



Vaishnav Temple of New York
 100 Lakeville Road
 New Hyde Park, NY 11040
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<http://www.haveli.org>
 Holi – Rangotsav Sunday March 16, 2008

પરમ ભગવાદૈય વૈષ્ણવ,
 વૈષ્ણવ મંદિરના આધ્યાત્મિક આશ્રયદાતા પૂજ્ય પાદ ગોસ્વામી ૧૦૮ શ્રીમધુરેશ્વરજી મહારાજશ્રી
 તથા પૂજ્ય પાદ ગોસ્વામી સુ શ્રીકિન્દિરાભદ્રીજી મહોદયાના અનન્ય અનુગ્રહ થકી,
 શ્રીગોવર્ધનનાથજી મંદિર ખાતે રંગોત્સવ ના મનોરથ નુ આયોજન કરેલ છે. શ્રીનાથજી બાવા
 તથા શ્રીવલ્લભના કૃપાપાત્ર, આપ સહુ વૈષ્ણવોને આ અનેરા પ્રસંગે પધારવા પધારવા અમરું
 આમ્રાહ્લયુર્નિવેદન છે.

- દરેકી મંડળના જયશ્રીકૃષ્ણ

Directions to the Temple

From I95 N/S: Take Throg's Neck /Whitestone Br. Take Cross Island Pkwy toward Long Island. Take exit #28A towards Hillside Ave/RT 25B, Turn left go 1.9 Mile, Turn Right on Lakeville Road

From Verizon Br. Take Belt PKWY East, which becomes Cross Island Pkwy North. Take exit #27 toward Jericho Tpke/Jamaica Ave. Bear left on 244 St. Turn Right on Jamaica Ave. Go 1.2 Mile on Jamaica Ave. becomes Jericho Tpke. Turn Left on Lakeville Road

From Eastern Long Island: Take Northern PKWY West Take Exit #25S on Northern State PKWY Merge in to Lakeville Road South

From Queens: Take Long Island Expressway (495) East Take Exit #33, Lakeville Road Take Right at the traffic light (Lakeville Road), Drive approximately 2 mile Pass Hillside Avenue And arrive at 100 Lakeville Road on your left (Between Hillside Ave and Jericho Tpke)

By Bus: Take N24 Bus from Hillside Ave and 168 Street and get off at Jericho Tpke and Lakeville Road. Temple is at 100 Lakeville Road.

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રંગોત્સવ – Holi Festival of Colors



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રવિવાર માર્ચ ૧૬, ૨૦૦૮
બપોરે ૧૨:૦૦ – ૧:૩૦ ફાગ ખેલ
૧:૩૦ – ૨:૦૦ હળવો નસ્તો
૨:૩૦ – ૪:૩૦ સત્સંગ
૪:૩૦ – પ્રીતિ ભોજન

Holi

Sunday March 16th, 08
Noon- 1:30 PM Holi
Utsav
1:30 – 2:00 Snacks
2:30 – 4:30 Satsang
4:30 – Preeti Bhojan

This year Rangotsav/Holi will be celebrated using instead of colors flowers in order to keep our premises clean. Please do not bring any colors from home.

Rangotsav/Holi Manorathi: Jatin And Shivani Thakker
Mark Your Calendar for upcoming next event

Mahaprabhuji Prakatotsav

Sunday May 4th, 2008

Please send your e-mail address to vaishnavtempleofny@yahoo.com if you would like to include your e-mail in temple e-mailing list.

2008 Programs List

Utsav's list of Calendar year 2008

| Month | Date | Day | Program |
|-------|----------|-----------|--|
| March | 16 | Sunday | Jaher Utsav Dolotsav |
| March | 21 | Friday | Dolotsav |
| May | 2 | Friday | Mahaprabhuji's Prakatotsav |
| May | 4 | Sunday | Mahaprabhuji's Prakatotsav Jaher Utsav |
| June | 13,14,15 | | Jaher 20 th Patotsav |
| July | 19 | | Hindola Prarambh |
| Aug | 16 | Saturday | Raksha Bandhan |
| Aug | 18 | | Hindola Vijay |
| Aug | 24 | Sunday | Janmashtmi |
| Aug | 25 | Monday | Nand Mahotsav |
| Aug | 31 | Sunday | Jaher Utsav Nand Mahotsav |
| Sept | 30 | | Navratri Starts |
| Oct | 8 | | Navratri Ends |
| Oct | 9 | Thursday | Dashera |
| Oct | 14 | Thursday | Sharad Purnima |
| Oct | 26 | Sunday | Dhan Teras |
| Oct | 28 | Tuesday | Diwali |
| Oct | 29 | Wednesday | New Year |
| Nov | 2 | Sunday | Ankut |
| Nov | 9 | Sunday | Dev Uthi Agiyaras (Tulsi Vivah) |

Due to unforeseen reasons there may be change in the day and date of the program.

Along with being a worship place Vaishnav Temple of New York is also a community center. VTNY is involved heavily in community activities such as Gujarati Language classes, Indo-American Senior Citizen center of NY, Yoga Classes, Health Fair, cultural activities, satsang, Pushtimargiya and Hinduism related literature library and many more activities. You are requested to participate actively in any or all of the activities listed above. Please contact listed numbers for more information.

A path of God's grace - a path of devotion that binds devotee and his God in nothing but pure selfless love. This maximum total unconditional surrender to LORD KRISHNA (SHRINATHJI) can only happen to bhakti jiva who is eligible to offer pure worship to God. Trustees and Executive committee members request each of you Vaishnav to take part of these wonderful moments of Shriji Sewa. We need your continuous support for temple as well as Community Center.

| શ્રી ગોવર્ધનનાથજી મંદિર સેવા - ન્યોછાવર Vaishnav Temple of New York Sewa - Nyochhawar | | |
|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Sewa / સેવા | Daily/ દૈનિક | Annual / ક્રમ્મી |
| Mangala Sewa / મંગળા સેવા | \$75 / \$૭૫ | \$751 / \$૭૫૧ |
| Palna Sewa / પલના સેવા | \$151 / \$૧૫૧ | \$1,501 / ૧,૫૦૧ |
| Palna - Gold Sewa / સોનાના પલનાની સેવા | \$201 / \$૨૦૧ | \$2,001 / \$૨,૦૦૧ |
| Rajbhog Sewa / રાજભોગ સેવા | \$201 / \$૨૦૧ | \$2,001 / \$૨,૦૦૧ |
| Shayan Sewa / શયન સેવા | \$101 / \$૧૦૧ | \$1,001 / \$૧,૦૦૧ |
| Full Day Sewa / આખા દિવસની સેવા | \$501 / \$૫૦૧ | \$5,001 / \$૫,૦૦૧ |
| Annkut Sewa / અન્નકુટ સેવા | \$151 / \$૧૫૧ | \$1,501 / \$૧,૫૦૧ |
| Flowers (one Week) Sewa / સાપ્તાહિક ફૂલની સેવા | \$101 / \$૧૦૧ | \$1,001 / \$૧,૦૦૧ |
| Fruits (one week) Sewa / સાપ્તાહિક ફળની સેવા | \$51 / \$૫૧ | \$501 / \$૫૦૧ |
| Paan (one week) Sewa / સાપ્તાહિક પાન-બીડાની સેવા | \$51 / \$૫૧ | \$501 / \$૫૦૧ |
| Milk (one week) Sewa / સાપ્તાહિક દુધની સેવા | \$101 / \$૧૦૧ | \$1,001 / \$૧,૦૦૧ |
| Neg Sewa / નેગ સેવા | \$75 / \$૭૫ | \$751 / \$૭૫૧ |
| Hindola Sewa / હિન્દોળા સેવા | \$201 / \$૨૦૧ | - |
| Bhajan Sandhya - (Privately Organized) * Sewa / ભજન સંધ્યા | \$151 / \$૧૫૧ | - |

* - must hire cleaning service or reimburse to temple ભજન સંધ્યા માટે સફાઈ નો ચાર્જ અલગ લાગશે.

ગુજરાતી શિક્ષણ ના વર્ગો દર રવિવારે સવારે ૧૧:૦૦ થી ૧૨:૩૦ સંપર્ક: શ્રીમતી દર્શનાબેન કાપડીયા - ૭૧૮ ૨૭૫-૭૫૮૨ સંપર્ક: શ્રીમતી વૈશાલી શાહ - ૭૧૮ ૪૬૩ - ૫૪૧૭

ઈન્ડો-અમેરિકન સીનીઅર સીટીઝન સેન્ટર માહિતી અર્થ સંપર્ક : અશ્વિન પંડયા ૫૧૬-૨૮૨-૮૭૪૧, રજનીકાંતભાઈ શાહ ૫૧૬-૩૫૪-૩૦૨૬ ચંદુભાઈ પટેલ ૭૧૮-૭૭૬-૩૬૧૮ અથવા કાંતીભાઈ પટેલ ૫૧૬-૩૫૨-૦૨૩૪ .

દરેક વૈષ્ણવને તનુજા અને વિત્તજા સેવા આપવા આ નવા વર્ષે માં અમારી હાર્દિક અપીલ છે. આપનું નામ Volunteer Service માટે નોંધાવવા સેતુ શાહ નો સંપર્ક ૭૧૮-૪૬૩-૫૪૧૭ ઉપર કરવા વિનંતી છે.

Volunteers are needed for the following activities:

- ☞ Cooking
- ☞ Flowers Haar and Tora for Shri Thakorji Seva
- ☞ Shaak Ghar Seva for Shri Thakorji
- ☞ Prasad Distribution
- ☞ Mail Distribution
- ☞ Decoration during major utsavs

સત્સંગ માહિતી અર્થ સંપર્ક : ડો. નલિનિબહેન પરીખ: ૫૧૬ ૭૮૧-૮૬૦૨ ડો. ઈન્દ્રવદન શાહ: ૫૧૬ ૩૨૬-૨૩૭૫

યોગ ના વર્ગો દર રવિવારે સવારે ૧૧:૩૦ થી ૧:૦૦ સંપર્ક: શ્રીમતી રૂપા ધારિયા - ૫૧૬ ૭૪૧-૮૬૪૮ Starting from 1st week in April 2008



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Heighlights of Shriji Nutan Nadlay Pravesh Mahotsav

(Oct 19 to Oct 28, 2007)

| Darshan Schedule | |
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| Darshan | May 1st - October 31st November 1st - April 30 |
| Mangala | 08:00 AM - 08:30 AM 08:00 AM - 08:30 AM |
| Shringar | 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM |
| Rajbhog | 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM |
| Utthapan | 05:00 PM - 05:30 PM 04:30 PM - 05:00 PM |
| Sandhya Aarti | 06:00 PM - 07:00 PM 05:30 PM - 06:30 PM |
| Shayan | 08:00 PM - 08:30 PM 07:30 PM - 08:00 PM |



For More Information contact

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| Dr. Arvind Shah | 516 626 0554 | Setu Shah | 718 463 5417 |
| Kirit Parikh | 516 735 8707 | Navin Shah | 718 831 9288 |
| Dr. I.C. Shah | 516 326 2375 | Temple | 516 354 7583 |

We all know that New York weather is very challenging. During heavy rain on Oct 19 approximately 350-400 Vaishnavs took advantage of Shayan Darshan (Giriraj upper bangle na darshan Last Manorath) at old temple (196-43, foothill Ave., Hollis, NY 11423). P.P. Goswami 108 Shri Mathureswarji Maharajshri and P.P. Goswami 108 Shri Pritirajbetiji were present at this auspicious event. The next day (Saturday Oct 20) at approximately 3:00 PM Shri Govardhanathiji started his prasnan to new temple in a decorated float. Approximately 4000 vaishnavs, live band, various singing groups, and various community leaders were present at this shobha yatra which started at Bryant Ave on Lakeville Road around 4:00 PM. At 5.30 PM Shrinathji gave all the present vaishnavs chance to touch ShrijiBawa's pious Feet. On Sunday Oct 21, 2007 approximately 1500 vaishnavs took advantage of Shriji's Pratham darshan and celebrated Nand Mahotsav at new temple (100 Lakeville Road) at 3:00 PM and onwards. Shri Praduman Shastriji performed all vidhi for "Purushottam Avirbhav". On this auspicious event of Shriji entering new nandalay various manoraths and programs took place. Monday there was Rajdarbar Manorath. Tuesday there was asnth chhap darbar manorath. Wednesday Shri Govardhanathiji gave darshan in Van Vihar Manorath. Thursday it was Shardotsav. VTNY had arranged special program from various famous singers from India. They sang fantastic Bhajans and followed by Raas and Garba. Vaishnavs really enjoyed raas and garba by this group of talented artists. Friday Shriji gave darshan with Kunjvaro Manorath. Saturday in the morning Shriji gave darshan of Mansi Ganga. Saturday PM there was Vivah Khel darshan and Kids cultural program. Approximately 55-60 kids participated in this event. Major theme was songs and bhajans related to Krishna. Approximately 500 vaishnavs were present at this program. On Oct 28, 2007 Sunday the entire event concluded with Raas and Garba by famous artist Lalit Sodha and party. Everyday we were spiritually delighted by spiritual disclosers on various topics from P.P. Goswami 108 Shri Mathureswarji Maharajshri and P.P. Goswami 108 Shri Pritiraja betiji. Various kirtankars were also there to offer their singing on praises of Lord Shrinathji. We thank all manorathis, donors, vaishnavs and volunteers who helped us to make this event very successful. Your continuous support is requested going forward in all temple and community related activities those are organized by temple management.