On the occasion of the International Day Of The World's Indigenous Peoples, Indira Gandhi National Centre for The Arts (Regional Centre, Thrissur), in collaboration with the National Museum Of Natural History (Regional Centre, Mysore), India Heritage And Museum Field School (Kochi), Maharaja's College, (Dept. Of Archaeology & Material Culture Studies), conducts **NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON TRIBAL HERITAGE** from 9th – 13th August 2023 at Chavara Cultural Centre, Karikkamuri Road, Ernakulum and Maharaja's College, Ernakulum.

9th August 2023

The function will be inaugurated by the chief guest Sh. Raman Rajamannan, King of Mannan Tribe, Idukki, on 9th August 2023. Dr. B. Venugopal, Convenor, IHMFS, Kochi will deliver the welcome note. The Keynote address will be given by Dr. Prof.Manasi Raghu Nandan, Regional Director, IGNCA RC Thrissur. Ms. Bibitha, Tata Samvaad Fellow, Kaadar ooru, Vaazhachal, Dr. V. S. Joy, Special Grade Principal, Maharaja's College, Ernakulam, Mr.Ramachandran. Secretary, Ernakulam Karayogam, Mr.RajendraPrasad, Director, Thampu, Ernakulam, Fr. Anil Philip CMI, Director, Chavara Cultural Centre, Ernakulam, will give the felicitations. Mr. T.R. Premkumar, Moozhikkulamsaala, Moozhikkulam will deliver the vote of thanks. It will be followed by a film screening, IGNCA's "Looking for Challan: Cholanaikkan of Kerala" by Sh. Bappa Ray.

10th August 2023

Sessions on:

- Intangible Cultural Heritage
- Intangible Natural Heritage
- Traditional crafts will take place.

11th August 2023

Sessions on:

- Biocultural Community Protocol
- Role of Grama Panchayat will take place.

12th August 2023

Sessions on:

• Intangible Heritage Case Studies of Tribes

13th August 2023

The valedictory function will be inaugurated by Smt. Geetha Vazhachal, Kadar Ooru Mooppathy, Vazhachal on 13th August 2023. The welcome address will be delivered by Dr.B. Venugopal, coordinator of the workshop. Dr. Prof. Manasi Raghu Nandan, Regional Director, IGNCA RC Thrissur will give the special address. Vote of thanks will be delivered by Mr. T.R. Premkumar, Moozhikkulamsaala, Moozhikkulam, which will be followed by a discussion on the film on Irula Tribe "MANGAI".