

Independence Day Celebration during COVID-19

“Better to die fighting for freedom than be a prisoner all the days of your life”

--- Bob Marley

This above line holds true for the one who fight for the freedom of our country and many others who sacrifices their life for our independence and today only because of them we can celebrate Independence Day. As we all are well aware that citizens of India suffered under the British rule for decades, the British officials looted the country of its wealth and treated Indians poorly. India once known as golden bird, suffered immensely at the hands of Britishers but our courageous, brave freedom fighter gave birth to a new and independent nation i.e. INDIA. And to remind all of them India celebrates its Independence Day on 15th August every year. This year we are going to celebrate Independence Day but in a different way because our nation is at war with a deadly invisible enemy—a virus named as COVID-19. At the moment, the situation is a bit under control but I am concerned as we have entered into a festive season and we should not be going to put our family or nation in danger by celebrating Independence Day in huge gatherings. So, the simplest and easiest way according to me is to celebrate at our homes while following all the guidelines as per the government without going out and if necessary then through virtual mode conducting all cultural programs and making us as the first to do this to make other to do the same. In conclusion, we must possess patriotism and work for our motherland to see it succeed in every field by having feeling of brotherhood, honesty towards other people and celebrating this Independence Day by remaining physically away from people but not from heart.