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IS INDIA JUNKYARD OF WORLD'S ELECTRONIC WASTE?

Post-2002, India has emerged as one of the largest dumping grounds of e-waste for the developed world. Once the electronic equipment, mostly computers, turns obsolete in the West, they are exported as e-waste into the South Asian market, mostly to India and Pakistan. A large number of workers, who work in this recycling industry, extracting useful metals from electronic waste or e-waste, are putting both their health and the environment to great risk. ▶31



FOREIGN SEAS: SECOND HOME OF BOLLYWOOD

Be it Europe, America, Africa or Asia, foreign destination are beckoning Hindi cinema. Several Bollywood films are now being shot in the exotic locations. This trend was started by the late Raj Kapoor with his first color film *Sangam*. That was just the start — soon followed Pramod Chakravorty's *Love in Tokyo* and Shakti Samanta's *An Evening in Paris*, which did extremely good, at the box office. And since then, there is no looking back. Bollywood has made its second home in the foreign seas, surf and sands. The list of Bollywood films shot at foreign locales is increasing everyday. Check some of the hottest foreign locations, where a number of Bollywood films are being shot over the last few decades. ▶36



Bollywood dances by professional dancers. The show will promise a spectacular wholesome entertainment.

Tribune Nite promises spectacular wholesome entertainment

Chicago, IL: The upcoming **India Tribune Nite** to celebrate the 31st anniversary of the community's leading newspaper is shaping up to be "one hell of an extravaganza" on Friday, May 30, according to organizers.

Coordinator and producer of the event **Shebani Kulkarni** is putting together an event which promises to be memorable and different with a multitude of talent, both local and international on display. "We know we have some talented youngsters in our community,

who are being trained by some very able teachers; when we put this talent together with some internationally traveled performers, who practically live under stage lights, the results can be spectacular," she says.

Cultural extravaganza

The cultural program will feature an array of Bollywood dances and dancers, who will perform both techno and the traditional. "The **Cosmic Nad** professional dancers from India, who choreographed all those stylish tradi-

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pointer as to how our youngsters are shaping in the cultural field and the choices they could have in the future to nurture their talent. **India Tribune** has always provided a platform for our community and the tradition continues," she adds.

The Satya Paul Fashion Show

The fashion show will feature the exclusive designs of Indian design house Satya Paul. Based on the theme "The Elements," the show will feature exclusive designs in the rich colors of the earth, wind, fire and water with elements of fusion dance and yoga with popular local models. The music has been specially compiled from the works of master drummer Sivamani, tabla maestro **Ustad Zakir Hussain** and

music director **M.M.Kreem**. The designs will be on sale after the event exclusively at the very popular high end design boutique **Raaz**, promoted by **Zainab Iqbal**.

Spectacular Venue

The Meadows Club, with its well designed stage, lights and ambience and, of course, its sound system is an ideal venue to put up a show of this magnitude. "We are pulling out all stops to make this event something people will remember for a long time," says **Lyn Estka**, General Manager, Sales and Operations of The Meadows Club. "The food has been meticulously planned by our chefs to tickle your taste buds, and interior decorations will surprise you," she adds.

The spectacular backdrops on the giant screen on stage will make the event visually

very arresting and objective. The show is also likely to feature the singing talents of some **SaReGaMaPa** US singers during dinner, another example of the special talent of our youth.

"All in all, a wholesome evening has been planned with something in it for the whole family. It could be an ideal evening out with high quality food, entertainment and socializing," says **Prashant Shah**, the publisher of **India Tribune**. Several prominent personalities and television channels have confirmed their presence; so book your tables or tickets today as over 60 percent of the tickets have already been sold. With its multiple screens and their positions everyone is guaranteed a ring-side seat at The Meadows Club.

BY RAJAN ZED

Reno, NV: Sikh community in Reno on April 24 moved their holy scripture *Guru Granth Sahib* in a decorated vehicle in

tions are that they have to cover their heads and take off their shoes before entering the sanctuary. This will be the only

\$3-million Sikh temple opened in Reno

Temple, the new temple, located near Sutro/McCarran, will further add more accommodation for teaching Punjabi language and reli-

YOUR STARS

From April 26 to May 3



Dr. C.L. Shastri, a well-known Sanskrit scholar and educationist from Gujarat, guides the community in religious and cultural spheres. Dr. Shastri is the president of Sanskrit Association in Chicago. He is a popular astrologer with a Ph.D. degree. He can be reached at (630) 787-0579 or e-mail at clshastri@yahoo.com. Please mention your date of birth, time and place.

Aries (March 20-April 19): During the week, Mars, your ruler, moves to Cancer, Saturn stays fifth and Jupiter is ninth. Let not your time be wasted in worthless pursuits. The money, which might have been held up, will reach your hands. You may get more interested in religion and philosophy. New contacts will be developed and they may be rewarding. Domestic pleasure prevails.

Taurus (April 20-May 20): Special events related to your work will bring joy, as shown by Venus, staying second. You will be able to achieve considerable success in your undertakings, especially of financial nature. Mental peace and pleasure seem assured by Jupiter. However, as shown by Saturn, staying fourth, your opponents may hatch a conspiracy against you, so stay careful.

Gemini (May 21-June 21): Mercury stays 10th, and rules your sign. This shows gain in your work and your social prestige rises. The week is auspicious for social and domestic spheres. However, as Mars moves to your second house, you should remain careful while driving and should avoid surgery if it is voluntary. There is a possibility of some misunderstanding with your relatives or close associates.

Cancer (June 22-July 21): The week is good in the beginning, but troublesome in the end. Ketu is second and affects your monetary deals adversely. Your health also may need more care. However, your domestic environment appears pleasant and the spouse would remain quite affectionately helpful. Observe fast on Saturdays for about a month to assure good health and needed income.

Leo (July 22-Aug. 21): Saturn is right in your sign, bringing better results in your undertakings. You will defeat your enemies. The Solar effect shows your work will excel. Remain careful while driving and avoid haste. Jupiter provides good health and inner joy. Domestic peace prevails. A loyal and dependable person will lead you to dignified position, so follow his advice.