

Embassy of India

Mexico City

Celebrating the states of Rajasthan & Gujarat

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On 19th May, 2024, the Embassy organized the celebrations of the states of Rajasthan & Gujarat. More than 350 members from Indian diaspora and friends from Mexico attended the celebrations. The highlight of the event was the enthusiastic participation of the Indian diaspora especially in performing arts and the huge appreciation received from the Mexican community.

2. In his opening remarks, Ambassador Pankaj Sharma highlighted the rich cultural heritage and traditions of these states and emphasized the India's cultural ethos of unity in diversity. Mr. Vipul Timbadiya, Vice President of the Indian Association of Mexico, commended the Government of India for holding such important events which have acted as a bridge bringing Mexico closer to India. Being a native of the state of Gujarat, he spoke on the history, diversity, traditions and strong economic potential of Gujarat. The programme also included a presentation on the tourism, cultural heritage, culinary delights and investment potential of Gujarat & Rajasthan. The Incredible India videos captivated the crowd with the beauty of these two states.

3. Members of Indian diaspora gave mesmerizing cultural performances showcasing the rich traditions and culture of the state of Gujarat & Rajasthan. These included the traditional dances including garba of Gujarat, 'Padharo maare desh' of Rajasthan, Ghoomar & Kalbeliya. An Indian bazaar was set up showcasing the handicrafts, cuisines and traditional items from Rajasthan & Gujarat.

4. The event concluded with the prize distribution ceremony wherein individuals from diaspora and Mexican community with the best traditional attires were recognized. Events like State Days are playing an important role in bringing the members of Indian diaspora together on one common platform as well as in strengthening bonds of friendship between India and Mexico.

Some photos from the event are placed below.



