Onam

Onam is a major festival celebrated in Kerala in August or September. People celebrate the festival to remember the generosity and prosperity of King Mahabali. The celebration of Onam is in the first month of Chingam as per the Malayalam calendar. It is also a harvest festival and people celebrate it by enjoying a great feast. People decorate their houses with flowers for Onam and make rangoli. The festival is a celebration of ten days, with the first and the last day being very special. Women perform a traditional folk dance called Kaikottikali. Onam is celebrated with great enthusiasm in Kerala and is a beautiful festival.

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