



LOKAYAN 2026 - INS SUDARSHINI ARRIVES IN NEW YORK FOR SAIL4TH 250 CELEBRATIONS

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Indian Naval Sail Training Ship INS Sudarshini sailed into New York Port on **4 Jul 2026 to represent India at the United States International Naval Review 250 and Sail4th 250 celebrations**. During the spectacular Parade of Sail along the Hudson River, the iconic three-masted barque proudly flew the Indian Tricolour, celebrating India's rich maritime heritage and centuries-old seafaring traditions.

The visit is part of the ship's **10-month transoceanic expedition, Lokayan 2026**, which reflects the Indian Navy's commitment to strengthening maritime cooperation, building international goodwill and deepening engagement with partner navies. After successful participation in the SAIL 250 events at Norfolk and Baltimore, INS Sudarshini is now berthed at Brooklyn for the Sail4th 250 celebrations marking the **250th anniversary of the United States' independence**.

Set against the iconic New York skyline, INS Sudarshini stands as a proud symbol of India's maritime legacy. The port call represents more than a journey across the Atlantic. It reflects the enduring friendship, mutual respect, and expanding maritime partnership between India and the United States.

From the vast waters of the Atlantic to the historic harbour of New York, INS Sudarshini continues to strengthen maritime ties, carrying forward India's seafaring traditions while promoting friendship and cooperation across the world's oceans.





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