



Namaste America Hosts An American Music Fest over Brunch

Atul Nishar, President of Namaste America, Indo-American Association for Art & Culture & **Kailash Surendranath**, Program Chair hosted an American music fest over brunch. The event gave the guests an excellent opportunity to indulge and unwind with live American Pop and Jazz music. **Peter Haas**, US Consul General, Mumbai was the Chief Guest and **Deanna Abdeen**, Consular Section Chief, US Consulate, Mumbai was the Guest of Honour for the event.

The afternoon began with an electrifying performance by Ace jazz artiste-vocalist and one of India's leading singer, Joe Alvares with his band of highly accomplished American musicians – Dee wood on Guitar, Tala Faral on Saxophone, and Keira Intrator, the assisting vocalist. This was followed by a Salsa & Tango performance by renowned choreographer, Rahul Saxena.

The afternoon was attended by dignitaries across the city from Industrialists, Corporate CEO's, celebrities and US Consulate Staff.

Seen exchanging pleasantries were Amy & Peter Haas (US Consul General, Mumbai), Nur & Deanna Abdeen (Consular Section Chief, US Consulate), Dr. Alka & Atul Nishar, Minal & Niraj Bajaj, Ranjit & Dr. Indu Shahani, Arti & Kailash Surendranath, Smita & Mohan Jaykar, Vivek & Priyanka Batra, Nafisa & Habil Khorakiwala, Farida & Pankaj Udhas, Pravina & Jamal Mecklai, Divya Palat & Aditya Hitkari, Rashmi Uday Singh, Viren Shah, Sandhya Shetty, Deveika & Suresh Bhojwani, Farid Currim, Naaz & Remu Javeri, Kishen Mulchandani, Zeba & Rajesh Kohli, Vikram Raizada, and many more. The guests took to the dance floor with the jazz band getting huge applause .

About Namaste America

Namaste America Indo American Association of Art and Culture is committed to promote and foster goodwill between the people of the United States of America and India by providing a platform for their cultural and trade exchange particularly in the areas of Education, Media, Entertainment, Science & Sports. For more information visit www.namasteamerica.in

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