

Colourful Expressions

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'M'ultimedia Five plus One' recently opened to the general public at the hands of Rear Admiral Sudhir Pillai, NM Flag Officer Commanding, Goa Naval Area at the Kala Academy.

The exhibition will donate a percentage of its profits to Goa based NGOs, El Shaddai and Goa Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

The art exhibition 'Multimedia Five plus One' showcases the works of five female artists and one male. Art is an integral part of Garima Singh's life. She indulges herself in Tanjore and multimedia paintings and her collection is very pleasing to the eye. "Art for me is a form of expression. Most of my art has a positive vibe and through my art I try to get that to the people," she states.

Mrinal Nigde who does tile and glass painting and murals had a very colorfully intricate glass painting caught in decorated pieces of chunky wooden logs that immediately catch the eye of the passers-by. Even though Mrinal hasn't studied art, she believes that she is a born artist. "The message of goodness already exists. I'm trying to get it across to the people through colour," she states. The rest of her collection was rich in colour and design. She uses a lot of geometric shapes to give her work a certain beauty.

Geeta Sahu's pottery display was full of life. She made use of swirling patterns in most of her pottery and it was in all shapes and sizes.

Tulika Sharma's stunning, bold and eye-catching display was a metal embossed dragon in colours of bronze and silver. Her works were mostly mixed media and varied in sizes. Her use of browns mixed with primary colours and patterns of flowers and leaves, geometric shapes and embedded idols of Gods was quite creative.

Veena Satish's Ravi Verma style paintings were all re-created aptly. She has given a personal touch to almost all of them.

Sunil Mehta's art covered landscapes and natural scenes. His paintings were such that if you stare at them long enough, you'd want to be a part of them. The exhibition will be on display till October 11.

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