

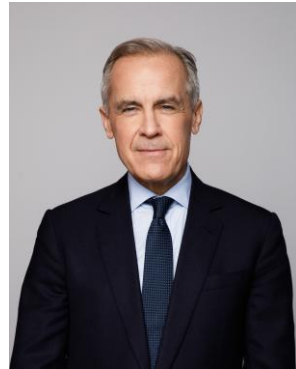


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Message from the Prime Minister of Canada

It is with great honour that I send my warmest greetings to everyone at the 24th Annual Teeyan Da Mela 2026.

Canadian women help shape our country through leadership, service, and shared responsibility. Their contributions strengthen the social and economic foundations that underly our nation. At its core, Canada's diversity is a source of strength—one that supports resilience, trust, and confidence in the future.



Today's event is an opportunity to appreciate the remarkable community. Your participation highlights the power of cultural heritage and expression to bring people together, foster understanding, and build bridges across communities and nations. At a time when connections between people matter more than ever, your performance will stand as a vibrant reflection of Canada's diversity, creativity, and shared values.

I would like to thank today's organizers for their efforts to put this important event together and each and every one of you here for your participation. In addition to your presence promoting inclusivity, it also helps celebrate and strengthen the incredible spirit, traditions, and community we have in Canada.

Please accept my very best wishes for a memorable event.

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