

# ALL INDIA BANK RETIREES' FEDERATION

**4<sup>th</sup> NATIONAL CONFERENCE,  
THRISSUR, 26-28 NOVEMBER 2015**



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**RECEPTION COMMITTEE  
ALL INDIA BANK RETIREES' FEDERATION  
C/o. CATHOLIC SYRIAN BANK RETIREES ASSOCIATION  
'TOP CORAL', NEAR VIVEKODAYAM SCHOOL  
KUNNATHU MANA LANE, THRISSUR-680001**

**BULLETIN NO.1**

**16<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 2015**

## **GOD'S OWN COUNTRY BECKONS COMRADES OF AIBRF**

Dear Comrades,

**HEARTY WELCOME TO THRISSUR FOR THE 4<sup>TH</sup> NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF ALL INDIA BANK RETIREES FEDERATION**

It is indeed a matter of immense pride and pleasure for us to welcome the comrades of all the affiliates of All India Bank Retirees Federation to the 4<sup>th</sup> Delegates Conference scheduled to be held at Thrissur from 26<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> November, 2015. We are making all arrangements and putting all efforts for the successful conduct of the conference and to make it an ever memorable one in the history of Bank Retirees in the country.

### **KERALA – THE 'GODS OWN COUNTRY'**

With the Arabian Sea in the west, the Western Ghats towering 500-2700 m in the east and networked by 44 rivers, Kerala enjoys unique geographical features that have made it one of the most sought after tourist destinations in Asia. An equable climate. A long shoreline with serene beaches. Tranquil stretches of emerald backwaters. Lush hill stations and exotic wildlife. Waterfalls. Sprawling plantations and paddy fields. Ayurvedic health holidays. Enchanting art forms. Magical festivals. Historic and cultural monuments. It will be a unique experience for all.



### **THRISSUR – THE CULTURAL CAPITAL OF KERALA**

Thrissur with its rich history, cultural heritage and archeological wealth is called the cultural capital of Kerala. It is famed and wide for its temple pooram festivals. Thrissur and Pooram, the festival of festivals with an unmatched pageantry of a hundreds drums, dozens of caparisoned elephants and brilliant fireworks are so inseparably integrated that the extravaganza of Pooram, excites you in the same breath when you hear the name of Thrissur. This town is also a veritable treasure trove of history with tiny, tranquil hamlets by the sides of tediously flowing rivers, backwaters and lush green gardens. Kerala Kalamandalam, a university of Kathakali and other performing arts, the Kerala Sahitya Academy and Kerala Sangeetha Nataka Academy are located here.



Thrissur is also the cradle of Koodiyattam, the 2000 yrs old Sanskrit theatre, officially recognised by UNESCO as a Masterpiece of the Oral and Intangible Heritage of Humanity.

## GRAND WELCOME TO THE 4<sup>th</sup> TRIENNIAL DELEGATES CONFERENCE OF AIBRF

Bank retirees in the country are being deprived of their legitimate rights and the Government of India and Indian Banks Association are not coming forward to resolve their just and genuine demands and are not inclined even to listen to their voices. We have the right to live with dignity in the society after spending our prime time with dedication and devotion for the bank and society and the bank retirees in the country are in the warpath under the leadership of All India Bank Retirees Federation (AIBRF) for achieving the demands. It is at this juncture the 4<sup>th</sup> Triennial Delegates Conference of AIBRF is held at Thrissur and it is very important for every bank retiree in the country.

We, the activists of AIBRF in the state are doing everything to make the conference a grand success in all respects and a show of unity, strength and solidarity of bank retirees in the country. Best available arrangements are being made to receive the delegates and observers and other guests participating the conference and providing comfortable accommodation to all and of course for the meticulous conduct the meeting.

## RECEPTION COMMITTEE FORMED ON 6<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 2015



We are extremely glad to inform you all that 501 member Reception Committee has been formed in a meeting held at Kerala Sahithya Academy Hall, Thrissur on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2015. About 400 comrades from different parts of Kerala attended the meeting.

Com.C.N.Jayadevan, MP inaugurated the meeting which was presided over by Shri.P.S.Balan,

President, All Kerala Bank Retirees Federation. Our National President Shri.S.M.Deshpande made keynote address.

Shri.K.Sreenivasan, General Secretary, All Kerala Bank Retirees Federation explained in detail regarding the initial arrangements made so far for the conduct of the conference and requested co-operation of all our members in Kerala, leaders of all the constituents of UFBU and various Trade Unions to make the conference a grand success. Shri.Francis Thottungal, General Secretary, CSB Officers Association

(AIBOC), Shri. Peter Anto Nellisery, President, South Indian Bank Employees Association, (NCBE) Com.K.Sathanathan, President, AIBOA Kerala State Committee and Sri.M.B.Harinarayanan, Vice President, BMS Thrissur District Committee addressed the gathering.



Com.M.P.Paul, District Secretary AKBRF welcomed the gathering and Com.John Joseph, Secretary, AKBRF and General Secretary, South Indian Bank Retirees Association proposed vote of thanks.

The names of Chairman, Convners, and Treasurers of the committee are given below. Various sub-committees have also been constituted and the details of the same will be provided along with our next bulletin.

CHAIRMAN  
General Convenor  
Joint Convenors

Sri.C.N.Jayadevan, Member of Parliament  
Sri.M.P.Paul, Thrissur District Secretary, AKBRF  
Sri.John Joseph, Secretary, AKBRF  
Sri.N.D.Nandakumar, Secretary, AKBRF  
Sri.P.R.R.S.Iyer, Secretary, AKBRF  
Sri.N.Krishnan, General Secretary, DLBRA  
Sri.P.Kumaran, Treasurer, CSBRA

Treasurer  
Asst.Treasurer



## **LOGO OF THE CONFERENCE**

The logo of the conference was unveiled by Shri.S.M.Deshpande , President AIBRF in the meeting.

## **OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION FROM AIBRF**

Further Official communication on the conference will be received from the Secretariat of AIBRF.



## **GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR THE UNITS/DELEGATES/OBSERVERS**

### **RECEIVING THE PARTICIPANTS**

Reception Committee will put up a Reception Counter at Platform No.1 of Thrissur Railway Station from the afternoon of 25-11-2015. All delegates and observers are requested to contact the Reception Counter on arrival at Thrissur.

Delegates and observers are requested to carry their ID cards for verification and for checking in Hotels.

Delegates /observers who give prior information about their date and time of arrival at Thrissur to the Reception Committee, with name and number of Trains , they will be received at Railway Station and taken to the Hotels by our volunteers.

### **ACCOMMODATION**

The Reception Committee will be booking accommodation as per the request/intend from the units which are sending delegates/observers. We request the Units to send their intends at the earliest with the number of persons who require accommodation. Those who are bringing the family may kindly inform the matter in advance and also inform the details of accommodation needed for them.

Reception Committee will be booking Non-AC rooms of two beds, three beds four beds, etc. according to the availability. During November the climate in Kerala will be quite good and hence AC rooms are not necessary. If anybody want AC rooms, we shall try to book it but they will have to remit in advance the AC charges of around Rs.250/- per bed per day, which varies for different hotels.

Rooms will be booked for 3 days from 8.00 PM on 25.11.2015 to 8 PM on 28.11.2015. Rent for additional rooms/accommodation for family and also for stay after 8.00 p.m. on 28<sup>th</sup> November 2015 will have to be borne by the guests, which may kindly be noted.

Kindly inform the details of the accommodation requirements at the earliest so as to enable us to arrange the best possible one, at most convenient hotels at a reasonable tariff.

### **LIST OF DELEGATES/OBSERVERS**

We request each affiliated units to send the list of delegates/observers at the earliest, latest by 15.10.2015. The representation should be as per the norms, details of which have already been given by the General Secretary of AIBRF (AIBRF Circular No.2015/17 dated 28.03.2015).

## DELEGATES FEE

As decided by AIBRF, the delegate fee payable will be Rs.1,700/- per person (delegate fee + accommodation levy). The delegate fee as per the delegate/observers list may be send by way of Demand Draft or Cheque favouring Reception Committee, 4<sup>th</sup> National Conference, AIBRF so as to reach the General Convener on or before 10.11.2015.

For occupying the hotel rooms, we will have to pay the full rent and hence kindly make it sure that the delegate fee is send well in time.

## COMMUNICATION

All communication and remittances may be send to the General Convener of the Reception Committee. The address of the Reception Committee office is as following:

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Please note that the Reception Committee is not in a position to undertake bookings of tickets for Air, Railway, Bus or Taxi and sightseeing.

Important places/Tourist Centres to visit with distance from Thrissur :-

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| 1. Vadakkumnathan Temple, Thrissur Town.   | 8. Peechi Dam – 21kms.                                       |
| 2. Catholic Church, Shrine of 'Basilica of our lady of Dolours' –, Thrissur Town | 9. Malampuzha Dam – 76kms                                    |
| 3. Cheraman Mosque, Kodungllur - 1st Mosque in India – 45 kms                    | 10. Kanyakumari – 363 kms.                                   |
| 4. Vilanganjунnu, Thrissur View Point –10kms.                                    | 11. Munnar – Hill station – 157kms.                          |
| 5. Athirapilly Waterfalls, Chalakudy - 35km                                      | 12. Thekkady Periyar Wildlife sanctuary - 190kms.            |
| 6. Kerala Kala Mandalam - 25kms.   | 13. Kovalam Beach - 290kms.                                  |
| 7. Guruvayur Sree Krishna Temple – 28kms.  | 14. Sree Padmanabhaswamy Temple Thiruvananthapuram – 280 kms |

We welcome our comrades to Thrissur for an ever cherishing lovely experience.

With greetings,

Yours comradely,

M.P. PAUL  
General Convener

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