Flowers blend their hues at Thekkinkad Maidan. So do viewers

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THE 40th Thrissur Flower show at Thekkinkad Maidan is back with again with an array of beautiful native, exotic and hybrid flowers that will leave anyone mesmerised.

The show, organised by the Thrissur Agri-Horticultural Society in association with Thrissur Corporation, District Panchayat, Kerala Agricultural University, Veterinary University, Agriculture Department and the Cochin Devaswom Board showcases Over 500 varieties of flowers. They include colourful roses, marigolds, salvia, gerbera, an attractive array of bougainvillea, cacti and euphorbia which are a visual treat for the

connoisseurs.

Agriculture and Veterinary universities and the Kerala Forest and Research

Institute have set up pavilions at the

A fascinating collection of bonsai trees and vertical farming models is turning out to be crowd pullers. Breathtaking floral arrangements are also part of the festival. The decorations done in traditional and western styles are a de-

light for the eyes.

The organisers have arranged various competitions at the venue. Painting and garden-making competitions have been organised for students. Competitions for fresh and dry flower arrangements and vegetable carving are major attractions for the visitors. Various cultural programmes also will be conducted every

day.

A seminar on farming has been arranged in connection with the show. The

event will conclude on January 28.



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