

Indigenous Music fest at Dimapur on Oct 7



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**6th October: Workshop cum interaction
@ Abiogenesis Centre**

7th October: Concert @ IMC Hall, Dimapur

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The main event on October 7, will see a very strong line up at IMC Hall, [Dimapur](#) from 5:30 pm featuring eight renowned artistes and bands.

They are: Summersalt – a folk fusion band from [Meghalaya](#) who has been featured in the Bollywood film Rock On 2, Jambili – a folk fusion band from Assam, [Imphal](#) Talkies – a six member folk rock band from [Manipur](#), Atso Chasie: who is a first prize winner at [National](#) Classical Guitar Competition ‘AXE POWER 2013’ who will be performing with Choseo Tetseo, Ragamuffins: a folk fusion band from Assam, Jano Nyeka from [Nagaland](#), who’s own original song ‘Aahoh’ won the award for the Best Folk Fusion at [India](#)’s Indie Awards, the Radio City FM Freedom Awards 2017, Vania Chawang & The Band from [Dimapur](#) and Abiogenesis – the folk fusion band from [Nagaland](#), which is the only band in [Nagaland](#) to have received the Governors award for distinction in folk fusion music. Sholo Thong, the frontman of Gluttones will be the host.

On day one, October 6, a [workshop](#) and interaction for the [North East](#) Artistes will be conducted beginning 2 pm at the Abiogenesis Centre, Nuton Bosti while dress rehearsals will take place at IMC Hall in the evening.

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