

Adventures of the South Pole: A Film Screening and Art Workshop for Kids

Cut off from the rest of the world, on the southernmost tip of our planet, lies a land covered with freezing ice, mammoth glaciers, chilling winds and peculiar flora and fauna. This untraversed continent of Antarctica may seem desolate to the untrained eye, but is actually one of the most fascinating places on earth.

Antarctica is perhaps the last and largest unspoiled wilderness left on our planet; home to an unimaginable abundance of rare wildlife species like whales, orcas, penguins, and krill. However, these polar animals are under dire threat as the Antarctic peninsula is one of the most rapidly warming areas on earth. Scientists claim that if the West Antarctic Ice Sheet were to melt, it would raise global sea levels by about 16 feet!

To commemorate **World Earth Day 2022**, **Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Vastu Sangrahalaya**, **Playydate**, **Rachna's Funclub** and **Avid Learning** present **Adventures of the South Pole: A Film Screening and Art Workshop for Kids**.

The Last Continent, a documentary short film by *Mumbai-based Art Curator and Photographer*, **Abhay Maskara** & *Award-winning Travel Writer and Anthropologist*, **Sonia Nazareth**, aims to educate children on the treasures of Antarctica through impactful visual storytelling and create awareness about the undeniable climate change that is affecting not only this icy desert but also our long-term survival.

The film screening will be followed by an interactive and edutaining art workshop on creating DIY icebergs, conducted by *Educator, Storyteller and Founder of Rachana's Fun Club*, **Rachna Narwekar**.

This event is part of the ongoing **Sustainability NOW** series that examines the urgent environmental issues of today and aims to convert audiences into changemakers for a greener tomorrow.

Join us on this exciting adventure to discover the South Pole!

Date: Saturday, 23rd April 2022

Time: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm

Venue: CSMVS - Library, Kala Ghoda, Mumbai

Age Group: 8 to 13 years

Workshop Fee: Free

Register: <https://www.avidlearning.in/programmes/2022/adventures-of-the-south-pole-a-film-screening-and-art-workshop-for-kids/>

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a documentary short film by *Abhay Maskara & Sonia Nazareth*



Art workshop conducted by *Educator, Storyteller and Founder of Rachna's Funclub, Rachna Narwekar*

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TIME: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm
VENUE: CSMVS - Library, Kala Ghoda, Mumbai
FEE: Museum entry fee applicable per child and adult
AGE GROUP: 8 to 13 years
REGISTER: www.playydate.in or 8591409386



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About the film:

Written and narrated by award-winning travel writer and anthropologist Sonia Nazareth, this film journeys through the Falkland Islands, South Georgia, and the Antarctic Peninsula. While it applauds the stellar landscape and unique wildlife, it also illuminates the impact of this Last Continent on our long-term survival. This documentary is directed by Mumbai-based art curator and photographer Abhay Maskara who is best known for his portraits of the lost tribes of the Lower Omo Valley in Ethiopia, landscapes of Iceland, and globally threatened birds of the Indian Subcontinent and Himalayan region.

Film Trailer:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=di1cZinVvos>

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