

India is a land of festivals. We celebrate many festivals throughout the year. There are many Indian festivals and celebrations, the most exciting of which are mentioned below.

Bihu:



Popular among the festivals of India celebrated in the North East, Bihu is the harvest festival of Assam. During the month-long celebrations, young men and women wear their traditional clothes and perform the Bihu dance in the village fields and courtyards.

Significance: It's the traditional new year celebration of Assamese. **Rongali or Bohag Bihu is observed in April. It is celebrated from April 15 to April 21.**

Onam: Welcoming The Mighty Mahabali



Onam is among the important national festivals of India, wherein people wear traditional wear, adorn houses with Pookalam (floral designs), and prepare Onasadya (elaborate meal of about 13 dishes). Events such as Vallamkali (snake boat race), Kaikottikali (clap dance), Kathakali dance and Pulikali procession (artists dressed and painted like tigers and hunters) are held.

Significance: It celebrates the homecoming of the legendary king Mahabali. Onam or Thiruvonam festival of Kerala usually falls in the month of August and September every year.