



Satsang Sandesh

India Temple Association, Inc.

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Religious Calendar

- 10-Jun** Nirjala Ekadashi
Bheem Agiyaras
Gayatri Jayanti
- 14-Jun** Purnima
Sant Kabir Jayanti
Satyanarayana Puja
- 18-Jun** Sudarkanda Paath
- 24-Jun** Yogini Ekadashi

Temple Hours

Saturday & Sunday

9:30AM -12:30 PM
4:30-8:30 PM

Monday to Friday

10:30 AM to 12:30 PM
5:30 to 8:30 PM

Entry through
Front Door Only
(856)768-3134

Satyanarayan Puja

Tuesday, June 14th– 6 PM

Sundarkanda Paath

Saturday, June 18th– 6 PM

VIKRAM SAMVAT 2078 / 2022

CALENDAR AVAILABLE ONLINE AT <https://www.indiatemple.org/>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **BalVihar enrollment is open and limited spots remain.**
- **For security reasons, we will be keeping the Temple's doors locked. When visiting the Temple during open hours, please dial 856-768-3134 to be admitted. Also when leaving the Temple, please make sure that the door closes completely behind you. Thank you for your support.**

SPECIAL PRAYERS

ITA has a program whereby you can have prayers performed on your behalf every year on a special day in your life by pledging \$301. Shri. Bhupendra Shuklaji or Shri Sudhir Jhaji will perform a special puja on your behalf, or the regular temple puja performed on the designated day will be dedicated in your name. Below are the donors for this month.

Dunthur & Yedahalli Uttaswamy	2-Jun	Dahyabhai & Taraben Patel	13-Jun
Kartik Patel	4-Jun	Santosh Khurana	19-Jun
Meghan & Melanie Patel	4-Jun	Rita Dube	21-Jun
Milan Patel	6-Jun	Rushikesh Parghi	21-Jun
Bharat Gandhi	7-Jun	Ishvar Patel	22-Jun
Dinesh Patel	8-Jun	Rushikesh Parghi	25-Jun
Ramesh Gupta	12-Jun	Kalavati Desai	29-Jun
Rushikesh Parghi	12-Jun	Kartik & Dupta Patel	29-Jun
Hemali Puttaswamy & Vaishali Kothari	13-Jun		

PROGRAMS FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH, HEALTH, HAPPINESS & GOD REALIZATION

See ITA Website for Virtual Daily Prayer & Aarti Times

Vishnu Sahasranamam & Lalitha Sahasranamam will be recited on 1st Friday of each month starting at 10:30 AM.

Satya Sai Baba of Medford Bhajans 3rd Friday of each month from 8-9pm on Zoom
Contact P.K. Prabhakar (856) 596 3147/ Sessa Vemuri (856) 751-0687 for details.

Bhajan Sandhya (In person first Friday of every month from 7:30PM to 8PM)
led by Venugopal Varma (609) 598-4038

Bhagavat Gita Study organized by Sharad Pimplaskar (856) 466-1430.

ITA Senior Social Group
Currently meeting weekly

Contact Vinita Ganju (609) 744 8558 for additional information.

Yoga and Pranayama Classes at Berlin Mandir - CANCELED
Contacts: Dr. Veena Gandhi (856) 816 4095 & Hina Desai (856) 435 9148

PROGRAMS FOR SENIORS BY HSC OF SJ

There will be two General Body meetings this month June 9th and June 23rd at ICC.

June 9th, 2022 at 6:15 PM

FATHER'S Day will be celebrated in our First meeting on June 9 and each Father is going to get a GIFT. Mrs. Aditi Mehta, a registered Pharmacist will talk on Medicines related issues, benefits of OTC vitamins and supplements, Special Medical Supplies, Free Testing of Covid, Sugar etc. Aditi graduated in Pharmacy from Ahmedabad. She worked in India as a Pharmacist. After moving to USA, she obtained her Pharmacist Registration & worked in the Nutraceutical industry for 3 years. She is a young Entrepreneur and recently has opened her own Pharmacy store (White Horse Pharmacy beside India Bazar) in Stratford, NJ. Aditi has been working in the retail pharmaceutical industry since 2015. She is dedicated to providing excellent healthcare to our community. She has 2 children & lives with her husband in NJ. The 6 minutes speaker will be Virendra Gupta. .

June 23rd, 2022 at 6:15 PM

This will be a BINGO Game night. For the first time in the history of HSC SJ all of us will play the BINGO Game. Each of us will get a Score Card. There will be 5 cash prizes. The rules will be explained to you prior to the start of the game.

Snacks will be served in both the meetings.

Please go to www.hinduseniors.com for more information.

Yogi Virendra K. Gupta & HSC EC team members

Condolences

It is with a very heavy heart that we share the sad news that Smt. Suvarna Akshay Kothari, age 76, passed away on Sunday, May 22, 2022, in Mount Laurel, NJ. She was the beloved wife of Akshay Kothari, the loving mother of Himali Kothari and Vaishali Shah and the adored grandmother of Sohan and Sayuri Shah.

The ITA and its Trustees extend their sincere condolences to the Kothari, Sheth and Shah families. We pray that her soul may find peace and that God gives strength to her family and friends to cope with this unexpected and devastating loss.



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BALVIHAR PROGRAM

Enrollment for 2022/23 OPEN

- Purpose:** To teach Vedic Heritage and Indian Culture to children (Pre-K to 8th Grade).
Details: Explore website for detailed curriculum by grade and general schedule.
https://www.indiatemple.org/bal_vihar.php
Format: We hope to return to in person learning for 2022/2023, however, circumstances could necessitate use of a remote format.
Timing: 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM on designated Sundays
Dates: 16 Sundays starting in Sept. & Ending in May.
Location: Marlton Middle School (150 Tomlinson Mill Road, Marlton, NJ)

Fees / Enrollment:
ITA MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED

Early Enrollment (May 16 to June 1): \$214
 Regular Enrollment (After June 2): \$231

Fees are NOT REFUNDABLE for any reason.

Space in the program is VERY limited. We encourage community members to enroll early.

PUJA SERVICE & TEMPLE RENTAL FEES

Shri Shuklaji /Shri Sudhirji perform religious services on request. Please contact Anoo Joshi at (855) MY-MANDIR Ext 715 to schedule a Puja Service or Rental of Temple facilities.

<u>Puja Services</u>	<u>MEMBER</u>		<u>NON-MEMBER</u>	
	Inside Temple	Outside* Temple	Inside Temple	Outside* Temple
Archana	\$11		\$11	
Vahan Pooja	\$25		\$25	
Namkaran/Annaprashan	\$51	\$101	\$101	\$151
Birthday	\$51	\$101	\$101	\$151
Shradha	\$51	\$101	\$101	\$151
Anniversary Celebration	\$101	\$151	\$151	\$201
Kesh Mundan	\$101	\$151	\$151	\$201
Satyanarayan Pooja	\$121	\$151	\$201	\$251
Engagement Ceremony	\$101	\$201	\$151	\$251
Havan/Graha Shanti	\$201	\$251	\$251	\$301
Vastu Pooja-Outside Only		\$251		\$301
Wedding per day	\$401	\$501	\$501	\$551
Upanayan/Yagnopavit	\$251	\$301	\$301	\$351
Uttarkriya Per day -Outside Only		\$151		\$201
Yagna/laghu rudra-Outside Only		\$351		\$401
Navchandi Yagna-Outside Only		\$651		\$701
Antim Kriya		No Charge		No Charge

*IRS defined per mile charge applied when puja requires greater than 20 miles of travel.
 In addition to their base salary, Pujaris receive 50% of Outside Puja Services payment as compensation.

<u>Facility Rental Fees</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Non-Member</u>
Prayer Hall Rental	\$201	\$251
Social Hall Rental	\$301	\$351

Send address changes or Membership renewals to:
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