

**EAST-WEST SCHOOL OF DANCE AND
ANANDA ASHRAM**
present
KATHAK DANCE WORKSHOP with PANDIT BIRJU MAHARAJ
JULY 14, 15 & 16, 2003 Mon - Wed

Experience first-hand the great classical tradition of the Gurukula education system, under the guidance of world-renowned **Pandit Birju Maharaj**. The program will explore the basic elements of the Lucknow style of Kathak Dance, with emphasis on rhythmic technique and abhinaya (expression), with discussion about traditional and contemporary choreography.

Pandit Birju Maharaj is a recipient of the highest civilian award, Padma Vibhushan, and the prime legatee of the Kalka-Bindadin tradition of Kathak. He is also a repository of the family art and hundreds of Bindadin's compositions. A multi-talented singer, master of many percussion instruments, and most outstanding exponent of Lucknow Gharana, Maharaji has proved his excellence as a guru, performer and choreographer.



Three Day Intensive Program

Beginners class: 2-4:30 pm \$50/day
Advanced class: 4:30-7 pm \$50/day
Both classes \$80/day Dinner: \$8

Overnight Guest Rates:
\$50/day dorm \$65/day semi-private
Call the Ashram for registration
and accommodations.

**Video taping allowed only on last day
during final practice.**

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