



Mar Thoma Suvisesha Sevika Sanghom
UAE Centre

KALAMELA 2016 - 2017

COMPETITION RULES & REGULATIONS

Common Rules

- The competitions are scheduled for 14th Nov 2016.
- Participating teams should confirm their list of participants with Shakha President's signature to the Centre President or Centre Secretary.
- The points for various competitions are as follows :

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| Bible Reading | First - 5 Points | Second - 3 Points | Third - 1 Point |
| Group Song | First - 10 Points | Second - 7 Points | Third - 3 Points |
| Bible Quiz | First - 15 Points | Second - 10 Points | Third - 5 Points |
| Elocution | First - 7 Points | Second - 5 Points | Third - 3 Points |

- All Shakhas should participate in all competitions held in kalamela.
- The Committee Members other than the **lady vice president, central secretary & treasurer** can participate in competition.

Group Song (2 Songs)

Selected Songs

- 1) Kristeeya Keerthanangal – No 127, Bethlahem nal nagariyil
Stanzas 1, chorus, stanza 2 and Chorus.
- 2) Any one Christmas Song in Malayalam.

Rules:

- 1) Each Team will comprise a minimum of 4 and maximum of 11 members from each Shakha.
- 2) Group song should be sung according to DSMC notations.
- 3) No members are allowed to sing parts/second for the songs.
- 4) Can use parts & seconds for 2nd song (x'mas song)
- 5) Humming allowed only for starting pitch (not allowed during singing).
- 6) Musical instruments are not permitted.
- 7) Usage of microphone is not allowed.
- 8) Rules regulations & regulations will inform the judges earlier by president.
- 9) The decision of the judges will be final.



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Bible Quiz

Bible Quiz Portions

- Old Testament: Genesis chapter 1-25.
 - New Testament: Revelation chapter 1-15.
- 1) Each team will comprise 3 members from each Shakha.
 - 2) Each question will be asked in common by the Quiz Master.
 - 3) The group can discuss and can answer immediately & the score will be recorded at the same time.
 - 4) Plain paper will be provided to write the answer roughly.
 - 5) The decision of the Quiz Masters will be final.

Bible Reading

- 1) Only one Participant can compete from each Shakha.
- 2) The participant to be selected by competition within each sakha.
- 3) Participants will be given a maximum of two minutes to reach the given portion.
- 4) Individual trophy will be given to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place.
- 5) The decision of the judges will be final.

Elocution Competition

- 1) One participant from each Shakha.
- 2) The participant to be selected by competition held within each Sakha.
- 3) The topic will be informed to the participant just before the Competition.
- 4) The speech may not exceed 5 minutes in duration. The time limit will be strictly enforced.
- 5) Topic will be given earlier by president.
- 6) Individual trophy will be given to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place.
- 7) The decision of the judges will be final.

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Centre Secretary



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CENTRE KALAMELA 2015 — 2016

October 1, 2015

**The Vicar / Secretary / Committee Members
Abu Dhabi / Al Ain / Dubai / Fujairah / Ras Al Khaimah / Sharjah
United Arab Emirates**

Respected Achens / Dear Sisters:

Greetings to you in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

The Kalamela of the UAE Centre Mar Thoma Suvisesha Sevika Sanghom for the year 2015 - 2016 will be held on 13th November 2015 at The Sharjah Mar Thoma Church from 02:00 pm.

Competition Items are:

1. Group Song (2 Songs)
 - a. Kirsteeya Keerthanangal — No 122 Raja Raja (Tune as per the DSMC Staff Notation Book)
 - b. Any one Christmas Song in Malayalam.
2. Bible Quiz
 - a. Old Testament : The Book of Judges
 - b. New Testament : The Gospel according to John
3. Bible Reading
4. Elocution Competition

**Rev. M. T. Varghese
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