

## Hands-on Pottery workshop at VIIS

The art of making pottery as a living craft in India still retains its antiquity. To experience the joy of working with clay and know the essence of this craft, VIIS facilitated a one day hands-on pottery workshop on 13<sup>th</sup> February 2021. The workshop was conducted by Dr. Udaykumar from NIAS Bengaluru and was ably assisted by Sri.Govinda, a rural artisan from Mysuru. Around 30 members participated with enthusiasm and the clay artifacts made by them were cherished as their keepsakes.

## 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Sulochana Pattabhiraman Utsavam

To conclude the Utsavam for the year 2020, VIIS conceptualized a new idea of conducting a unique workshop on honing the performance skills of music students which was held at VIIS on 6<sup>th</sup> February 2021 . The workshop was conducted by Vid.Manasa Nayana and Vid.Radhesh , who shared their insights about how to manage stage fear, effective practice strategies and improving the performance skills in Music. About 28 music students participated with purpose in the workshop and it concluded with the distribution of prizes won in the music competitions held for the year.