

Metro coach draws big crowd at *Numaish*



Visitors at the Metro Rail stall at Numaish

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More than one lakh people visited the Hyderabad Metro Rail stall at Numaish on Tuesday.

People are coming in huge numbers particularly to the stall, though there has been an unprecedented rush in the last few days because of festival holidays. "Numaish has caught the imagination of Hyderabadis. More than one lakh people visited the stall on Sankranti on Tuesday alone and the surging crowds had to be managed by a nine-member police team of HMR so as to avoid a stampede," said HMR MD NVS Reddy.

People visiting the stall are in awe of the model of the Metro coach on display. They are enthusiastically enquiring about its features and the facilities in Metro coaches and stations, routes, fares, etc. Visitors also availed of the opportunity to locate their colonies in the Metro Rail area map, which identifies residential colonies served by various Metro stations.

In view of the crowds and long queues being formed to enter the Metro stall, especially during peak hours and holidays, the MD has appealed to visitors to plan their visit to the stall during non-peak hours as far as possible.