

Onam Celebration



Onam is the biggest and the most important festival of the state of Kerala. It is a harvest festival and is celebrated with joy and enthusiasm all over the state by people of all communities. According to a popular legend, the festival is celebrated to welcome King Mahabali, whose spirit is said to visit Kerala at the time of Onam.

The great festival of Onam is celebrated usually in the month of August-September. This period of time is the first month of year according to the Malayalam calendar (Kollavarsham).

Onam is celebrated at this time of the year primarily for two reasons. One is that this is time for the visit of once a great king of Kerala- King Mahabali. According to a common belief the king visits the earth from his kingdom in Underground (Patal) and blesses his subjects who leave no stone unturned to welcome their much revered king. Ten days festivities are associated with movement of King Mahabali from Patal to the time he reaches Earth and goes back to his world. This also is harvest season in Kerala. Thus, this festival is also celebrated as the harvest festival of Kerala where people gather and celebrate arrival of new crops.

We here at ASM has celebrated Onam Festival with full tradition on 24th August 2018. This year we had majoriy of students from Kerala. They all

were new to Maharashtra so make them feel homely and express “Unity in Diversity” we all of them participated heartily and enjoyed fully.

“Unity in Diversity “ Onam Celebration at ASM



Students Enjoyed the Event with full Enthusiasm



Faculty & Students Enjoying Kerala Food in Kerala Style