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#### Charminar Chosen as Symbolic Venue for 2025 Bibi ka Alam, Marking New Era of Unity

In a landmark move, Nawab Raunaq Yar Khan and the Shia Council have designated Charminar as the venue for the 2025 Bibi ka Alam procession, symbolizing Hyderabad's inclusive heritage. Celebrating both tradition and progress, this historic shift reflects modern values while honoring Qutb Shahi and Nizam-era legacies. Nawab Raunaq, recognized as the IX Nizam, aims to integrate royal traditions into democratic India, fostering unity and justice. With growing support from Nizam descendants and the Shia Civil Council, the event promises a renewed spirit of communal harmony and cultural pride for the city.



#### Telugu Pride Shines at 8th NATS Telugu Sambaralu in Florida

The 8th NATS Telugu Sambaralu concluded triumphantly in Tampa, Florida, celebrating Telugu culture with grandeur. Over 20,000 attendees witnessed dazzling performances by stars like Allu Arjun, Balakrishna, and Venkatesh. Music maestros Devi Sri Prasad and Thaman captivated the crowd, while organizers led by Convenor Guttikonda Srinivas ensured flawless execution. The event also embraced philanthropy, donating  $\boxtimes 85$ lakh to Basavatarakam Cancer Hospital. Honoring legends and showcasing rich traditions, the three-day celebration lived up to its theme — "Never Before, Ever After." It marked a proud moment for the global Telugu community, uniting culture, entertainment, and social service.



### Minister Seethakka Inaugurates Silk Exhibition, Urges GST Cut for Handloom Weavers

Minister Seethakka inaugurated the Silk Exhibition by Indian Silk Gallery at Sathya Sai Nigamagam, advocating for lower GST on handloom products and encouraging people to wear handlooms to support weavers. With over 70 stalls showcasing beautiful sarees and silk fabrics from across India, the exhibition connects consumers with skilled artisans. Students from Growing Roots School also attended an educational session led by Central Silk Board experts, learning about silkworms and silk production. Organizers emphasized the importance of buying certified silk products and supporting India's rich handloom heritage.

