



# श्री विश्व सनातनधर्म मन्दिर Shree Vishwa Sanaatan-Dharma Mandir 132 WHITEHORSE ROAD CROYDON SURREY CR0 2LA (U.K.)

In Memory of Late Shri Parshotam Lal Bhagat Abbott & Late Smt Parvesh Bhagat Abbott

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## सानातान धर्मा मेसज Jai Mata Di

### What is Sanaatan Dharma?

Sanaatana Dharma is a code of ethics, a way of living through which one may achieve moksha (enlightenment, liberation).

### MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN:

We thank you all on behalf of the Mandir Founders , Trustees for attending Satsang & festival regularly. We also take this opportunity to thank all the Volunteers for hosting and participating in serving Prasad to Maa Durga and all its devotees.

### PRAN PRTHISHTA CEREMONY:

**The Praan Prthishta ceremony will be on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2015 to 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2015. Pooja Ceremony will start in the evening at 5.00pm and will complete on 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2015 at 7.00pm**

**Any Devotees who wish to participate as YAJMAN on the days of the ceremony, please contact Mandir Management as soon as possible by e-mail / phone. To avoid disappointment.**

In the meantime the Mandir services will continue as usual and all weekly programmes will remain unchanged. Daily Evening AARTY will be performed at normal time.

### Trustees:

Shree Dr. H P Abbot  
Pandit Sh. Veerendra Rishi  
Pandit Sh. Dr Venkat Joshi  
Pandit Cllr. Sh. Raju Pandya

### Chairman:

Shree Nitin Mehta, MBE

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Smt. Ramaben Singadia

Mandir Purohit/ Acharya Ji  
Vacancy :

### Event Organiser:

Smt. Usha Kapil

### Maha Prasad Organisator:

:Smt . Badra Parmar

### Newsletter Editor:

Mandir Management

### This month Special Pooja: March 2015

Devotees wishing to be a Yajman in the Saturday or Sunday  
congregation to celebrate an occasion  
Have Havan, naming, mundan, weddings and Ved Path etc

(IF ANY DEVOTEE WISH TO HOST OR BOOK SPECIAL OCASSION PROGRAMMES, PLEASE CONTACT PANDIT JI / MANDIR MANAGEMENT/ MAHA PRASAD ORGANISOR A S A P ON 07956348676)

The Management appeal to all Yajman that dry Prasad should only be served in the Mandir after Aarti , includes Halwa (Sheera). All other food Prasad should be served from the Top Floor Hall . This decision has been taken based on suggestions received from various devotees

### EDUCATIONAL ENQUIRY

We have received enquiry regarding Hindi / Sanskrit classes and have details of 3 Students to start immediately.

We now require a volunteer "HINDI / SANSKRIT Teacher for beginner classes to be held on on Saturday and Sunday in the MANDIR PREMISES FREE OF CHARGE for all ages of children. Any Devotee who is interested to offer their time, please contact Educational Team by e-mail on [mail@vishvasanatadharam.org](mailto:mail@vishvasanatadharam.org)

## This month's Festival:

EKADASHI	एकादशी	01-03-2015	SUNDAY
HOLIKA DAHAN	होलिका दहन	05-03-2015	THURSDAY
PURNIMA	पूर्णिमा	05-03-2015	THURSDAY
HOLI	होली	06-03-2015	FRIDAY
SANKRANTI (CHAITRA)	संक्रांति (चैत्र)	14-03-2015	SATURDAY
EKADASHI	एकादशी	16-03-2015	MONDAY
PANCHAK BEGINS 01.29 AM	पंचक आरंभ	18-03-2015	WEDNESDAY
AMAVAS	अमावस	20-03-2015	FRIDAY
SURYA GRAHAN	सूर्य ग्रहण	20-03-2015	FRIDAY
NAVRATRA BEGINS	नवरात्र आरंभ	21-03-2015	SATURDAY
SAMVAT BEGINS (2072)	संवत् २०७२	21-03-2015	SATURDAY
PANCHAK END 12.59 AM	पंचक समाप्त	22-03-2015	SUNDAY
DURGA ASHTAMI	दुर्गा अष्टमी	27-03-2015	FRIDAY
SHRI RAM NAVMI	श्री राम नवमी	28-03-2015	SATURDAY
EKADASHI	एकादशी	30-03-2015	MONDAY

## Weekly Programme:

### 1. EVERY MONDAY :(5.30pm to 7.00pm)

RUDR ABISHEK:As per ancient texts when Lord Vishnu was incarnated as Sri Rama, Lord established Shiva Lingam at Rameshwaram before crossing the sea. He performed Rudrabhishek to express his devotion towards Lord Siva. This Pooja, where Lord Shiva is worshiped in His Rudra form, is hailed by all Vedic scriptures as one of the greatest Poojas to remove all evils, to attain all desires and for all round prosperity and peace. It is an abhishek /puja performed for Lord Shiva and it is very auspicious to perform.

### 2. EVERY TUESDAY : (5.30pm to 7.00pm)

RECITING SUNDERKANT CHAPTER FROM RAMAYAN & THEREAFTER ENCHANTING HANUMAN CHALISA.

### 3. EVERY WEDNESDAY:(5.30pm to 7.00pm)

Praying to Lord Vithal, incarnation of Lord Krishna

ENCHANTING LORD KRISHNA MANTRA AND RECITING 1008 NAMES OF LORD VISHNU, THEREAFTER BHAJAN

### 4. EVERY THURSDAY : (5.30pm to 7.00pm)

RECITING SRIMAD BHAGAVAD PURANA , THEREAFTER BHAJAN

### 5. EVERY FRIDAY : (5.30PM TO 7.00PM )

KATHA AND BHAJAN IS DEDICATED TO MAHALAXSHMI MATA JI , SANTOSHI MA, ANNAPURANESHWARI AND MAA DURGA.

### 6. EVERY SATURDAY :(5.30pm to 7.00pm)

ENCHANTING HANUMAN CHALISA (108 TIMES)

### 7. EVERY SUNDAY :(5.30pm to 7.00pm)

TO BE ADVISED ON A WEEKLY BASIS

## VOLUNTEERS :

We would appreciate any Volunteer service from the devotees.

## EDUCATIONAL

Sanskrit / Hindi / Gujrati

Volunteer Teachers require to teach beginner Level children , any of the above Languages on Saturday and Sunday afternoon

Please contact Nitin Ji / Man Mohan via e-mail :

[mail@vishvasanatadharam.org](mailto:mail@vishvasanatadharam.org)

## Monthly Management Accounts

### SHREE VISHWA SANAATAN DHARMA-MANDIR INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD ENDING 28TH FEBRUARY 2015

							Period to-date
<b>INCOME:</b>						<u>Feb-15</u>	
Donations received in Daan Patr directly from Devotees		NOT KNOWN	NOT KNOWN				NOT KNOWN
(as boxes are sealed and will only open in 2015, date to be finalised )							
Donation received from the Founders of the Mandir		223.41				1951.56	
Aarti Donations given into Daan Patr by Pandit Raful Purohit Ji :							
Collection received during Navratri days						27.05	
Donations given into Daan Patr by Pandit Dev Prashar Ji:							
Collection received from Shri Satya Narayan Katha						19.50	
Collection received from Gayatri Havan						4.00	
Collection received from Janamashtami						29.00	
Opening day Aarti Donations (05 March 2014 )						60.90	
Donation received from Yajman for Praan Prthishta day		101.00					
Donation received from Yajman		100.00				350.00	
Daily Aarti Donations Jun-14						90.00	
Daily Aarti Donations		<u>72.05</u>	496.46			<u>690.14</u>	3222.15
<b>EXPENSES:</b>							
Pandit Anil Bhai Jani ( to be paid )	60.90 DUE TO BE PAID					0.00	
Pandit Raful Purohit Ji (to be paid but donated to the Mandir						27.05	
Pandit Dev Prashar Ji donated Aarti , Shri Satya Narayan Katha						23.50	
Rates & water Charges						1414.97	
Electricity		223.41				396.59	
Fire Security						80.00	
Advertising for Poojari Ji						60.00	
Dr Joshi (Mandir Purohit ) June Fees						90.00	
Dr Joshi (Mandir Purohit ) Fees			<u>223.41</u>			<u>305.50</u>	<u>2397.61</u>
NET RETAINED						<u>273.05</u>	<u>824.54</u>
TO BE BANKED						<u>273.05</u>	<u>864.64</u>
NOTE :							
The Mandir owes £60.90 to Pandit Anil Bhai Jani Aarti collection of the Opening day.							
Mandir Management							
For and On behalf of Shree Vishwa Sanaatan Dharma Mandir (Croydon)							

#### For General and Newsletter Enquiries:

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 Shree Raju Pandya (07956252294)  
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 mail@vishwasanatandharammandir.org

#### Website:

www.vishwasanatandharammandir.org

#### Mandir Opening Times:

9.00am To 1.00 pm  
 5.00pm To 7.30pm

#### Mandir Closing Times:

1.00pm To 5:00 pm  
 7:30pm To 9.00 am





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cordially invite you to attend :

**"Praan Prthishta Ceremony"**

to be held on :

1<sup>st</sup> April 2015 : 5.00 pm to 9.00 pm

2<sup>nd</sup> April 2015 : 7.00 am to 9.00 pm

3<sup>rd</sup> April 2015 : 7.00 am to 9.00 pm

(Maha Prasad will be served every day)

Devotees wishing to participate in the ceremony,  
please contact Mandir Management team A S A P.

Please attend and make copies for circulation.



Founder: Late Shree Parshotam Lal Bhagat and Smt. Parvesh Bhagat Abbott.

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Parking available at TK MAX, Shell petrol pump and Free off street

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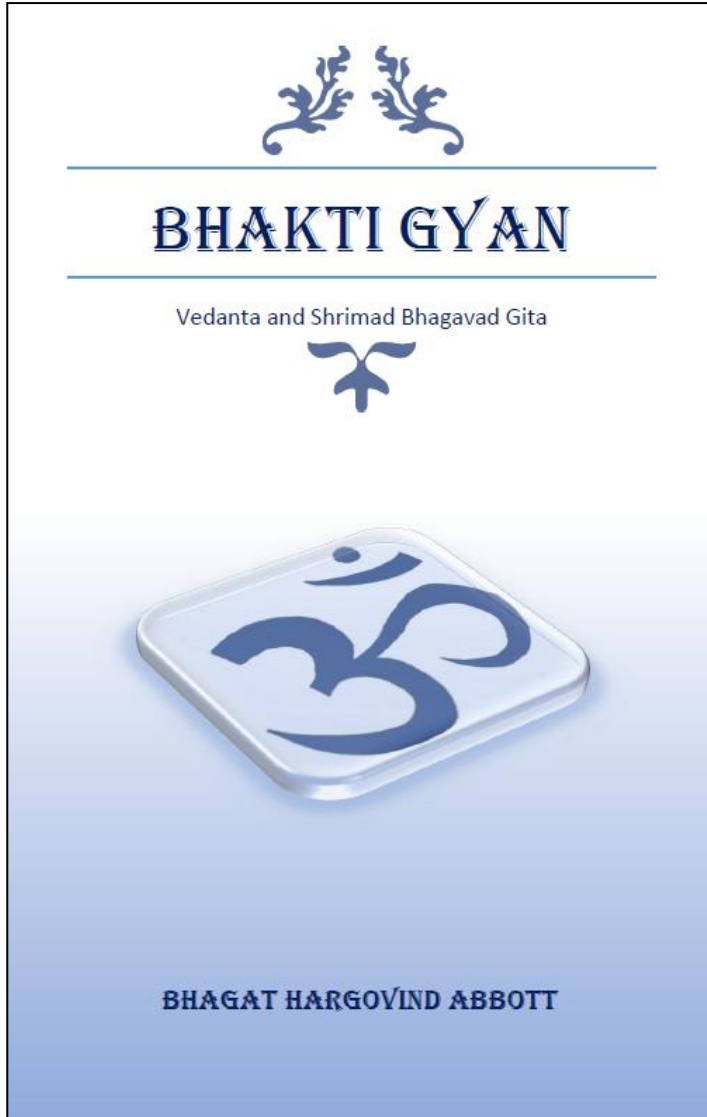


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## COMMUNITY SPECIAL



All inspirational experiences in life should be shared. This book shares the lives of two noble souls who radiated the warmth of God's love on all around them. Here a devoted son, Shree Parshotam Lal Bhagat, fulfils the wish of his father, Shree Bhagat Hargovind Abbott, for the publication of his versified articles on Vedanta for the benefit of society. These articles were published periodically to enlighten readers with the pearls of wisdom held in the treasure chest of Vedanta.

Vedanta is one of the oldest religious philosophies known to man based on the time immemorial sacred scriptures of India known as the Vedas. It affirms the oneness of all existence and the divinity of the soul. The aim is for the seeker to personally experience their true nature through sincere efforts by following the four Yogas (jnana-yoga, karma-yoga, bhakti-yoga, and raja-yoga). All are qualified to directly receive this highest illumination.

The Vedanta philosophy was preached by many reformers including Swami Shankeracharya, Swami Ram Krishan Param Hans, Swami Vivekanand, Swami Ram Tirath, and Sadhu Nischal Das.

*Think O man:*

*Day by day the death is coming near,  
Youth is declining and body wears.  
The day that is gone never returns,  
Almighty is swallowing everything.*

*The art is long but time is short.  
Do your best to meet the call  
Of time short. Cultivate, O man:  
In you the excellent thought.*

*Shree Bhagat Hargovind Abbott*

*Ekam sad viprā bahudhā vadanti  
"Truth is one, sages call it by various names"  
Rig Veda*

The book **Bhakti Gyan 'Vedanta and Shrimad Bhagavad Gita'** by Bhagat Hargovind Abbott is now in print. Kindly pick up your copy from the Temple reception.

**Community Special submission can be sent to the Mandir management by 25<sup>th</sup> of each month. We will endeavour to print in the newsletter FOC.**



Cllr. Vidhi Mohan, Parliamentary Candidate for Croydon North and  
Conservative Friends of India invite you to a

## Spring Reception

with guest of honour

Priti Patel MP, Exchequer Secretary to the Treasury and The Prime  
Minister's Indian Diaspora Champion

Thursday March 12th 2015, 7.15 pm

Archbishop Tenison's CE High School, Selborne Rd, Croydon, CR0 5JQ

R.S.V.P - acceptances only  
Email: [croydonconservatives@tory.org](mailto:croydonconservatives@tory.org)  
Telephone: 020 8660 0491

Spaces are limited and will be allocated  
on a first-come, first-served basis

I am proud of the strong ties between India and the UK, and the vital  
role that Indian communities play in our country.

The Conservative Party shares many of the same beliefs which are  
important to these communities – a belief in freedom, in family and  
community, and in enterprise.

I hope that Conservative Friends of India will play an important role in  
strengthening the relationship between the Conservative Party, the  
people of India and British Indian communities.





# World will be able to view

## World's tallest Temple in Vrindavan - India



## About the temple

**Vrindavan Chandrodaya Mandir is the world's tallest temple under-construction at Vrindavan, Mathura, India.**

**At cost of INR300 crore (US\$49 million) it will be one of the most expensively built temple in world by ISKCON.**

**^The temple has a footprint of about 5 acres**

**^ Rises to a height of about 700 feet (213 meters or 70 floors)**

**^ a built-up area of 5,40,000 sq. Ft.**

**^The project is set in 62 acres of land and will includes 12 acres for parking and a helipad..**

**The temple is planned to be vibrant ^with festivals and religious activities throughout the year.**

**A look-alike of the verdant forests of Vrindavan will be recreated around this magnificent temple.**

**It will be spread over a sprawling 26 acres, it will consist of the twelve forests (dvadashakanana) of Braj,**

**With varieties of lush vegetation, green pastures, elegant vistas of fruit bearing trees,**

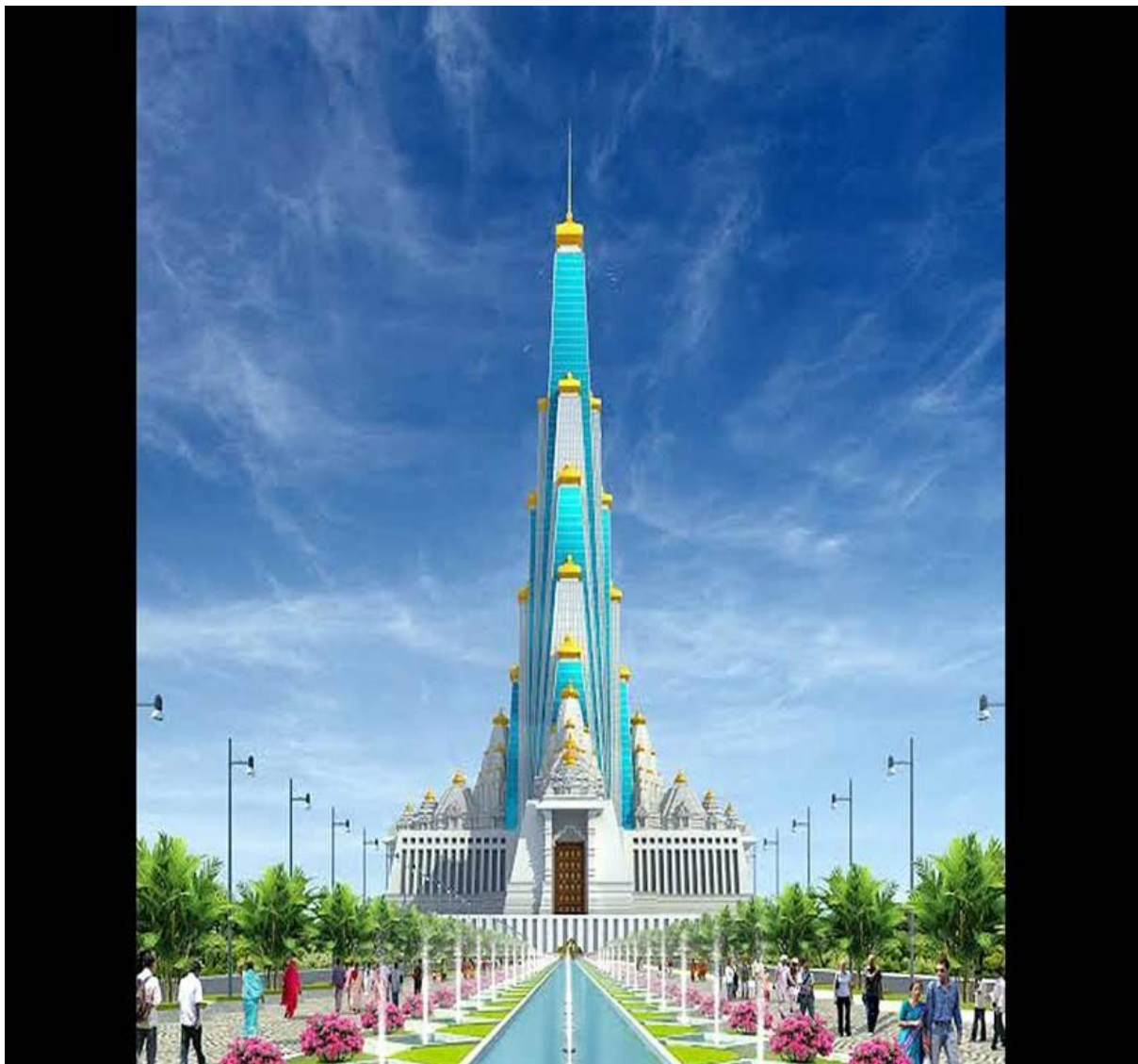
**Flower laden creepers serenaded by bird songs, clear water lakes with lotuses and lilies**

**And water falls that tumble from small artificial hillocks**

**– all recreated from descriptions in the SrimadBhagavatam and other source books of Lord Sri Krishna**

**– to transport the visitors to Krishna's times in Vrindavan.**

**The structural design has been outsourced to a US-based company, TRC Worldwide Engineering Brentwood.**  
**Structural design advisor's are from Civil Engineering Department IIT and Sanrachna Consultants, New Delhi.**  
**The lead architects are Ingenious Studio Pvt Ltd.**  
**Quintessence Design Studio will carry out landscaping for the whole temple area.**  
**HVAC (heating, ventilation, and air conditioning) will be installed by Gupta Consultants & Associates.**  
**All the electricals and wiring will be done with the help of WBG Consultants.**  
**The temple, with a traditional Nagra architecture at the entrance, will have elements of a glass façade**  
**That would stretch to the 70th floor.**









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## SHREE VISHWA SANAATAN DHARMA VIVAH SERVICE ( VSDMVS )

Please complete this form in BLOCK CAPITAL letters and send it to the above address with

Please send SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED envelope.

### Contact Details

Title	Mr / Miss / Mrs / Dr	First Name	Surname
Address		Town / City	County: Post Code
Tel Number	Landline:	Mobile :	
E-mail			

### Applicant Details:

Title	: Mr / Miss / Mrs / Dr	Sex : Male Female
First Name		
Surname		
Marital Status		
Nationality		
Date of Birth	Height : ft in	
Smoker :	Yes No	Vegetarian Yes No
Caste: (Optional)		
Qualifications	Occupation	

### Declaration and Consent:

I understand and agree that the **SHREE VISHWA SANAATAN DHARMA MANDIR VIVAH SERVICES** and its Management will under no circumstances be held responsible legally or morally for the bonafide of either of the 'parties' concerned nor liable for any form of legal action.

I declare that the above particulars are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signed (applicant): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel No: \_\_\_\_\_

Please inform us in writing as soon as your son/daughter is engaged / Married.

For Office Use Only:

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Ref No: