraj (sister of the late poet, Sri Kunjunni Master)
- ◆ Main Speech  
Sri C.R. Rajagopal (Director, Centre for Indigenous Knowledge, Nattarivu)
- ◆ Review  
Prof. George S. Paul
- ◆ Speech  
Smt. Natanakairali Nirmala Panikker  
Sri Ammannur Kuttan Chakyar (Acharya, Ammannur Gurukulam)  
and Sri Kalamandalam Rajeev
- ◆ Vote of thanks  
Sri V.C. Arun (artist and illustrator)

10.30 AM

### Flute recital

Sri Nagamangalam Raghavan - flute  
Sri P. Nandakumar - Idakka  
Sri Kalamandalam Hariharan - Mizhavu

11.30 AM

### Workshops

11.30 AM Folk toy making by Vayali  
12.00 AM Smt. Natanakairali Nirmala Panikker (*vaitari*)  
1 PM to 1.30 PM Intermission  
1.30 PM Tongue twisters (*navuvazhakkam*) by Vayali  
2 PM Sri P. Nandakumar (*vaitari*)  
3 PM Sri Kalanilayam Prakasan (*vaitari*)  
4 PM V.C. Arun (*chitram* / painting)  
5 PM onwards Folk songs and programmes based on *vaitari* by Vayali  
(Co-ordinator, Vayali Folk Group: Sri Vinod Nambiar)