

Arohana School of Music & IFCM-USA

Present a grand, first-of-its-kind

OVK-BACH FESTIVAL, 2013



Celebrating two of the World's Greatest Composers

Oottukkadu Venkata Kavi (1700-65?) &

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

Trailblazers in Melody & Harmony respectively

On Saturday, Nov 16 at Middleton Performing Arts Center

(2100, Bristol Street, Middleton, WI 53562)

9:00 AM Group renditions of Venkata Kavi's *Saptaratna krtis*

10:30 AM: Individual/Group vocal/instrumental renditions (OVK compositions)

Lessons on OVK Kritis: <http://www.acharyanet.com/composers/pre-trinity/oottukkadu-venkata-kavi/>

12:30 PM: Sanskrit Shloka Recitation Competition

Lyrics and audio samples for shlokas: <http://www.venkatakavi.org/ovk/events.html>

1:30 PM: Individual/Group dance performances

3:00 PM: Individual/Orchestral Bach renditions (Western)

4:30 PM: Melharmonic arrangement of OVK composition by Yahara String Quartette and Middleton High school orchestra

5:00 PM: **"Contributions of Bach & OVK and their significance"** – Panel discussion by Dr. Trevor Stephenson (Madison Bach Musicians) & Chitravina N Ravikiran

6:00 PM: Special VOCAL recital by **Chitravina N Ravikiran** - featuring OVK's works

Registration: Group participation (\$10 per person) & Individual/duo - (\$15)

Shloka Recitation Competition: \$15, **Events till 4:30 pm:** FREE

Concert tickets: \$25 (front row) & \$15 (general), Children < 5 years: FREE

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