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Mela & Naach Sitaare-9/17/16

HSGC Golf Outing-9/24/16



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Shri Krishna Janmashtami

(Birthday of Lord Krishna)

Aug 25th Thursday 2016- 6.00pm to 12midnight



- 5:30pm Shri Krishna Puja & Abhishek
- 6:15 pm Archana **
- 6:30pm Procession
- 8:00 pm Aarti & Prasad /Dinner
- 9:30 pm Bhajans /Keertan / Pravachan (Shree Krishna Leela)
- 11:45 ***Shri Krishna Janmotsav Puja / Aarti & Prasad

Sponsorship For Puja * \$101.00, Archana** \$21.00 ,
***Janmotsava Puja \$251.00,

For Details please call Mangala Nemade 513-234-8373, Acharya Kailash Sharma 513-652-5382.Temple 513-528-3714

Sponsored by Jatin Agrawal & family

NAND MAHOTSAVA

Aug. 28th Sunday 10:30 am

Program

Shri Bal Krishna Puja ,Palna Darshan
Badhai to Nand Yashoda by -Vraj Vasi
Shivaji comes for Bal Krishna Darshan
Children Program Dahi--Handi by Children
Bhajan and Kirtans Thal, Arati and Mahaprasad



Sponsored by- Shrinath ji devotees

DO NOT MISS THE IMPORTANT EVENTS OF SEPTEMBER-

MELA & NAACH SITAARE ON 17TH AND GOLF OUTING ON 24TH

Oops: On page 7 August issue-Mata Ki Chauki— The date is 6th September, Saturday 2016 and not Saturday 7th.

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TEMPLE SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday: 9.00 AM-12.00 Noon & 5.00 PM-8.00 PM
Saturday & Major Hindu Holidays (Maha Shivratri, Krishna Janamashtmi, Ganesh Chaturthi, Deepawali) 9.00 AM- 8PM

Sunday: 9.00 AM- 7.00 PM (NOV.-MAR), 9AM-8PM (APR-OCT)

SPECIAL PROGRAMS ON WEEKENDS

9.15 - 9.30 AM: Suprabhatam
9.30 - 11.00 AM Daily Puja of Temple Dieties
11.00-11.30 AM Sponsored Puja
11.30-12.15 PM Bhajans
12.15-12.45 PM Religious Discourse
12.45-1.00 PM Birthdays, Anniversary Pujas
& Announcements
1.00 PM Aarti & Prasad

RELIGIOUS DISCOURSE
12.15-12.45 PM

Sundays: Upnishads
Fourth Sunday: 1008 Gayatri Jaap & Children Program
Second Sunday: Sunder Kand Path
Third Sunday:

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Accountant: Open

Members of Community are invited to speak on topics related to Hindu religion, philosophy, culture, reformation, Gurus, self-preservation, etc. If you would like to talk or like to suggest someone who August be interested, please contact Mangala Nemade

Devotees are requested to sit-in Sunday Puja as well bring Prasad & Lunch. You August wish to use this occasion to celebrate important events such as wedding anniversaries, birthdays, ishta devta puja, graduation and other memorable days. Events can be hosted by individuals, families, groups of families or organizations. Please reserve your Sunday of choice ASAP by putting your name & phone number on the calendar at the temple & calling Puja Committee members Kiran Dayal/ Meena Sondhi

Puja Information

RATES FOR PUJA & PRIEST SERVICES

SERVICES	IN TEMPLE	OUTSIDE TEMPLE
Abhishekam (All Deities)	\$101.00	—
Aksharabhyas	\$101.00	\$151.00
Anna-Prashanam	\$101.00	\$151.00
Ashta Prakari Puja (Mahavir)	\$101.00	\$151.00
Ashtoththaram (108) Archana	\$ 11.00	—
AyushyaHomam/B'day Celeb.	\$101.00	\$151.00
Ground Breaking Ceremony	—	\$151.00
Griha Pravesha (House Warming)	—	\$151.00
Griha Pravesha w/SatyaNarayan Puja	—	\$201.00
Kalayana Uthsava	\$151.00	\$201.00
Kesh Khandan/Mundan/Churakr	\$101.00	\$151.00
Naam-Karan	\$101.00	\$151.00
Navagraha Puja	\$101.00	\$151.00
Nischitartham (Engagement)	\$151.00	\$251.00
Nitya (1 Day) Kainkaryam (Seva)	\$101.00	---
Poolangi Seva (With Flowers)		
(Only During Off Winter Season)	\$101.00	—
Sahasranama (1008) Archana	\$ 51.00	---
Sathyanarayana Puja	\$101.00	\$151.00
Sathyanarayan Puja w/Havan	\$131.00	\$201.00
Seemantham(Baby Shower)	\$151.00	\$201.00
Mata Ki Chauki*	\$251.00	\$301.00
Akhand RaAugustan Paath	\$251.00	\$501.00
Shashti Poorthi (60th B'day)	\$201.00	\$251.00
Anniversary celebration	\$151.00	\$201.00
Suprabhat Seva	\$ 21.00	---
Unjal (Swing) Seva	\$ 31.00	---
Upakarma (Thread changing)	\$ 51.00	---
Upanayam/Brahmopadesham/		
Thread Ceremony	\$151.00	\$251.00
Sunderkand Path	\$101.00	\$151.00
Vahan Puja	\$ 51.00	----
Yearly Shradham (Barkhi)	\$101.00	\$151.00
Wedding (\$ 251.00 Advance Deposit required)	\$301.00	\$501.00
Funeral (Last Rites)		\$ 201.00

Priest Dakshina

All puja rates amounts do not include Priest Dakshina. Sponsors (devotees) are encouraged to provide Dakshina to Priest at their will and satisfaction. This dakshina directly goes to the Priest. A reimbursement of travel expenses for the Priest during outside puja will be required at 0.50 cents/mile .

* Rates of Mata Ki Chauki performed at another temple will be 50% of the money collected at the temple or a minimum of \$ 701.00.

Rates are subject to change without notice. Rates of Pujas not listed above and requiring less than four hours of priest's time will normally be \$ 101.00 (inside the temple) and \$ 151.00 (outside of temple). Rates of Pujas out of Greater Cincinnati will be \$100.00 more than the rates of outside Puja within greater Cincinnati area.

Temple Rental: Lower Floor Only

	Full day	Half day
Monday -Thursday (except holidays)	\$ 401.00	\$ 225.00
Friday, Saturday & Holidays	\$601.00	\$401.00
<u>Sunday after 3PM only</u>	not rented	\$401.00
Use of Kitchen	\$ 201.00	\$101.00
Use of Kitchen w/paper products	\$251.00	\$ 151.00

Full Day: 8.00 am-11.00 pm

Half Day: 8.00 am-2.00 pm or 4.00 pm—11.00 pm

Note:

All Temple rentals require a \$ 200.00 security deposit. It will be forfeited if the basement hall, upstairs, bathrooms and the kitchen area are not cleaned by the party renting the space.

CONTACTS:

To Schedule Puja— Mangala Nemade –513-234-8373
(mangalanemade@gmail.com)

To rent Lower Level –Raneshwar Gupta 232-3331

Puja Committee Announcements

If you have any question or suggestion about temple activities contact Mangala Nemade 513-234-8373 any EC Members or Temple at 528-3714.

- 1 Archana performed during temple hours by sponsorship.
2. No Archana on Sundays between 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
3. Outside Pujas and other religious services will be conducted by appointment only.
4. To schedule any Pujas please contact Puja Committee chairperson at least one week in advance.
5. Food and Prasad : To bring to temple please contact Puja Committee chairperson .
6. Pujas performed outside the temple will be rated according to the number of Pujas performed
7. Puja Samagri- for convenience of devotees, the temple can provide Puja Samagri for a donation of \$ 21.00 for any puja and \$ 31.00 for any puja including Havan/Homam
8. Cancellations of Puja should be done 3 days in advance or else the full fee for the Puja will be charged.

Important Announcement

Sunderkand CD
(sung by Acharya Kailash Sharma)
is available at the temple gift shop for \$ 10.00/each.

The money raised will go to temple.

Regular Weekly & Monthly Events at the Temple

Monthly Navgrah Puja

Every first Saturday of the Month
Sponsors needed for Puja \$51.00
For Details call

Mangala Nemade [234-8373](tel:234-8373) ; Temple priests: [528-3714](tel:528-3714)

Monthly Murugan Abhishekham /Puja

Every second Sat of the Month
Sat 4pm Sponsor Murugan Group.

Pandit Bhattar 488-2986,
Murali Annamali 827-5450,
Yasotha Subarajan [754-0578](tel:754-0578)

Priests : 529-3714; Mangala Nemade [234-8373](tel:234-8373)



Monthly Satya Narayan Puja

On Every Purnima of the Month
6:30 pm

Sponsorship \$ 51.00

To sponsor Puja call
Mangala Nemade [234-8373](tel:234-8373)
Temple priests: 528-3714



Shri Ganesh Puja & Shri Ganesh Atharvshirsha Path

Every 4th Sunday of the month 10:30AM

This Puja is dedicated to each month's

Sankashti Chaturthi to Lord Ganesh.

For more information & To Sponsor the Puja please call

Padmaja Patkar 513-847-7918, Mangala Nemade [234-8373](tel:234-8373)

Temple Priests: [528-3714](tel:528-3714)

SAI BHAJAN

Every First Sat. of month 6pm to 7:30pm
For more details please call Dr. Ganesh 857-719-1500 ,
Rajan 331-2058.



Monthly ABHISHEKAM/KALYANOTSAVAM FOR LORD SRI VENKATESWARA

4th Saturday of each month -10:30 AM-12:30PM.

To sponsor and details please call any of the following:

Anand Konda: [732-423-1539](tel:732-423-1539); Vasundhara Dasari: [513-827-5160](tel:513-827-5160)/777-3353; Suseela Paturi: [513-867-8591](tel:513-867-8591); Sunitha Manu-konda: [513-900-0605](tel:513-900-0605)/770-0255; Pandit Sri Srinath Bhat-tar: [513-488-2986](tel:513-488-2986).

1008 Gayatri Jap

Second Saturday of each month at 9.30AM

For details please contact temple priest [528-3714](tel:528-3714) or
Mangala Nemade [234-8373](tel:234-8373)

Weekly Shlv Mahlman Stotram

Every Monday at 6:30 pm



Weekly Hanuman Chalisa Path

Every Tuesday at 6:30 p m To sponsor call

Mangala Nemade [234-8373](tel:234-8373) or Temple Priests
[528-3714](tel:528-3714)



Weekly Vishnu Sahasranaam Parayana

Vishnu Sahasranaama Parayana (chanting) will now take place

Every Thursday at 7:00 pm . Please join us for the chanting.

Please contact Ganesh Sundaresan [513-752-4025](tel:513-752-4025)

Weekly Venkateswar Puja

Every Friday at 6:30pm

To sponsor Puja please call Mangala Nemade [234-8373](tel:234-8373)

Temple priests: [528-3714](tel:528-3714)

PURUSHOTTAM NAAM STOTRA PARAYAN

Every 2nd Wed. of each month

6pm to 7:30pm

details please call Mina Mehta 574-6763



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Ohio Domestic Violence 24 hour

toll free: 1-216-823-7223

Ohio Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-618-6523

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Domestic Violence

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YOU ARE NOT ALONE

AUGUST 2016

Aug	1st	Mon	Shravan Somvaar Shivabhishek 10am and 6pm Sponsorship\$101
Aug.	6th	Sat.	Rudra Yagna 10am sponsored by- Nepali group
Aug	6th	Sat.	Mata Ki Chouki 4-8pm details inside
Aug.	6th	Sat.	Navgrah Puja 3pm
Aug.	6th	Sat.	Sai Bhajan 6pm
Aug.	7th	Sun	Navchandi Yagna 10am
Aug.	7th	Sun	Nag Panchami puja 3pm
Aug.	8th	Mon	Shravan Somvaar Shivabhishek 10am and 6pm Sponsorship\$101
Aug.	10th	Wed	Purushottam Sahashra Naam Parayan 6pm
Aug.	12th	Fri	Vara Mahalakshmi Vrata 6pm
Aug.	13th	Sat.	Murugan Abhishekam 4:30pm
Aug.	14th	Sun.	Ganesh Puja & Atharvashirsh Path 11am
Aug	15th	Mon	Shravan Somvaar Shivabhishek 10am and 6pm Sponsorship\$101
Aug	17th	Wed	Upakarma 9am
Aug	18th	Thurs	Balbhadra Janmadin 11am, Raksha Bandhan, upakarma 9am
Aug	18th	Thurs	Satya Narayan Puja 6:30pm Sponsorship \$51, Puja Samagri will be provided, call ahead & come with one coconut, flowers, fruits and Prasad.
Aug	20th	Sat	Gayatri Jayanti cele.1008 Jaap & Havan 9:30am
Aug	21st	Sun	Sunderkand Path 10:30am
Aug	21st	Sun	Sankashti Chaturthi Puja 6:00pm
Aug.	22nd	Mon	Shravan Somvaar Shivabhishek 10am and 6pm Sponsorship\$101
Aug	25th	Thur	Krishna Janmashtami 6pm to midnight
Aug	27th	Sat.	Venkateshwara Kalyanam 10am Sponsorship \$51
Aug	28th	Sun	Nand Mahotsava 10:30am Sponsored by Shrinathji Devotees
Aug	29th	Mon	Last Shravan Somvaar Shivabhishek 10am and 6pm Sponsorship\$101

SEPTEMBER 2016

Sep	3 rd	Sat	Navgrah Puja 3pm
Sep	3 rd	Sat.	Sai Bhajans 6pm
Sep	3rd	Sat.	Mata Ki Chouki 4-8pm details inside
Sep	4 th	Sun.	1008 Gayatri Jaap 9:30am
Sep	4 th	Sun.	Hartalika Vrat Puja 6pm
<u>Sep</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>Mon.</u>	<u>Ganesh Chaturthi Abhishekam 10am (Actual day) : Temple open all day.9am to 8pm, sponsorship \$51, Archana \$21.</u>
<u>Sep</u>	<u>10th</u>	<u>Sat.</u>	<u>Murugan Abhishekam 4:30pm Sponsorship \$101</u>
<u>Sep</u>	<u>11th</u>	<u>Sun.</u>	<u>Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration 10am to 1pm</u> <u>Event sponsored by- Triveni .Puja sponsorship\$251 \$101.\$51.\$21</u>
Sep.	14 th	Wed.	Purushottam Sahasranaam parayan 6pm
Sep.	15 th	Thurs	Anant Chaturdashi
Sep	16 th	Fri	Mahalaya (Shraddha begins)
Sep	16 th	Fri	Satya Narayan Puja 6:30pm Sponsorship \$51.Puja Samagri will be provided, please call ahead and come with one coconut, flowers , fruits and Prasad.
Sep.	17 th	Sat.	Mela Taste of India 12noon to 8pm
Sep	18 th	Sun.	Sunderkand path 10:30am
Sep	19 th	Mon	Sankashti Chaturthi 6pm
Sep	24 th	Sat.	Matru Navami
Sep	24 th	Sat.	Venkaeteshwar Abhishekam 10am
Sep	30 th	Fri	Group Shraddha Tarpan 6:30pm Amavasya Sponsorship \$51,



श्री गुरुभ्यो नमः

Speak Samskritam

(Popularly known as Sanskrit)

Workshop in Cincinnati

[Participation knowledge prerequisite: None. Familiarity with any Indian language is an advantage. Attendance and commitment are important considerations]

Days	Sat-Sun September, 10-11th, 2016
Timing	8:30am-4:30pm both days
Venue	11825 Nathanshill Ln, Cincinnati, OH 45249
Fee	\$30 per person (Write check payable to Samskrita Bharati)

To join the class, please send an email with your name(s), address, and phone number to: murthy90232@gmail.com or call Shreedhar Murthy at 513-683-3895

The language is taught by a direct, interactive method. Participants will learn the language in a fun-filled environment. Participants will be able to converse in simple sentences in Samskritam by the end of the program.

Samskrita Bharati is a voluntary non-profit organization that is dedicated to bringing Samskritam back to daily life. By organizing camps, courses, and other activities, Samskrita Bharati is creating Samskritam-speaking communities across the United States. Experienced volunteer-instructors use an effective and natural technique similar to a child learning its native language by observing and listening to parents and siblings. Participants will learn basic skills of spoken Samskritam.

For more information about Samskrita Bharati, visit their website at:
<http://www.sanskritabharatiusa.org>

Group Shraddha Puja

Last day of Mahalaya

September 30th Friday 6:00pm

Sponsorship \$51.00. Please call ahead of time for better planning.

For more details call: Temple 513-528-3714, Acharya Kailash Sharma 652-5382. Mangala Nemade 513-234-8373, Puja Samagri will be provided.

Shri Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration

Sep 11th Sunday 2016: 10am to 1pm



10:00 am Procession
11:00 am Ganesh Puja /Atharvashirsh Path
12:00 pm Bhajans
1: 00pm Aarti /Prasad /Lunch

Sponsorship Pramukh Yajman\$251,Yajman\$101,
\$51sponsors , \$21 Archana

For details: Please call Temple 528-3714, Mangala Nemade
234-8373 & Acharya Kailash Sharma 652-5382,

Event sponsored by – TRIVENI MITRA MANDAL

MATA KI CHOUKI: August 6th, 2016 **Saturday: 4pm to 8pm**

4.00 pm Devi Durga Puja
5.00 pm First Aarti
5:30 pm Mata Bhajans /Bheten
8.00 pm Bhog, Aarti, Prasad & dinner

Sponsored by: Rakesh & Mona Govind, Ashwini & Indu
Madan, Rajesh & Parveen Sharma, Pradeep & Poonam Dharmi-
ja & Ashok & Neelima Tandon



MATA KI CHOUKI

Sep 3rd Saturday: 4pm to 8pm

4.00 pm Devi Durga Puja
5.00 pm First aarti
5:30 pm Mata Bhajans /Bheten
8.00 pm Bhog , Aarti, Prasad & dinner

Sponsored by- Rakesh & Namita Jindal,Naveen and Meena Saggi, Rohit
and Shaloo Kamra, Ramandeep Singh and Pallavi Dang,
Neeraj and Parul Agarwal.



SHRAWAN SOMVAR: Shiva -Abhishek

Aug.1st, Aug.8th, Aug.15th, Aug.22nd, Aug.29th,



10:00am to 11:30am Shiva Abhishek & Aarti (Temple closed 12noon to 5pm)

6:15pm to 7:05pm Shiva Abhishek , *Bilva Patra Archana

7:05pm to 8:00pm Shiva Mahimnaha Path , Bhajans & Aarti.

*Sponsorship: Abhishek \$101.00 , Archana \$21.00 *Bilva patra Archana (Depends on Availability of Bilva patra)*

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Janak Dave 859-371-9645. Temple 528-3714

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Rudra Yagna/ Homa Aug 6th



10am Abhishekam

11am Yagna / Homa

12:45pm Aarti followed by lunch Maha Prasad

Sponsorship: \$101, \$51.00

Sponsored by - Nepali group

NAV KUNDEEYA

NAV CHANDI YAGNA

(Umiya Mata)

AUG. 7th 2016: Sunday 10am to 1pm



10:00am Shri Ganesh Puja, Umiya Mata Puja

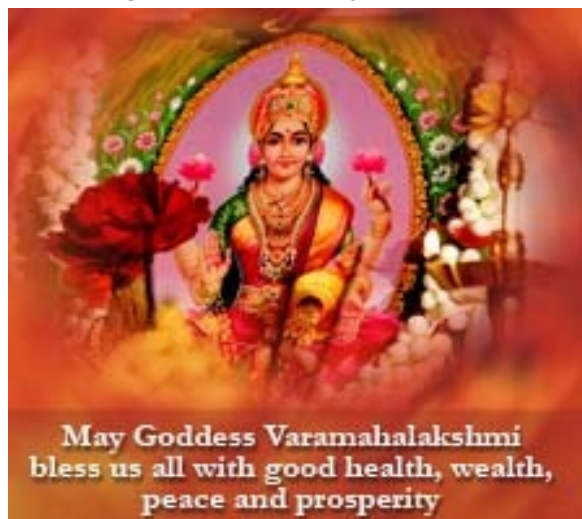
11:00am Yagna Shala Parvesh, Chandi Yagna,

12.30 .00 pm Purna Ahuti & 1.00 pm Aarti ,
followed by Mahaprasad (Lunch)

Event Sponsors needed

VARA MAHA LAKSHMI VRATA

Aug 12th Friday 6:00pm



Sponsorship \$51

For details please call: Temple 513-528-3714, Mangala Nemade 513-234-8373, Acharya Srinath Bhattar 488-2986

Gaytri Jayanti

Sat. Aug. 20th 9:30am to 1pm



1008 Gaytri Jaap and Havan
Sponsorship \$51

Nag Panchami Puja

Sunday. Aug 7th: 3:30pm



Sponsorship \$51.00

Nag Panchami is a traditional worship of serpents observed by Hindus throughout India and also in Nepal. The worship is offered on the fifth day of bright half of Lunar month of Shravan(August). The abode of snakes is believed to be patal lok, (the seven realms of the universe located below the earth) and lowest of them is also called Na-ga-loka, the region of the Nagas, as part of the creation force and their blessings are sought for the welfare of the family. Serpent deity made of silver, stone or wood or the painting of snakes on the wall are given a bath with milk and then revered. According to Garuda Purana offering prayers to snake on this day is auspicious and will usher good tidings in one's life.

HARTALIKA VRAT POOJA



Sep 4th Sunday: 6:00 P.M.

For Details call:

Temple- 513-528-3714,

Mangala Nemade 513-234-8373

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HINDU TEMPLE OF GREATER CINCINNATI

MELA (The Taste of India)

And

NAACH SITARE

**WHERE: THE HINDU TEMPLE, 720 Barg Salt Run Road, Cincinnati , OH
45244**

WHEN: Saturday September 17, 2016 Noon to 8pm

EVENTS INCLUDE:

FOOD SHOPPING GAMES PONY RIDES DANCING FESTIVAL RIDES FIREWORKS
For Booth Sponsor and Rental, please contact:

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Awards & Certificates - 6:00PM-7:00PM



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Please contact Naach Sitare Event Coordinator for additional questions

Ranjana Iyer – (513) 549-1401 hsgccultural@gmail.com

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Naach Sitare – Naya Andaz 2016

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Community News

Apna Sapna club (A Club for Seniors)

<http://asiancommunityalliance.org/apna-sapna-club/>

meets the [second Thursday of every month from 11am to 2pm](#). The volunteers from the Indian community provide transportation and other support. Payal Kohli, a social worker runs a support group format, for the first half hour, with the group with the goal of developing self-sufficiency and interdependent support system with the other seniors in the group. This is followed by a guest speaker on topics ranging from medical (hypertension/ arthritis etc), to spiritual, alternative medicine and nutrition. The topics are age and culture specific with the presenter speaking in the national language of India- Hindi. Games and raffles are integral part of this club. Seniors look forward to an afternoon of laughter and fun which the element of age-appropriate games bring along. Seniors are given opportunity in every event to present their expertise, wisdom and talent which causes the seniors to reconnect with their passion and their hobbies.

Food is a must in Indian culture. Eating meals together bonds the seniors in an informal heart-centered way. We begin with snacks and chai (Indian tea without which any Indian gathering is truly incomplete). Later we provide lunch which is either provided by restaurants at discounted rates or the volunteers in the community coordinate the menu under the guidance of Payal Kohli and Kavita Sharma.

Core team consists of Anisha Singh, Payal Kohli, Geeta Mehan and Jyoti Sachdeva along with a team of dedicated volunteers including Sangeeta Jain,

our raffle sponsor (KAMLAJI KA KHAZANA) which is dedicated in the memory of her mother, Kamla.

We had 29 seniors and 8 volunteers this month! On Mother's Day, we had a special Bollywood quiz, raffle prizes, chair yoga and a sponsored lunch.

We will now have monthly lunch sponsors for our club. This way, community members who otherwise can not come or volunteer but wish they could pitch in, will now have an opportunity to be part of Apna Sapna Seniors club, and can be lunch sponsors for \$200 (lunch is \$5 per person so far, and we need food for roughly 40 people). A monthly sign up sheet will be released.

With 29 seniors, the room at the office is becoming too small. So we may need to move out of that space for a larger space. If anyone has any ideas, please e-mail us.

For details please email: Anisha Singh: anishasinghmd@gmail.com, Geeta Mehan: mehangeeta@gmail.com, Sangita Jain: sangeetajain7@yahoo.com

Next Meeting: 11 am to 2 pm: [Holiday Inn Express 5100 Natorp Boulevard, Mason, OH 45040](#) courtesy Smita Patel

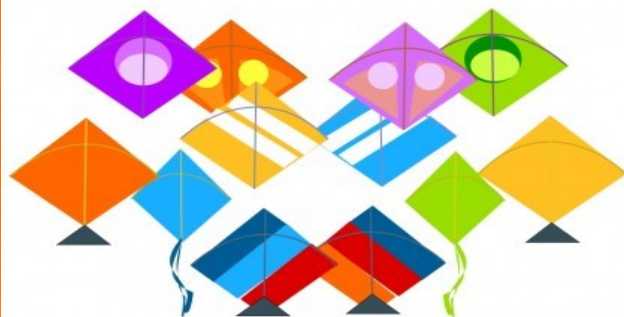
PROGRAM : [Intersection of Culture, Immigration and Depression by Dr. Renu Kotwal \(Psychiatrist\)](#)

>> Hobby Club : Knitting for Charity By Mrs. Manju Gupta She will give all the material to people who are interested, and she will how do make the scarves in a short time. Members will bring these finished scarves in September. These will be collected and given to Mrs. Manju Gupta who will then donate to needy kids. She has done this with a lot with her students. She is a school teacher. Since knitting was of interest to many when we discussed about hobby clubs in January, it will be a good way to at least begin one club and then we can gradually introduce more clubs.

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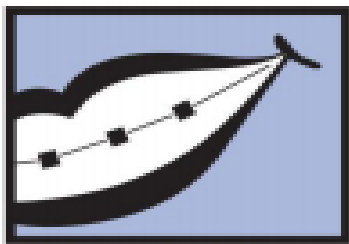
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