Ranga Shankara launches play streaming programme

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Staged/Pre-recorded in the wake of the Coronavirus pandemic, plays by the acclaimed Bangalore-based theatre group Ranga Shankara will be streamed for one month, from May 22 till June 25 at 5 pm. The plays will go online on Ranga Shankara’s YouTube channel.

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The plays have been chosen carefully to ensure the viewers get a variety in terms of content, format, and presentation. The plays are a selection of the group’s best works, including award-winning productions like Circle of Life and Fish Tree Moon.

"We have always admired our plays with one-camera position. In the 8th now, in these times of lockdown, we thought it was a good idea to share these. We hope our viewers enjoy these while we all wait to get back to real theatre" says Anantakrishnan Nag, Artistic Director of Ranga Shankara.

Fish Tree Moon

Fish Tree Moon is an Indo-Korean production developed and presented in partnership with Nalanda Centre. It is a magical tale about destiny, good versus evil, friendship, and the power of love. This is the tale of Fish Tree Moon, a village in India, and how its people live in harmony with nature.

Circle of Life

From childhood to old age, a human life goes through various stages - physically and emotionally - and each stage is a miracle in itself, with its own unique gift to offer. Life at every stage is precious, and each stage of the human life cycle must be nurtured and protected. This is the basis of Circle of Life, a Ranga Shankara production.

Chippi The Chipkali

The play is based on an Indian folk tale, it tells the story of Chippi, a baby langoor, which lives happily in the jungle. Her mother, a beautiful and kind langoor, goes off hunting for food, but gets caught in a trap. Chippi embarks on a long journey to find her mother. Will she ever get her back? Will she become beautiful again?

Zapperdock and the Wock

Zapperdock is yellow, tiny, unsure and a cry baby. But that is the way he is! Wock is blue, fat and grumpy. But that is the way he is! Is there still a chance that both get along with each other, despite these differences?

Robinson and Crusoe

Robinson and Crusoe tells the story of two soldiers, Robinson and Crusoe, who get stuck on an island and discover that they are from opposing war camps! With only one roof to share, the ocean all around and no common language to communicate in, will friendship prevail?

The Garbage Mouse

The play follows the story of Mullima, a little mouse, who suddenly finds herself homeless. With all her ingenuity and imagination, she creates a new life and lives happily until the scary and mysterious Picture Book Cat makes an entrance. How will Mullima face this battle?