

# FESTIVAL OF WOMANHOOD

Bikaner House, Delhi | 8th March 2026

**Theme:** Conscious • Creative • Courageous Exhibit

**Timings:** 10:30 AM – 8:00 PM (open throughout)

**Exhibitors:** 25 Women Entrepreneurs (bags, dresses, perfumes, essential oils, conscious brands)

## MORNING | INAUGURAL (Ballroom-Bikaner House)

**10:00 – 10:30 am**

Arrival, Registration, Walk-through of Women-led Exhibits Soft instrumental / flute / veena in background

**10:30 – 10:40 am**

Lamp Lighting Ceremony

**10:40 – 10:55 am**

Kathak Dance Presentation (Grace, Shakti, Womanhood through movement)

**10:55 – 11:00 am**

Welcome Note & Festival Intent by Devi Mohan (Short, powerful—why womanhood, why now)

**11:00 AM–11.10 am**

Mohanji Video

**11:10 – 11:20 am**

Keynote Address (Theme: Woman as Creator, Carrier & Change-maker)

**11:25 – 12.25 AM**

Panel Discussion 1

Theme: "Tradition, Choice & Modern Identity"

**12:20 – 12:30 PM**

musical interlude- Yelena

**12:35 – 1.30 pm**

### **Award Ceremony**

At this Award Ceremony, we are recognising women from all walks of life for their substantial contributions to society — in Arts & Culture, Education, Grassroots Leadership, Conscious Entrepreneurship, and as Unsung Community Heroes. This celebration honours their visible achievements but also the quiet strength, dedication, and impact.

**1.30 – 1.40 pm**

**Her story by Tanuja sanders**

**1.40 – 2.40pm**

### **Lunch Break**

- Exhibit browsing
- Informal networking

## **MIDDAY | EXPRESSION & PAUSE (afternoon | street & circle spaces)**

**3:30 – 4:30 pm**

### **Session 1: Street Play**

**Theme:** Consent & agency

### **Session 2: Meet your Body**

**Sexuality • Sensation • Self-Intimacy With Bhartte Kapoo**

A deeply grounding, experiential session that invites you to reconnect with your body - through awareness, touch, presence, and simple daily practices that restore intimacy with self.

### **Session 3: Women Circle by Devi Mohan**

**Sexuality • Sensation • Self-Intimacy With Bhartte Kapoo**

In this sacred circle, we come together, as our ancestors once did-to hold space for one another, to release old patterns, heal emotional and ancestral wounds, and restore balance on all levels.

### **Session 5: Sur sargam by Jyoti Bahl**

**4:30 – 5.30 pm**

### **Session 4: Open Mike- Poetry Circle**

A space where every voice matters.. A space of expression where you can share your poem, your story, or even just a few honest lines from the heart. Through themes of identity, resilience, love, loss, becoming, and inner strength, participants will experience connection, reflection, and empowerment. You may come as a listener or step forward to participate , both are equally valued. This circle will be a shared journey of discovering and celebrating the many layers of womanhood and existence.

## EVENING | AMPHITHEATRE COLLECTIVE EXPERIENCE

**5:30 – 6:00 pm**

**Conscious Dancing with Devi Ma**

(Release, joy, embodiment, sisterhood)

**6:00 – 6:30 pm**

**Stand-up Comedy**

(Clean, sharp, woman-centric humour)

**6:30 – 8:00 pm**

**Bhangra Girls Performance**

(High-energy celebration of feminine power)

