CANADA SABHA OF CHITRAPUR SARASWATS

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Upcoming Satsang
- Important Dates

INSIDE THIS ISSUE:

ANZ Sammelan 2

Annual Math 2
Vantiga

SVBF Activities 3

Lord Shree 4 Umamaheshwar



Sweekar

(CSCS NEWSLETTER)

VOLUME 5, ISSUE I



APRIL 201

Greetings



Canada Sabha of Chitrapur Sarswats wishes all the members a very

Happy Ugadi and Gudi Tadva!!

Upcoming Satsang

Maya and Vivek Kulkarni cordially invites CSCS members to join in for Sunday Jun 19, 2011 Satsang to celebrate the Birthday of H.H.Parijnanashram Swamiji III at thier residence 3727 Queenstone Drive, Mississauga. Please send your RSVP by June 11th to Maya Kulkarni at 905-566-7908. The Satsang from 11:30 to 1 pm will be followed by Prasad Bhojan courtesy of the host. Your presence will be appreciated. The directions will be provided later. Prasad bhojan will be followed by Annual general Meeting from 2:30 to 3 pm to go over the items for fiscal period Apr 1, 2010 to Mar 31, 2011.

Important Dates in April and May

Apr 4	Ugadi
Apr 11	Vardhanti at Shirali—HH Parijnanashram Swamiji II, Sannidhi
Apr 12	Shri Ramnavami
Apr 18	Rathotsava at Shirali Math—150th Year
Apr 19	Mrigabete Ustava—Shri Chitrapur Math, Shirali
Apr 20	Avabhrata (Okkuli) - Shri Chitrapur Math Shirali
Apr 24	Vardhanti at Shirali—HH Panduranga Swamiji, Sannidhi
May 1	Punyatithi at Gokarn—H.H. Prijnanashram Swamiji I
May 4 to 11	Brahma-Kalsshanga-Rathostava at Shri Anantheshwar Temple, Vittal
May 27	Vardhanti at Gokarn—HH Parijnanashram Swamiji I

Annual Math Vantiga

Paying the annual Math vantiga is not mandatory. But it is a sacred duty of every bhanap who is gainfully employed. Math depends on the vantigas for sevas performed for daily, viniyogas and maintenance of all sacred samadhis and math facilities. Even though the vantiga can be given at any time during the fiscal year, the members are requested to remit their annual vantiga preferably in the beginning of the year. Those who are not certain whether they have paid their vantigas can call the Sabha Treasurer Vinayak Shanbhag (email: vvshanbhag@yahoo.com or ph: 905-286-4896) at any time .

We have remitted all the vantiga collected so far to the Math. It is hoped that the members will pay their 2010-2011 and 2011-2012 vantigas as soon as possible.

FUTURE SATSANGS

Those who wish to sponsor future satsangs are requested to contact Maya Kulkarni.

Australia-New Zealand Meet—April 2011

Venue: Quakers Hills Community Hall, Quakers Hill, Sydney

Dates: Friday 22nd and Saturday 23rd April 2011, (Easter long weekend)

Catering: This is a fully catered event where in all participants will be provided with breakfast, lunch, afternoon tea/coffee and dinner for the two days.

Program: Include a variety entertainment program and potentially one outdoor activity, monthly Satsang and AGM during this event.

Accommodation/Hosting: Some Sydney based members have agreed to host guests. All are cordially invited to participate in this Meet. Please RSVP to s gulwadi@yahoo.com.au.

Math Calendar

Math calendar for April 2011 to March 2012 has been published. CSCS has sponsored a page for month of June. We have requested the calendar organizing Committee to send us limited number of printed copies.

We would greatly appreciate any financial contributions by members of CSCS group towards the Math calendar expense. The Math calendar is an excellent information pool for all the Math activities related to special events.

Mementos of Shrimath Ananteshwar Temple

Two types of Mementos are offered from the old 'Tamrashaasan'- the larger one at Rs.5,000/- and the smaller one at Rs.2,000/- each. These mementos have Lord Anantheshwar's emblem.

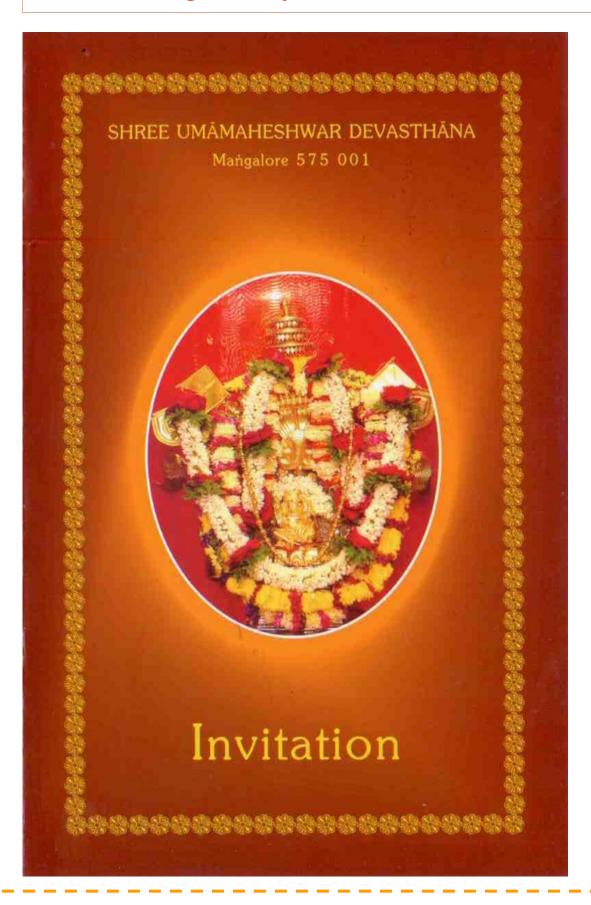
Kindly see the attached photo of the two Mementos.

These Mementos are made out of the old 'Tamrashaasan', of the Temple, which was replaced last year. It has a rich and sacred heritage. It was placed during the regime of Param Guru Shrimat Vamanashram Swamiji in the year 1835-36. Hence it merits utmost reverence and worship and in view of its 'Prasad Value', it is our sincere desire that it should adorn each and every devotee's Deity room.

For Booking the above mementos, kindly contact Committee Members of Shrimath Anantheshwar Temple Renovation Committee Mumbai OR Local Sabha Representatives of Mumbai, Pune, Bangalore, Mangalore OR Shrimath Anatheshwar Temple, Vittal - 574243 (D.K.)



Prathishta Programme of Lord Shree Umamaheshwar



Prathishta Programme of Lord Shree Umamaheshwar

SHREE UMĀMAHESHWAR DEVASTHĀNA

Mangalore 575 001

Dear Devotees,

Invoking the Blessings of Lord Shree Umamaheshwar and our Parama Pújya Swamiji, the Board of Trustees is pleased to inform all of you that the 'Jirnodhara of the Garbha-grha' has been completed on schedule.

The Pratishtha of the Lord in the Garbha-grha will be performed at the Divine Hands of our Parama Pújya Swāmīji on Monday March 21 st, 2011 at 10:11 a.m.

We cordially invite all the devotees to be present on the occassion and seek the Blessings of Lord Shree Umamaheshwar and Parama Pujya Swamiji.

We request all the devotees to participate in all the religious rituals which will commence from Friday March 18th, 2011 as per the detailed schedule provided herewith.

We appeal to all the devotees to contribute liberally to the 'Jirnodhara of the Garbha-grha'. All Cheques/Demand Drafts may be drawn in favour of 'Shree Umamaheshwar Temple.'

Yours in the Service of Lord Shree Umamaheshwar, Guru and Guruparampara,

For Shree Umamaheshwar Devasthana, Mangalore

Dr. Prakāsh Rāo S. Kodiāl

Managing Trustee

Dr. Krishnanand S. Hattangady Trustee

Shri Mahesh L. Bondal

Trustee

Published Articles

Following are list of articles that were published in Sweekar volume 4, Issues 1-12 April 2010 to Mar 2011

May 2010: 2009 Tercentenary Scholarships Award presentation

August 2010: Age of Saraswat Community by Dr, Kanak Raval; Guru Purnima in Karla by Vanita

Kumta

September 2010: H.H. Anandashram Swamiji

October 2010: H.H. Parijnanashram Swamiji II; H.H. Shankarashram Swamiji I; Chaturmas 2010"A beautiful description of Seemollangan" by Vanita Kumta December 2010: H.H. Keshavashram Swamiji; H.H. Krishnashram Swamiji;

H.H. Vamanashram Swamiji

March 2011: H.H. Parijnanashram Swamiji III; NRI Sanskriti Prachar Shibir 2010 report by Chirag

Amembal, Advait Amembal et al;

Kar Seva Shibir

With the blessings of Parama Pujya Shrimat Sadyojat Shankarashram Swamiji, the Kara Seva Shibir this year will be held for Chitrapur Saraswat youth as per details given below:

The Shibir is being co-ordinated by Shri Krishnanand Heblekar, (Pune) and organized by Shri Niranjan Nagarkatte, (Santacruz, Mumbai)

- Venue: Shri Chitrapur Math, Shirali
- Dates: Sunday, May 15 to Sunday, May 22, 2011.
- Reporting: May 15, 2011, early morning, at Shri Chitrapur Math, Shirali.
- Departure: May 22, 2011, after 1500 hrs.
- Eligibility: Yuvas between 15 and 35 years of age. Students who have appeared for their 10th Std. exams are eligible.
- Objective: The primary objective will be Kara Seva in the Math premises and farms at Kembre and Bengre and familiarisation with all the daily Math activities.
- The last date for registration is 25th April 2011.

Contact persons for any information will be Pramukh Sanchalak Shri Niranjan Nagarkatte, niranjan2610@gmail.com (+919821810204), or Shri Krishnanand Heblekar, kn.heblekar@gmail.com (+919822116926)

For registration forms:-

Contact Aniruddh Nagarkatte: aninag_neo@yahoo.com +919833818714 Or Siddhartha Ray: ray-siddh@yahoo.co.in at +919892130780

Yuvas are urged to avail of this opportunity to connect with our Math and seek the blessings of our glorious Guru Parampara.

Canada Sabha of Chitrapur Saraswats (CSCS) Chitrapur Heritage of Canada Inc. (CHCI)

Board of Trustees: Maya Kulkarni, Vivek Kulkarni, Kishore Nadkarni, Vinayak Shanbhag, Ganesh Shenoy, Pramod Udiaver, Gautam Ullal.

Editorial Team: Mahesh Nileshwar, Vivek Kulkarni, Sadanand Mankikar, Ganesh Shenoy Web: Deepali and Vinayak Shanbhag

Contact:

3727 Queenston Drive, Mississauga, Ontario, L5C 2H4

Phone: (905) 566-7908 www.canadasabha.com info@canadasabha.com Articles for publication as well as questions, inquiries etc. may be forwarded by e-mail to Vivek Kulkarni (kulkarni77@rogers.com) or Sadanand Mankikar

(<u>sadanand.mankikar@gmail.com</u>) or by mail to 3727 Queenston Drive, Mississauga, Ontario, L5C 2H4.