Tamil New Year fete in Auroville

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Traditional event: Mohanam Centre for Culture and Heritage is organising the celebrations at Auroville. — Photo: S.S. Kumar

At Youth Centre from 10 a.m. till 5 p.m.

Mohanam Centre for Culture and Heritage, under the aegis of Bamboo Research Centre of Auroville, is celebrating Tamil New Year on April 14.

The celebrations will be held at the Youth Centre in Auroville, from 10 a.m. till 5 p.m.

This is organised to introduce the traditional practices of Tamil population living in the villages surrounding Auroville to the foreigners there.

“The local residents will prepare traditional food and drinks to be served to the Aurovillians,” said A. Murugan, programme manager, Mohanam Centre for Culture and Heritage.

He added that the foreigners will be introduced to Tamil language and literature. Every year, the Tamil New Year was organised at the Bharat Nivas in Auroville. “This year, we decided to celebrate it at the Youth Centre,” he said.