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From the President's Desk



Om Shree Chinmaya Sadgurave Namah!

Rama Navami is on 15th April. Our lives are greatly influenced by stories of fascinating and enthralling epics like Ramayana. As children we grew up listening to its inspiring stories and it provided a sound foundation for our value system. Through each and every event of Lord Rama's life we get to learn the right values and virtues of life. The essential principle behind all of Lord Rama's actions was Dharma the value that He cherished the most. Dharma alone is our true friend. It is said that Knowledge is our friend when we are travelling, wife is our friend when we are at home, medicine is our friend when we are ailing and Dharma is our friend at the time

of death and thereafter. When a student goes to a medical college we expect him or her to graduate as a doctor and surely not as a patient. Similarly when we read or study Ramayana we must become like Lord Rama and not like Ravana or Manthara. We have to imbibe Lord Rama's vision of life and learn how to face life with dignity and poise.

Hanuman Jayanti is on 22nd April. Lord Hanuman is an epitome of devotion, strength, wisdom and remover of all obstacles. Hanuman is an ardent devotee of Lord Rama and is worshipped for his unflinching devotion and service to his Hanuman is master. called Mahavir since with his strength he is capable of accomplishing any task. Lord Hanuman is considered to be Buddhimatam Varishtam. We must learn from him to become wise. Because with education a person becomes merely intelligent. But intelligent people are not necessarily wise people. True wisdom comes by worshiping Hanuman (by learning scriptures). He is also Sankata Mochana and

remove obstacles in all our endeavors. Chant the most famous Hanuman Chalisa and bring similar quality in our lives.

8th May 2016. What is this date? It is Pujya Gurudev's 100th Birthday! The day we all have been waiting to celebrate. Celebrate it not merely as a Birthday but celebrate the Vision and Mission of the great master. The vearlong celebration which started last year will culminate on this day. He touched and transformed millions of lives. We all must ask to ourselves "what Puiva Gurudev did to me? what does word Chinmaya mean to me? To me, his grace flows endlessly embracing me and empowering my mind. Just a remembrance or a glance at his photo is enough, and then "Chinmaya" happens - endlessly, limitlessly and magically. My questions are answered even without asking. A look into his eyes annihilate any wrong impulse and as if he says "My son you cannot do this". And instantly the right direction is given. Pujya Gurudev has made me a better me. He pulls me out of all my negativities and pushes me to rise above and evolve. I am sure that we all have experienced the same with Pujya Gurudev. For all of us Pujya Gurudev relentlessly worked for the revival of Hindu culture and brought a spiritual renaissance. It is our turn to offer unto him our best and express our gratitude towards him.

For the 100th Chinmaya Jayanti Mahotsav on 8th May, Chinmaya Mission Mumbai has planned grand celebrations at Powai Ashram. It is a daylong program having Chinmaya Vigraha (statue) Abhishek and Chinmaya Sadhana Mela as its highlights. There are programs for all age groups. This is a rare opportunity to offer an Abhishek on Pujya Gurudev's pratima. So don't miss. Become an Abhishek Yajmaan. Look for detailed announcement and various donation options. All proceeds shall be utilized towards Chinmava Pradeep project-a Multimedia Outdoor Exhibition around Pujya Gurudev's Kutia in Powai Ashram depicting Pujya Gurudev's Vision & His Work.

We welcome each of you to come on 8th May. Our Master was grandness impersonated. Let us all get together and make this 8th May a truly truly truly grand and spectacular occasion.

Unto Him Our Best!

Mukul Patel

President -Chinmaya Mission Mumbai

Chinmaya Chintan

The Subtle Art of Meditation

Swami Chinmayananda



In two brilliant stanzas (Gita, Ch. 6. 24-25), the subtle art of meditation has been explained. The secrets of how to bring the mind to single-pointedness, and what to do thereafter with that mind in concentration, how to approach the Truth and ultimately realise it in an act of deliberate and conscious becoming - are all exhaustively indicated in these two significant stanzas.

Renouncing all (sarvān) desires fully (asesatah) by the mind, control all the sense-organs from their entire world of sense-objects. Herein, every word demands a commentary, since every phrase leaves a hint which is so important in ultimately

assuring the seeker a complete success. It is not only sufficient that all desires are renounced, but each desire must be totally eradicated. By these two terms (sarvān and aśesatah), no trace of doubt is left in the mind of the seekers as to the condition of their mental equipoise during moments of higher meditation. The term (aśesatah) means that even the desire for this perfection in yoga is to be, in the end, totally renounced!

'Renunciation of desire' is advised here as a very necessary and important qualification, but unfortunately, the unintelligent ignored this significant qualification, and perverted our sacred religion by acting

and behaving as though it recommended a life of indolence with neither any ambition to achieve, nor any desire to accomplish. The term 'born of sankalpa' is a very significant term, qualifying the desires that are to be renounced totally and fully. Here it is used to mean 'the renunciation of all agitation-breeding-desires'.

Once this renunciation of disturbing desires has accomplished, the individual's mind gains strength and stamina to assert itself, at first to make the wild horses of the senseorgans tame so that they run under greater control, and then to restrain all the sense-organs from all sense-objects from all sides.

It is scientifically very true that our mind is not able to control our sense-organs, for it has been rendered weak and thoroughly impotent due to the permanent agitations caused by its own false desires. Once the mind gets strong as a result of its conquest over desires, it discovers in itself all the strength and capacity to control the sense-organs from all sides. This process of quietening the mind can never be accomplished by any hasty action, or by any imagination,

or by any strange and mysterious method. It is clearly indicated by the very insistence of the Gita in this stanza, that the seeker should "attain quietude as a result of his withdrawal from the world of sense-objects, by degrees." Slowly, slowly (sanaih sanaih), the mind gains more and more quietude.

No doubt, when the sense-organs have stopped their mad onrush to their respective sense-objects, a certain amount of mental quietude is gained. The methods of intensifying this inner peace have been indicated further.

"Patiently, with the intellect, the mind is to be controlled, and rested in the contemplation of the Self." This advise is important to every seeker as it gives the next item of the programme for a meditator when he has accomplished, through the exertion of mind during his meditation, a total withdrawal from the sense-world. A total rejection of the sense-world is possible only during meditation.

The mind that is thus brought to a relative quietude is next to be controlled by the still subtler personality layer in the meditator, which is his intellect. Just as the sense-organs are

controlled and restrained by the mind, the mind is now treated by the discriminating intellect and brought under complete restraint. The mind cannot be restrained except by fixing its entire attention on one idea to the total exclusion of all other ideas. The mind is a 'thoughtflow', and as such, the constant thought of the nature of the Self is to be the exercise by which the mind should be restrained by the intellect. A mind that has merged in the steady contemplation of the Self becomes still, and a divine quietude comes to pervade its very substance. This is the last lap of the journey to which deliberate and conscious action (purusārtha) can take any seeker.

Krishna's exhaustive theory, which can be practised by any sincere devotee, concludes in these two stanzas with a warning as to what the seeker should avoid at his moment of inward silence and peace; the Lord does not instruct the seeker here on what he should positively do.

The divine Flute-Player says: "Let him not think of anythings,"

when he has once reached this state of peace within.

After the 'halt-moment' there is nothing more for the seeker to do and achieve. All that he has to do is to avoid starting any new line of imagination. "Undisturbed by any new thought wave, let him maintain his inner silence and come to live it more and more deeply," is all the instruction that the technique of meditation gives to the meditator. "Knock and thou shalt enter," is the promise. You have 'knocked', and into the Supreme Presence thou shalt enter ... ere long (acirena).

No two simple-looking stanzas anywhere in the spiritual literature of the world, including the sacred books of Hinduism, can claim to have given such an exhaustive wealth of useful instructions to a seeker as these two stanzas in the Gita. Even in the entire bulk of the Divine Song (Gita) itself, there is no other similar couple of stanzas which can, in their pregnant import, stand a favourable comparison with this perfect pair.

Source: Tapovan Prasad, December 2008



Like God the vision of God too is beyond words.

- Swami Chinmayananda

Tejomayam

Three Kinds of Knowledge

Swami Tejomayananda







Lord Krishna describes to Arjuna the three-fold classification of all knowledge beginning with the sattvic type.

That by which one sees the One Indestructible Reality in all beings, the undivided in the divided, know that knowledge as pure (sāttvika). (Gita, 18.20)

When we are able to see the presence of the One in all, the imperishable Reality permeating all things, it is called sattvic, or the highest vision. Sattva means good, noble, sublime, exalted. With this vision one's entire outlook on life changes. Perhaps this can be better understood using the example of our body. We know that it has many different

parts - the hands, the fingers, the stomach, the head, and the legs - but even though the parts are many, it is still a whole. The hand may be different from the leg or the face, yet we are present everywhere in the body. Therefore we do not get attached to one part, and we also do not have a particular like or dislike for any of them. For example, we do not say that yesterday I liked my right hand, but today I like my left hand better. We are everywhere in the body; therefore pain or discomfort in any part causes us equal concern.

In the same way, a person with sattvic vision sees the one Truth, the one Reality, everywhere. This results in pure love for every person and being. That is the beauty of sattva, it inspires love and spontaneous service (sevā). Such people do not inquire whether someone belongs to their group, nation, or race. The question of racial discrimination would be solved completely if people considered everyone in the world as belonging to one family. When we have this sāttvic vision, we will act for the welfare of all, wherever we are.

Unfortunately, we do not yet see this attitude in the world today as people are often attached to their state or language, and national integration is in name only, or proclaimed in speeches. But a person who has the vision of one nation does not perform actions that benefit his state or constituency exclusively. A truly sattvic person considers the welfare of the entire world.

Lord Krishna now expounds upon the most common kind of vision called rājasika jñāana:

But that 'knowledge' which sees in all beings various entities of distinct kinds, (and) as different from one another, know that knowledge as rājasika (passionate). (Gita, 18.21)

That knowledge by which one sees things and beings as different

from each other is the second type, the mediocre or rājasic vision. If a person sees all things as different from himself, he will constantly think, 'This is mine, and this is yours.' Or, 'I like this and I dislike that.' Every action is then based on 'me' and what I like and dislike. Since these two keep changing continuously, our pursuits also change, and as a result we are in constant turmoil.

This is the reason why rājasic people are very active and restless. They have strong desires accompanied by feelings of competition and jealousy.

Last of all is the tāmasikajnāna:

But the 'knowledge' that clings to one single effect, as if it were the whole, without reason, without foundation in Truth, and narrow, that is declared to be tāmasika (dull). (Gita, 18, 22)

The tāmasic vision of life is dull, dark, and low. A tāmasic person becomes totally attached to one thing and presumes it to be the whole. Let us take the example of a person who regards money as all-important. His entire life's energy, time, and efforts are geared toward making or accumulating money, by whatever means. Such a

person does not give importance to anything else, including his health or his family.

Similarly, there are people who would do anything to gain power. And there are also those who give too much importance to a particular ideology, such as communism or socialism. Even people who say that their religion is the only true religion have a narrow-minded approach to life. This can create additional conflict in them and often leads to fanaticism. They forget an important principle: to live and let live. If everyone followed this maxim, there would be no problem.

Another misapprehension we often have is that we consider the body alone as the self and we deny the existence of Atman. When we pamper the body, we become extremely selfish and ignore our spiritual growth. Another problem is our apparent need to manipulate people and situations. Attachment to finite things - whether material objects or an ideology - is the cause for this. Those who are attached to some ideological concept do the most damage. They are often highly learned, and in order to promote their ideology, may use all kinds of intellectual and

emotional arguments or social considerations to influence others and promote their own ideas. Thus people who have a tāmasic vision are naturally self-centered because they take the part for the whole and therefore have no consideration for anyone other than themselves.

The rājasic or tāmasic visions will always promote conflict. A person would be considered entirely tāmasic if he were to benefit himself at the expense of others. We are horrified when we read of such incidents in the newspapers, but they happen all the time. We may criticise such actions from the comfort of our living rooms, yet we often do the same in our own family situations. We frequently see brothers and sisters fighting amongst themselves for property, each one thinking of his or her own benefit alone, rather than considering the welfare of the entire family.

The Mahabharata war was caused by a rājasic and tāmasic vision. Although they were one extended family, the Kauravas created a division with their cousins, the Pandavas, because they looked upon them as different - the sons of Pandu. So they cheated the Pandavas

out of the land that belonged to them and refused to return even a small portion. Not only that, right from childhood they even tried to kill the Pandavas. Characterised by seeing only the differences between them, now at the brink of war, the Kauravas still denied the lawful rights of the Pandavas, thus invoking mass destruction.

Another example of tāmasicvision can be drawn from the Ramayana. Kaikeyi, who refused to consider the welfare of all, wanted her son Bharata to be king and demanded that Rama, the rightful heir, be sent to the forest. However Rama and Bharata aid not allow her scheme to succeed. With sattvic vision, they saw themselves as one family and readily gave up their personal interests for the good of all. While Rama was in the forest. Bharata ruled in his name so that the country would not suffer, but at the same time Rama's rights to the throne were not jeopardised.

Therefore it is the sattvic vision alone that can bring harmony. Most parents have this vision. They tend to think of the welfare of the entire family and treat all their children alike. At times there may be a need to give

more to one child over another. But that does not mean that the parents love one child more than the other, they simply think of the welfare of all. However, if parents begin to favour one child excessively over another, then they are developing a rājasic or a tāmasic vision, which will hurt the entire family.

We see similar situations large corporations. Each the department heads wants more funds and resources for their divisions. However. the managing director has the interest of the entire company at heart, he will always act with a sāttvic vision, and not favour one division over another. He will allocate the resources in such a way that the welfare of the entire organisation is kept in mind. Such objectivity is required for a company to progress.

We should look at all pursuits of life, whether individual, family, or social, with the vision of oneness, seeing the One in the many. Then there will be love and consideration for everyone equally. If we do not have such a vision, we tend to have a narrow-minded attachment to one thing and thus lose sight of the total picture.

Source: Tapovan Prasad, December 2008

Acharya Manan

Om Adviteeyaaya Namah

by Br. Ved Chaitanya



Chandogya Upanishad says, 'Ekamevaadviteeyam', the Supreme Reality is only one; without a second. Our humble prostrations at the lotus feet of the sage who not only realized but lived this Upanishadic statement, our Param Pujya Gurudev Swami Chinmayanandaji.

Pujya Gurudev was a Jnani, a Bhakta, a Vedantin, a Sadhu, a Yogi, a Guru & much more, all in one! His entire life was in service of the greatest Truth, the Advaita, the one non-dual Reality. He learnt, understood, enquired, experienced, taught & lived Advaita. He used to say, "You are never away from Him. You are in Him, with Him, as Him. You are Him alone! Rest

in Him who is ever the same in your heart & watch the parade of events in the stream of time!"

We might have seen Him doing japa, giving talks, organizing programs, building ashrams & so on. But in His heart there was absolute Non-duality! A man of realization may be seen doing different things in the world; but he remains in the constant feeling of being Brahman.

The Vedas say, 'Brahmavit Brahmaiva Bhavati', the Knower of Brahman becomes Brahman. The Supreme Reality, the Brahman is 'Adviteeya' & hence Pujya Gurudev who realized this Brahman is also 'Adviteeya'.

Adviteeya also means unique; no one is like him. This word is so apt for Gurudev. His teaching style, His oratory, His analogies & examples, His wit, His inspiring words, His ideas, His vision, His fearlessness, His patriotism, His laugh, His glance, His love, His compassion, His grace, everything is absolutely unique!

Adviteeyam!!! Bringing the Vedic Knowledge from Himalayas to the planes; teaching the Upanishads in English so that maximum people can understand; building an army of monks trained in Vedanta through Sandeepany Sadhanalaya; constructing ashrams right in the heart of cities; giving this sacred Knowledge to all the people of any caste, creed, gender or stature; Inspiring the youth to work for the society & country;

He left His mark of uniqueness on everything!! He envisioned small children chanting Bhagavad Geeta, youngsters serving the society with the knowledge of Vedanta, adults studying sacred scriptures & living an ideal life, elderly people living in true solitude (Vanaprasthas), sincere sadhakas spending their time in ashrams doing their sadhana, & Western scholars Fastern coming together to discuss their philosophies! His unique vision became a reality. Today in Chinmaya Mission we see all these things happening which nobody could have imagined, except this unique Master! Once a young man named Rajaram went to Pujya Gurudev for His autograph. Gurudev signed with a message, "Be a Raja outside & Ram inside." This is exactly how Pujya Gurudev lived; as a unique king outside & as the highest Reality inside!!!

Om Adviteeyaaya Namah!!!

H. H. SWAMI TEJOMAYANANDAJI'S ITINERARY APRIL - 2016				
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Chinmaya Mission Mumbai invites you to



CHINMAYA JAYANTI MAHOTSAV

8th May 2016 (Sunday) 7am - 4pm Sandeepany Sadhanalaya, Powai

Chinmaya Vigraha Abhishek

A unique expression of our love and devotion to our Guru

Pujya Gurudev Swami Chinmayananda lived a life of vision and inspiration, knowledge and transformation, culture and integration, sadhana and liberation. Thus, His 100th Birth Anniversary is a celebration of all this.

We welcome all Chinmaya families in all zones of Mumbai to join us at the 100th Chinmaya Jayanti Mahotsav. The entire programme is FREE. Participation in all activities is optional.

The main highlight of the event is the **Chinmaya Vigraha Abhishek** - a unique expression of our love and devotion to our Guru.

My Heart is your Temple. The Sweet thought and reminiscences I have of you is the Fragrance. Love is the Water. Oh, the Universal One, I invite you to accept my Worship.

Significance of Chinmaya Vigraha Abhishek:

- An expression of continuous gratitude flowing in our heart towards Poojya Gurudev. Om Sri Chinmaya Sadgurave Namaha.
- A prayer that may our thoughts become single-pointed and flow towards the Lord constantly. Vande Chinmaya-Sadgurum.
- Abhishek not only sanctifies the Murti but also purifies our mind.
 Om Anandaaya Namaha
- 4. Abhishek also helps one to invoke Divine Grace for fulfilment of material and spiritual desires. **Om Nihsprihaaya Namaha**
- The best of substances chandan, kumkum, haldi are poured in devotion on Him.
 The best in us must be poured in seva at His feet. UNTO HIM OUR BEST
- Waters from 7 sacred rivers namely, Ganga, Yamuna, Godavari, Narmada, Tungabhadra, Kaveri & Brahmaputra - will be brought together and 51 Yajmans will offer special Abhisheks, to mark how His inspiration flows in the entire nation. OM BHARATA GAURAVAYA NAMAHA. BE ONE OF THE 51 MUKHYA YAJMANS & SUPPORT CHINMAYA PRADEEP.

The greatest and the highest Abhisheka is to pour the waters of pure love on the Lord in one's heart. External abhisheka leads to internal abhisheka eventually and unites one with the Lord.

Incase you are not able to come, Abhisheka can be done by your nominee or an Acharya on your behalf.

Funds raised through Chinmaya Vigraha Abhisheka will be used for Chinmaya Pradeep - India's first outdoor multimedia and multimedium vision park.

To know more, visit - chinmayamissionmumbai.com or facebook.com/pradeepchinmaya/



In the scriptures, various types of spiritual practices are prescribed to connect with the Form of the Lord (Saguna Saakar Roop Sadhana). We bring to you the unique Chinmaya Sadhana Mela based on the Saguna Saakaar Sadhana.

Highlights of Chinmaya Sadhana Mela:



Roop Sadhana: Paint His form. that's how we transform.



Gurudev is ever Ready. Let's click a Selfie!



Naam Sadhana: Turn



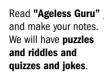
Guna, Leela, Sambandha Sadhana: Come, His sevaks will tell you His story!



Sadhana: Also do

reach His Kutiva and

Make sure you know all His **quotes well**. We will jumble them up and you will have to tell.





meditate. To meet us IN there. He forever awaits!



Do perform the Chinmava Vigraha Abhishek for sure. And pour all your love upon our Beloved Master.



Come do Sadhana the Chinmaya way, And celebrate Him on this 8th May!

Preparation for Sadhana-Mela

- 1. Read the book "Ageless Guru" and "Golden Sayings".
- 2. Learn the meanings of Pujya Gurudev's 108 names in english





Let us use this opportunity to do more Sadhana and evolve, as that will be the ideal way to celebrate the 100th birthday of the "birth-less Swami"!!

100th Chinmaya Jayanti Mahotsav Participant Registration Form

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Schedule for the Day

7:15am Registrations
8am Breakfast

8:30am - 9:30am Chinmaya Aradhana in Open-air Auditorium

9:30am - 12:30pm Chinmaya Vigraha Abhishek & Chinmaya Sadhana Mela

12:30pm Lunch Mahaprasad

2pm - 4:30pm onwards Screening of "On a Quest"

*Valet Parking Available

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Chinmaya Mission Mumbai welcomes you to

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Annual Balavihar Summer Camp for children & parents based on Bhagawad Geeta Chapter 16

12th - 15th May 2015 (Thurs - Sun) @ Chinmaya Vibhooti, Kolwan

with

Pujya Guruji Swami Tejomayananda, Swami Swatmananda & Brni. Nidhi Chaitanya, Br. Ved Chaitanya, Br. Yukta Chaitanya & Balavihar Sevikas

Age-Group: 5 - 8 years & 9 - 12 years & their parents (for Residents of Mumbai & Navi Mumbai only)

Important Points:

There will be parallel sessions for Parents on Bhagwat Geeta Chapter 16 by Swami Swatmananda

5 - 8 year olds will be allowed to attend the camp only with parent(s)

Children attending the camp must strictly be between 5 - 12 years ONLY.

This camp is open only to residents of Mumbai & Navi Mumbai

Parents will be allowed to attend the camp only if at least one child from the family is part of the entire camp

Camp Donation: (includes stay, food, study material, camp kit)					
	Before 25th April	After 26th April			
For 5 - 8 year olds :	Rs.3500 per head	Rs. 3750 per head			
For 9 - 12 year olds :	Rs. 3750 per head	Rs. 4000 per head			
For parents :	Rs. 4500 per head	Rs. 5000 per head			

Travel Arrangements:

- Participants can travel to Chinmaya Vibhooti through private transport. To know the travel route to Chinmaya Vibhooti, please logon to: http://goo.gl/jkVYBF
- Optionally, participants can also choose to join us in the common bus transport which will be arranged as per requirement. All buses will be AC buses considering the welfare of the children in the scorching summer heat.
- Registrations for Bus-transport, must be made at the time of registration for the camp.
- Contribution per head for transport is Rs.1800 to-and-fro and Rs.1000 one-way.

For Transport route and details, call: Rakhee (Central & South Mumbai) 9820977191/ Shyamala (Chembur/Ghatkopar) 9930001546 / Jalaja (Andheri/Juhu) 9821261313 / Manjula Suresh (Navi Mumbai) 9969066853

You can register online on www.chinmayamissionmumbai.com

In case of offline registrations, cheques should be in favour of **CHINMAYA SEVA TRUST**.

For details and registrations log on www.chinmayamissionmumbai.com

You can also write to us on: bv.mumbaicm@gmail.com

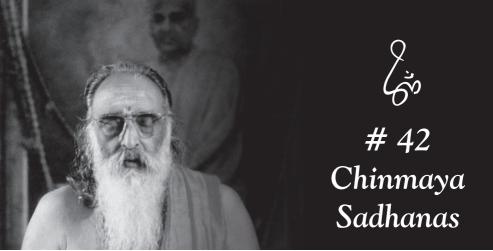
You can also courier / deliver your registrations on the following Address: Chinmaya Priyam, 5, Jain Vihar, NS Road No.3, Juhu Scheme, Mumbai - 400056

Tel. No. 26112358/59 (Office Hours: Mon-Fri 12.00 pm - 6.00 pm)

Call us now: South Mumbai - Smita Patel: 9820194861,

Nimisha Parekh: 9820579342 • Worli: Sarika Pherwani: 9820300281

- Parel -Dadar Jivika: 9820183198
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Chinmaya Mission Mumbai invites you to participate in

42 Chinmaya Sadhanas

(42 Sadhanas for 42 weeks as on offering to commemorate 42 years of Service by Swami Chinmayananda)

Launched on 3rd August 2015 - Chinmaya Aradhana Day / Sadhana Day

From 1951 to 1993 Swami Chinmayananda served the society selflessly, out of Causeless Infinite Compassion. He came down from the Himalayas to uplift us. Every moment of these 42 years was an expression of His Love for us, urging us to do sadhana & break out of our false-identification with the Body-Mind-Intellect.

"Spiritual Life is all-inclusive. Your physical, mental and intellectual involvement is unavoidable. At each level the 'Sadhana-emphasis' is different.

We are now drowned in our Body-Mind-Intellect (BMI) identification. We have to use creatively that very BMI to get out and go beyond them into the Higher State. BMI in their tamed and quietened condition, become a comfortable ladder to reach the Higher." - Swami Chinmayananda in Practice of Vedanta.

In HIS Birth Centenary Year, let us do 42 Sadhanas as an expression of our gratitude to HIM.

Objective:

Cultivate the attitude that I am a Sadhak and Self-Realisation is my goal in and through my daily life. It will also introduce us to 42 different sadhanas and if any of these sadhanas inspire us, we can continue it for the rest of our lives.

Method:

From 3rd August 2015 to 22nd May 2016 are 42 weeks.

Each week we will be doing one sadhana from Monday-Sunday.

Each month the sadhanas will be for Body-Mind-Intellect-Speech.

One aspect will be covered in one week.

So every month our BMIS will be getting fine-tuned.

11 - 17 April	Mind	Japa	Japa - Mental Japa of Ishta Mantra Or "Om Shri Chinmaya Sadgurave Namah" - 27 times or 108 times
18 - 24 April	Intellect	Sthitaprajna Lakshana	Read the commentary of Poojya Gurudev on the Man of Perfection, everyday - 3 verses.
25 - 1 May	Body	Brahmacharya	For one full week follow Brahmacharya. Conserve the vital energy of the body. Do not dissipate it in indulgence. Do everything in moderation
2 - 8 May	Speech	Hindu Culture	Explain different aspects of WHY DO WE in Indian Culture to someone different everyday

The sadhana of the week with the description, how to do it, how long to do it & the benefits will be mailed to you on the previous Sunday.

You can perform the sadhana and if you like, take a picture/selfie and post it on facebook/twitter/instagram/google+/social media with the #42chinmayasadhanas #CBCC100.

Lets get inspired by #42ChinmayaSadhanas & lets inspire others to do #42chinmayasadhanas

To know more about the sadhanas $\operatorname{\mathcal{E}}$

register free for #42ChinmayaSadhanas at goo.gl/io97fa or

log on to www.chinmayamissionmumbai.com

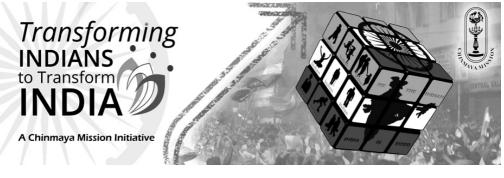
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After successfully achieving the target of 1008 workshops in 2015, the TITI team enthusiastically continues to conduct sessions at various institutions for various groups.

After the ITIT session at Shanmukhananda Hall in Dec. 2015, there has been an increased demand for TITI sessions by schools and colleges. So far, 108 workshops have already been conducted in 2016, and the count continues.

All 7 levels of transformation were conducted at the University Department of Human Development, SNDT Women's University, Juhu and at D J Sanghvi College of Engineering. Sessions were also conducted at the following management institutions: Institute of Business

Studies and Research, Belapur; SIES - College of Management Studies, Nerul; Thadoomal Shahani College of Management, Bandra. Other colleges include: VPM Polytechnic, Nirmala Niketan College of Home Science, New Marine Lines, and Dr. B.M.N.College of Home Science, Matunga.

Various sessions for school students were conducted Adarsha Vidyalaya High School & Jr. College, Jasudben M. L. School, Paranipe Vidyalaya, Shri. N. D. Bhuta High School, Cosmos High School, and at BEST WAYS Tutorials, and for NGO - UDAAN INDIA FOUNDATION. A session on emotional transformation was also conducted at Mahalakshmi Ladies Club for 70-80 year old ladies.



Interruptions are the spice of life.

- Swami Chinmayananda



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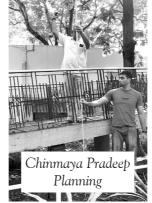




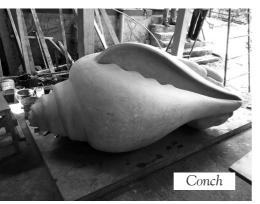


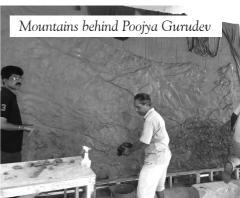














Kindly note that Pujya Guruji has posted Swami Nirbhayanandaji to Vasai. Swami Nirbhayanandaji will shortly shift to Vasai and take forward Pujya Gurudev's Vision and Mission in the areas in and around Vasai. He will also support Tarapur. We wish him all the success.

New Zonal Committee of Chinmaya Bhakti Zone (Borivali Centre) is being

formed under guidance of Chinmaya Mission Mumbai and they will continue with the activities and classes in the zone and arrange talks by various Acharyas. Executive committee list of Bhakti Zone shall be published next month.



Chinmaya Yuva Kendra

Executive Committee - Chinmaya Yuva Kendra

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-	Swami Swatmananda
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Report on "Just Like That" play during Guruji's All Maharashtra and Goa Camp @ Vibhooti by Mumbai CHYK.

The enthusiastic CHYKs got yet another opportunity on Feb 27th, 2016 to perform their 2nd show of "Just Like That" based on Karma Yoga during the all Maharashtra and Goa Camp at Chinmaya Vibhooti.

The Karma Yoga module of the play was performed in front of an audience strength of around 300. Many of whom were in the age group of 45-60 years. The audience was very appreciative.

Some of whom said things like "our country is in safe hands now" and "we loved the enthusiasm and spirit in which you guys performed" really lifted the spirits of our Chyks. Guruji who had seen the Mumbai show

earlier said that he enjoyed it even more this time.

All these left a great sense of satisfaction in the minds of Chyks. The highlight of the event was a unique experience for audiences to interact with characters themselves after the show during the dinner.

Despite some technical problems with lights and projector minutes before the play; the CHYKs showcased true spirit to spread the message of the Gita and Gurudev. Many members from other centers also enquired as to how this could be done in their centers.

Many were curious to know as to what was the content of the second module of the play and expressed their desire to see it in the future.

- compiled by Aparna Raman





Chinmaya Yuva Kendra Announces



Chanting Class

Sundays, 10.30 to 11.30 AM

Age:12-28 years

Venue: Outside Swadhyaya Kaksha, Sandeepany Ashram,

Next to Rennaissance Hotel, Powai

Contact: Chinmaya Mission 8108043204

Email: mumbai@chinmayayuvakendra.org



Key Features:

- Learn to chant Ganapati Atharvashirisha , Mantra Pushpam etc. in an authentic manner
- Understand basic meaning of the shlokas and benefits of chanting
- Learn soulful and peppy
 Bhajans
- Perform
 Chanting and
 Bhajans on
 festivals and
 other occasions
 at different
 places in
 Mumbai
- Get tuned within and without

Chinmaya Yuva Kendra, Mumbai announces a module based class

"On Excellence"

What is meant by Excellence?

How can one achieve excellence in Life?

Find the answers in four classes through PPTs, videos, activities, movies etc.

Eligibility: From 16 to 28 years.

10.00 am to 12.00 pm on 2^{nd} , 9^{th} , 16^{th} and 23^{rd} April (All Saturdays)

Venue: Bal Mandir, Sandeepany Sadhanalaya, Near Rennaissance Hotel, Powai.

Entry is Free. But by registration only.

For Registration and further details, Contact: Aravind - 9619030879, Deepak - 9833350887 or Email us at: mumbai@chinmayayuvakendra.org

Telecast of Chinmaya Ananda Utsav on Sri Sankara TV

Duration - 30 mins each

1st episode - 4th April - 7.00 pm

2nd episode - 5th April - 7.00 pm

3rd episode - 6th April - 7.00 pm

4th episode - 11th April - 7.00 pm

5th episode - 12th April - 7.00 pm

6th episode - 13th April - 7.00 pm



Chinmaya Yuva Kendra Global Youth Wing of Chinmaya Mission

Presents



Can Success be achieved without Stress?

Can Meditation bring about any changes in our day-to-day lives?

Should I follow my Passion or settle for a practical career?

A Youth Camp **A Journey**

An Experience Based on 3 yogas of Srimad Bhagavad Geeta

by Swami Swatmananda Acharya, Chinmaya Mission Mumbai

What will Dexterity, Purity, Clarity!

Live Preformance of the Theatre Act

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Group Debates







Aravind / Deepak +91 81080 43204

	Before 12th May	After 12th May	Z (V)
Camp Donation	₹1800/-	₹2500/-	A BAT
One way Transport	₹600/-	₹ 800/-	
Two Way Transport	₹1000/-	₹1500/-	ËΩ

Cheques can be in Favour of "CHINMAYA SEVA TRUST". Cash Payments also accepted. For online registration and payment Visit: https://goo.gl/mAjONC



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All India Chinmaya Yuva Kendra(AICHYK)

invites

Young Visionaries of the Nation for

Post Graduate Diploma in

Youth Empowerment Programme-2016-17 (PGD-YEP)

Learn, Serve & Grow

A unique value based post-graduate leadership programme in English for dynamic youth who want to empower themselves and empower the society.

Programme Theme

Learn for 3 months. Serve for 9 months and Grow for Life is the theme of this programme. It provides interactive, experiential learning & an opportunity to be positive contributors to the country.

Programme History

9 batches of YEP have been completed so far since 2002 under the guidance leadership of Swami Mitrananda. For the first time, this programme, the 10th batch, will be a PG Diploma programme, following semester pattern under the Chinmaya Vishwavidyapeeth, a University for Sanskrit and Indic Traditions.

The program will be facilitated by Swami Swatmananda, Senior Acharyas, Senior faculty, Youth Experts, Leaders & Professionals.

Programme Duration: 12th June 2016 to 12th June 2017.

Course Outline

Semester 1:

Learn: 12th June 2016 to 15th August 2016

- Fundamentals of Vedanta, Bhakti, Hindu Culture
- DVD Talks by Swami Chinmayananda
- Leadership skills, Awakening Indians to India
- Conversational Sanskrit, Vedic Chanting
- Yoga, sports & games
- Training in Soft skills & Public speaking

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- Practical Management Lessons through group discussions, workshops, games & other activities
- A unique training methodology combining experiential learning, adventure & other projects

Serve in an urban centre: 16th August 2016 to 10th Jan 2017

- Students will be posted in an urban Chinmaya Mission Centre for Service.
- Be positive contributors to society by serving in various wings of Chinmaya Mission
- Inspire youth & children from various schools & colleges through sessions, workshops, seminars, etc

Semester 2: Learn: 16th Jan 2017 to 31st Jan 2017

- Training for rural development & organising camps/events
- Social service training
- Overview of various service opportunities
- Spiritual sessions

Serve in a rural centre: 2nd Feb to 2nd April 2017

- Students will be posted to a rural centre
- Social service in general
- Specific area of rural service

Learn & Serve: 3rd April to 31st May:

Posting in specific centres for

- assisting/taking camps
- Hands-on experience at childrens' camps and youth camps in summer.

Periodic Evaluation through exams, assignments and assessment of the service period during the semesters will be a part of this entire course.

Valedictory Session: 1st June to 12th June 2017. Final evaluation and service period presentations.

Grow for LIFE!

- On completing the one-year period of study & service the students will be awarded a Post Graduate Diploma in Youth EmpowermentProgramme(PGD-YEP). They are called Yuvaveeers and they equip themselves with holistic growth, greater self-confidence, expertise in conducting workshops, training programmes, managing events etc.
- Experience the satisfaction & joy of having made a difference by serving the Nation

Eligibility

Young graduates below 25yrs of age, with good knowledge of English and keen desire to learn & to serve the Nation and ready to commit one year EXCLUSIVELY for this course. Intake will be subject to a preadmission interview process.

Duration:

One Year - from 12th June 2016 to 12th June 2017

Inauguration on 12th June 2016 by Poojya Guruji Swami Tejomayananda, Chancellor of Chinmaya Vishwavidyapeeth At Sandeepany Sadhanalaya, Powai Last date for registration is 31st May 2016.

Campus

Teaching and training will be held at the Chinmaya Vishwavidyapeeth Campus situated at Chinmaya Vibhooti, the Vision centre of Chinmaya Mission & a scenic spiritual retreat at Kolwan - an hour's drive from Pune & 3-hour drive from Mumbai.

Chinmaya Vibhooti, Post Kolwan, Taluka Mulshi, Dist Pune - 412 108

Programme Fees

Application & Prospectus: Rs.500/-Programme Fees: Rs. 60,000/for Indian Students. \$1100/- for Overseas students.

(Includes stay, food, training material). Scholarship will be available for deserving students.

All cheques / DDs for fees can be drawn in the name of 'Chinmaya Vishwavidyapeeth'/

Contact:

For applications please mail - yep.aichyk@gmail.com, university@chinfo.org www.chinmayayuvakendra.org www.chinmayamission.com

Appeal for Scholarships

PGD-YEP, a one-year Post-Graduate Diploma in Youth Empowerment

by Chinmaya Vishwavidyapeeth, a University for Sanskrit and Indic Traditions, marks the beginning of a new batch of youngsters from across the world coming together in the presence of dynamic monks from the Mission & other management professionals to dedicate a year of their lives to being positive contributors to society & serving our Nation.

Programme Fees is subsidised for all students. We would also like to offer full or partial scholarships to deserving students and also support all students during their service period by offering a minimum stipend.

Such a highly valued higher education programme that will create ethical and value-based contributors to society in different spheres of public life, needs active philanthropic support. We therefore seek your support for 25 students, which is the proposed intake to this programme.

Contributions to the above scholarship can also be done under CSR-Corporate Social Responsibility as per Section 125 and Schedule VII of Companies Act, 2013. Promotion of Education is an important activity that can be undertaken as CSR under the Companies Act.

All cheques/DDs for student scholarship donation can be drawn in the name of All India Chinmaya Yuva Kendra - CCMT A/C. All donations are exempt under section 80G of Income Tax Act.

You Too Can Contribute in this Visionary Programme in Various Ways...



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All India Chinmaya Yuva Kendra (AICHYK) Post Graduate Diploma in Youth Empowerment Programme 2016-17

Sponsorship Options for Scholarship

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	lease tick the relevant option) 'e need support for 25 students					
	cholarships					
	Per Student for entire duration of 1 year	- Rs.1.10 Lakhs				
О	Per Student for the study period of 90 days	- Rs.60,000/-				
О	Per Student Expenses during Service period of 9 months	s - Rs.50,000/-				
О	Per Student Travel & Outdoor Experiential Learning	- Rs.20,000/-				
A	nnadaan					
О	Per Student for 90 days	- Rs.20,000/				
О	Bhiksha for Acharyas, Faculty & all StudentsLunch or DinnerBreakfast	- Rs.15,000/- - Rs.10,000/-				
C	ourse Material					
О	Per Student - Course Material like books, stationary etc.	- Rs.5,000/-				
О	Per Student - T-shirts, Bags etc.	- Rs.3,000/-				
	General Donation to support the programme (Any amount is welcome)					
Yo	ours Faithfully,					
Si	gnature					
	For more details contact:					
	Swami Swatmananda - chinmaya.swatmananda@g Chinmaya Seva Trust - Bombay,					
	F3. Panchsheel Bldg, C Road, Churchgate, Mumbai	- 400 020.				

List of classes of Chinmaya Yuva Kendra

Text: DROP

(Sunday) 10.30am to 12:00pm • Age - 12-28yrs

Venue: Chinmaya Prerna, Kharghar

Contact - Br. Ved Chaitanya: 9867738802

Text: Art of Man-Making

(Saturday) 7.00 to 8.30pm • Age: 16-28yrs

Venue: Chinmaya Sagar, Churchgate

Contact: Sw. Swatmananda - 9920144559

Text: Bhaja Govindam

(Sunday) 9.00 to 10.30am • Age: 16-28 yrs

Venue: Sandeepany, Powai

Contact: Iitu Chandran - 9987941432

Text: Game of Life

(Sunday) 11.30 to 12.15 • Age: 12-15 yrs

Venue: Sandeepany, Powai

Contact: Srikant S. - 8898525917

Text: Bhajan & Chanting

(Sunday) 10.30 to 11.30 • Age: 12-28yrs

Venue: Sandeepany, Powai

Contact: Srikant S. - 8898525917

Text: Holy Gita

(Sunday) 9.00 to 10.00 pm • Age: 16-28yrs

Venue: Online on SKYPE

Contact: Aravind R. - 9619030879

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(South Mumbai)

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TITI Workshops		Mrs. Shaman Agarwal
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'40 Spiritual Hacks' - a series of 9 sessions based on Shri Adi Shankara's Sadhana Panchakan by Swami Swatmanandaji @ INT, Babulnath

Why should one do Sadhana? In order to attain the highest happiness.

What are the sadhanas that one should do? In His text, Shankara states 40 different sadhanas, which we can choose from.

The first one being, Study The Vedas Daily. Vid = by which we know.

Daily studies of the scriptures improves clarity (vivek), empowers the mind and intellect and keeps us rooted in our culture.



Second one being Do Your Karma. Karma is actions done with the body, mind & intellect with an intention and a sense of doership, which fructifies into a result. All actions must be backed by values. Do actions with the right attitude so that they do not bind us.

Swamiji also explained the 6 types of actions – daily, obligatory, selfish, prohibited, for atonement & meditation on the form.

"Mindful Parenting" @ Chinmaya Sagar on 28th Feb. by Dr. Sunitha Shankar

It was a well attended session with around 50 parents seeking parental guidance in bringing up their 5 - 12 year olds. Dr. Sunitha explained through day-to-day examples and experiences. The three important points of Time-

Limits-Caring were stressed upon to improve parental skills. The parents went home well-equipped in bringing up their children as resilient and value-based human beings.

Meenal Roopchand

Shivratri Celebration by Shishuvihar group @ Creative Kids Nursery, Cuffe Parade on March 2

There were 20 kids with their teachers and it was a half hour session. The children learned about the symbolism of Lord Shiva, sang Shiva bhajans and performed abhishek on the Shivlinga. They also did a Shiva puzzle activity, which later they took home. The teachers and children thoroughly enjoyed the session and are looking forward to other festival celebrations at the nursery.

Radhika Jasrani



A visit to Sandeepany Sadhanalaya, Powai by the Devi Group & Study Group members on 6th March

Around 50 members visited the

Powai Ashram. The visit was an eye opener for many members. It gave a sense of how well-organized and professionally run is the Mission. The tour's highlight was the seva bhava at the Ashram which was experienced everywhere in all departments from the stockroom to the CEO's office! The tireless efforts of all the back-end work from Archives to IT and Publications was there for all to see.

We started our morning by Swami Bodhatmanandaji's talk and a welcome by Manisha Khemlani and ended with a delicious lunch at the Annakshetra!

Swamiji shed light on what is the Purpose of our Lives and



how to Dwell on the teaching of the Scriptures through Meditation. Vedanta's promise is total freedom! No Disturbance of the Mind. We first do Shravanam (listening) then Mananam (reflection) and then Nidhidhyasanam (meditation).

The visit to the Ashram will be remembered by all for many years to come.

Vibhu Nagral

New Chinmaya Sethukari Class

How often have you been told that you have to "Build bridges" or you shouldn't be "Burning bridges". Of course we all have heard it several times. But have you looked at it from point of view of your life? The way of the wise is to know which bridge to build and which to burn so that you reach your destination.

Announcing a new class (details on page 44 bottom) for those who are in the age group between 30 - 45 years. Let's reflect aloud under the guidance of Swami Swatmanandaji as you crossover from youth to middle age. Please enroll fast, before you reach a stage where you can only look back at life as "water under the bridge"



Sessions by Swami Swatmananda

Geeta Power

Weekly Study of Geeta Verse-by-Verse

Talks on Geeta Ch. 3 - Karma Yoga

April 14th, 21st & 28th (Tues to Thurs) ● 12.30 to 1.30 pm Venue: Mrs. Parul Bhammar, 18th Floor, Usha Kiran Bldg,

Charmaichel Road, Behind Jaslok Hospital.

As Swami Swatmananda is busy with Chinmaya Pradeep and YEP Batch 10, these classes will resume in August 2016.

Contact: 9820185255

Upanishad Darshan

Taittriya Upanishad

Talks on Ch. 2 - Brahmananda Valli

As Swami Swatmananda is busy with Chinmaya Pradeep and YEP Batch 10, these classes will resume in August 2016.

Time: 7.15 to 8.15 am

Venue: Chinmaya Sagar, Panchsheel Bldg., 'C' Road, Churchgate

New Study Class for Chinmaya Sethukaris

Manah Shodhanam

Every Monday 7.30 to 8.30 pm

Venue: Chinmaya Shivam, Worli

Contact - 022-22814646, cmsagar@gmail.com

As Swami Swatmananda is busy with Chinmaya Pradeep and YEP Batch 10, these classes will resume in August 2016.

Sessions by Swami Swatmananda (contd...)

Geeta In Practice

Monthly Sessions - Vision of Geeta in Power Capsules

Chapter 15 - April - 5th, 6th, 7th (Tues-Thurs)

Chapter 16 - April - 26th, 27th, 28th (Tue-Thurs)

Chapter 17 - May - 24th, 25th, 26th (Tues-Thurs)

Chapter 18 - May - 31st (Tue)

June -1st (Wed), 2nd (Thurs), 7th, (Tue), 8th (Wed)

Time: 7.15 pm to 8.15 pm

Venue: Chinmaya Nursery, Kemps Corner, behind Hotel Shalimar

For registration kindly send a SMS along with your full name on 8108043204.

Please call & confirm on the above number to find out changes in dates of programme.

All are Welcome

A new class for Junior CHYKs based on the Hanuman Chalisa

Age: 12-15 yrs

@ Marine Drive

Every Sunday • 3.30 to 4.30 pm

To register contact: 9820131623

Celebrate Hanuman Jayanti

by chanting it 108 times

22nd April 2016 • 8.30 am to 5.30 pm

Venue: Chinmaya Sagar, Panchsheel, Churchgate

Ram Navami Celebrations

Ramo Vigrahavaan Dharma Rama - The Embodiment of Dharma

by Brni. Nidhi Chaitanya

on 12th April 2016 (Tuesday) 10.15 am to 1.00 pm

10.15am : Invocation

10.30am - 11.30am : Talk on "Is Rama really an embodiment

of Dharma in spite of all that He did?"

11.30am - 11.45am : Q & A / Informal Discussions

11.45am-12.45 : Ramayan Quiz based on Kishkindha

Kaand & Sunder Kaand & prize distribution.

12.45-1pm : Archana followed by Arati

Venue : Prem Puri Ashram, 5th floor, Babulnath.

All are welcome. Entry free

Ram Navami Celebrations

RAM NAVMI day when HE is enshrined in one's heart! Rama is the name for the Ananda that is inherent in every heart.

Come, let us celebrate HIS birth in our hearts and also our PUJYA GURUDEV's 100th BIRTHDAY

(as per the Hindu Tithi)

15th April 2016 (Friday) 11.00 am. to 11.45am Paduka Puja 12pm. to 12.45 Shree Ram Janma Badhai

Venue: Chinmaya Sagar, Churchgate.



Chinmaya Mission South Mumbai
welcomes you to
Geetathon

...Krishna goes home-to-home with a message of Geeta for everyone

Daily Geeta Satsangs anywhere in South Mumbai (Colaba to Worli)

From 8th April 2016 to 7th May 2016

A Simple 60 minutes program including:

- Talk / Satsang on Geeta by a Sevak / Acharya
- Video-clip by Pujya Gurudev Swami Chinmayananda on relevant topic
- Chanting of Geeta Shlokas(optional)
- Chinmaya Arati
- A grand Geeta Chariot with Krishna & Arjuna comes to the home hosting the Geetathon talk along with Padukas of Pujya Gurudev Swami Chinmayananda
- The host family also receives an inspiring token along with a copy of an autographed photograph of Pujya Gurudev Swami Chinmayananda.

Any donation to support the socio-spiritual out-reach activities and service-projects of Chinmaya Mission, are welcome. All cheques should be in favour of 'Chinmaya Seva Trust'.

www.chinmayamissionmumbai.com Chinmaya Birth Centenary Celebrations

UNTO HIM OUR BEST



Reena Rajpal 9820283667 Sujata Murali 9820504696

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Chinmaya Mahima Zone

(Mahim to Dadar and Sion to Parel)

Executive Committee - Chinmaya Mahima Zone

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Ganesha Atharva Sheersha for Balvihar Children by Br. Yukta Chaitanya

Every Saturday • 4.30 - 5.00 pm

Venue : Chinmaya Mahima Centre, Opp. Paradise Talkies, Opp. SBI Bank, Mahim 16.

Contact: Sarika Pherwani on 9820300281

New Study Class on Tattva Bodha

by Br. Yukta Chaitanya

Every Monday starting from 14th March ● 4.30 - 6.00 pm Venue : Chinmaya Mahima Centre, Opp. Paradise Talkies, Opp. SBI Bank, Mahim 16.

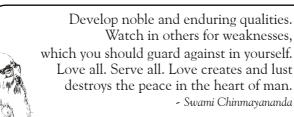
Contact: Br. Yukta Chaitanya on 9820000444

Geeta Chanting Class for beginners by Sri. H. P. Ishwar

Every Monday and Thursday • 11.00 am - 12.00 noon

Venue : Flat # 505, Dosti Elite, A Wing, Near Sion Telephone Exchange, Sion East.

Contact: Smt. Vinita Acharya on 9821020403



Chinmaya Jayam Zone

(Bandra, Khar, Santacruz, Vile Parle)

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Opportuities in life come ot everyone of us almost all the time. They come in streams, in hosts and knocks at our doors. we are either 'out' or sleeping 'in' Be awake. Be alert. Be prepared to make use of them.

- Swami Chinmayananda



Sessions / Camp by Swamini Krishnapriyananda

Rama Navami Celebrations

15th April 2016 • 11.00 am to 12.30 pm

Satsangh, Bhajans followed by prasad

Venue: 101 Garden Crest, West Avenue Road, Santacruz West, Mumbai - 400054

Vishnu Shashranama Chanting

21st May 2016

on the Occasion of Budh Purnima

Venue : 101, Garden Crest, West Avenue Road, Santacruz West, Mumbai - 400054

Don't move Swamiji!

I never do.





Sessions by Swamini Krishnapriyananda

Guru Purnima Celebrations

Paduka Puja & Gurudev's Video Clipping

17th July 2016 • 11.00 am to 12.30 pm

Vedanta Saar

Every Monday from 4.00 to 5.30 pm

Ashtavakra Geeta

Every Wednesday from 5.00 to 6.30 pm

Ishyavasya Upanishad

Every Thursday from 4.00 to 5.30 pm

Bhaja Govindam

Every Saturday from 10.30 to 11.30 am

Bhaja Govidam

Every Sunday from 10.30 to 11.30 am

Venue for all the above programmes at 101, Garden Crest, West Avenue Road, Santacruz West, Mumbai - 400054

Hindi camp at Adi Shankara Nilayam CIF Kerala

EXPERIENCE YOURSELF by

Nidhidhyasan

(Meditation)

By Swamini Krishnapriyanada
(Acharya Chinmaya Mission Santacruz)

18th September to 22nd September 2016

Guided Meditation with Lectures on Aaparokshanubhuti, Brahmandand Valli and Vakya Vritti

Other camp highligts
Paduka Puja, bhajans and Satsang
2 days site seeing at Kerala (optional)

Camp Inaguration

18th evening 5 pm and concludes at 22nd evening at 6 pm

Please book your tickets on the 18th morning by flight and return on 25th september (if you book in advance it s the same as the train fare!)

Camp Donation 4000 per person for non AC rooms and Rs 5000 for AC rooms.

Further Details please contact | Meena Ruparel 09223413586 Vijay Patil 09819978073

Chinmaya Priyam Zone

(Andheri & Juhu)

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All joys known to me in my daily life are because of me and the objects of my liking. - Swami Chinmayananda

Special Devi Group Camp on Sadhana Panchagam from 3rd - 5th March @ Chinmaya Vibhooti, Kolwan by Brni. Nidhi Chaitanya

Sadhana Panchakam was covered in a very inspiring manner and all the participants were very deeply touched and motivated.

Gayatri Havan was conducted at Pranav Ganesh temple on 5th morning.

Meditation sessions were conducted in the Dhyan Mandir at Pranav Ganesh Temple.

There were also FAQ videos of Pujya Gurudev and the movie "Way of the Peaceful Warrior" were screened after dinner. The ladies particularly enjoyed the informal Satsangs and Q&A sessions with Nidhiji.

Talks on Remembering Shiva on Shiva Aparadha Kshamapana Stotram on 1st and 2nd March

Very poetically the depth of devotion was explained from a practical standpoint.

The importance of dedicating our thoughts to the Shiva - who is the Self - the Ultimate Auspiciousness - was reiterated very inspiringly.

The talks were followed by Japa and Guided Meditation.

Upadesha Saram

Talks in English

by Br. Sujay Chaitanya

(Acharya, Chinmaya Mission, Mangalore)

From 23rd to 28th May 2016

07.00 pm to 08.30 pm

Venue: Versova Welfare School Hall, Gymko Lane, Seven Bungalows, Andheri (West).

All are Welcome

Feminity to Infinity

Overcoming Negativity, Discovering Divinity

Exclusive 3-day Devi Group Camp with Brni. Nidhi Chaitanya

27th - 29th September 2016 (Tuesday - Thursday)

- FOR LADIES ONLY -

Camp Highlights:

- □ Talks on Overcoming 6 Negativities : Dependency, Anger, Unfulfilment, Assumptuousness, Insecurity, Ego
- Q & A Sessions on "Spirituality, Myths & Superstitions Related to Women"
- ☐ Meditation for Empowerment & Positivity
- ☐ Gayatri Havan with 108 Ahutis
- ☐ Tips on Sadhana for Women through Informal Satsangs
- ☐ Special Highlight: Special Ladies-only Raas-Garbaa Night

Camp Donations: 27th - 29th September 2016

Triple-sharing non-AC room : Rs 2500 per person
Twin-sharing non-AC room : Rs 3000 per person
Twin-sharing non-AC cottage : Rs 3500 per person

Individual accommodation non-AC room : Rs 4000 Individual accommodation non-AC cottage : Rs 5000

Twin sharing AC cottage : Rs 5000 per person Individual accommodation AC cottage : Rs 6000 per person Driver Accommodation : Rs 750 per head

You can travel on your own or join us in the AC Buses which will be arranged for participants as per requirement. Travel contributions is Rs.1000 for one-way and Rs.1800 for both ways

Venue: Chinmaya Vibhooti, Kolwan

For Details & Registrations,

Contact: 26112358 / 26112359 / 9320286048



Sessions by Brni. Nidhi Chaitanya

Venue: Chinmaya Priyam, Juhu

TITI Training the Trainer

70 Trainers...

went to schools, colleges, clubs, offices and conducted 1008 iTransform workshops in 2015 touched nearly 50000 lives transformed many....

Now it's your turn...!

Be an iTransform Trainer, Make a difference to the Nation...

Age-Limit: 60 years & below

Who can be a Trainer? students, teachers, housewives, businessmen, or anyone passionate about the Nation

Time: 2.00 pm - 4.00 pm

19th April - Tuesday - 20th April - Wednesday - 21st April - Thursday - 22nd April - Friday - 25th April - Monday - 26th April - Tuesday - 27th April - Wednesday - 28th April - Thursday -	TITI - An Introduction Patriotic Transformation Physical Transformation Emotional Transformation Intellectual Transformation Cultural Transformation Spiritual Transformation Universal Transformation Public Speaking Process Orientation
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Venue: 5, Jain Vihar, Plot No.40, Swastik Society, NS Road#3, Juhu Scheme, Mumbai 400056. Mumbai - 4000049

To enrol, call Pooja: 9870410805



Sessions by **Brni. Nidhi Chaitanya**

Monthly Geeta Darshan - 2016 Dates

Talks on Bhagavad Geeta (in English)

13th - 17th June ● 11.00 am to 12.30 pm Chapter - 8 : Power of Thought

8th - 12th August • 11.00 am to 12.30 pm Chapter - 9: Power of Knowledge

3rd - 7th October • 11.00 am - 12.30 pm Chapter - 10 : Power of Divinity

14th - 18th November • 11.00 am - 12.30 pm Chapter - 11 : Power of the Lord

Venue: Chinmaya Priyam, Juhu. • Contact: 26112358 / 26112359

Must Watch

Daily TV Telecast of

Talks on the Holy Geeta by Pujya Gurudev Swami Chinmayananda

Monday - Friday 7.30 am to 8.00 am &



Talks on Vivekachoodamani

Saturday & Sunday 7.30 am to 8.00 am

on



भक्तिसागर

Bhakti Sagar TV Channel

(available on Cable TV Only and Not on DTH)

Chinmaya Bhakti Zone

(Goregaon to Bhayandar)



On 7th March, on Mahashivratri day, the Balavihar children from Borivali under the able guidance of Smt. Sitalaxmi alias Sudha V Iyer an engineering student gave a wonderful performance from 5.00 to 6.00 pm with Bhajans & devotional songs at Mandapeswar Caves, Borivali (W) entertaining the audience on the invitation of Mandapeswar Utsav Samithi.

Ms. Sudha Iyer being felicitated with the statue of Lord Shiva & certificates and to all the Children. The audience were very much impressed with the Balavihar children wonderful non-stop performance for an hour & many enquired about how to send their wards to Balavihar classes.

Karma Yoga (Geeta Ch 3)

Talks in English

by Br. Sujay Chaitanya

(Acharya, Chinmaya Mission, Mangalore)

From 14^{th} to 20^{th} May 2016

07.30 pm to 09.00 pm

Venue: Ayyappa Temple, Bangur Nagar, Goregaon (West).

All are Welcome

Jagadeeshwara Zone

(Powai)

Birthday Havan

We have been celebrating our children birthday every year in different ways, eg. calling children friends, having games, blowing off candles and cutting of cake. Somewhere along the way in our hectic lives we are missing out on how our parents celebrated our own Birthdays.

Jagadeeshwara Zone, Powai Mumbai, has launched a 'Free Birthday Havan' (Aayush havan) to be performed on the first Sunday of every month. Children having their birthdays in a particular month can register for the Havan to be conducted on the first Sunday of that month. The timings are from 9.30 to 11.30. 9.30 to 10.30 am is the Havan then 10.30 to 11.30 is Balavihar.





This initiative was launched on the auspicious day of Mahashivratri. We had a stall with a tag line "Celebrate your Children Birthday with Ganesha, Krishna, Hanuman" which was a big hit and hundreds of them registered on the spot for this free birthday havan.

When new families come in to celebrate their children Birthday Havan they are introduced to Balavihar and Chyk. Here no cost is involved for families and all can celebrate their Birthday. New families can be told of different activities of Mission for Children and grown ups. This is a cost effective and mass scale activity which can be taken up by all zones. This also involves less time i.e. first Sunday of every

month for about 2 hours only.

On March 13th the first Free Group Birthday Havan was celebrated at the Powai temple. After initial registration, the students' of the vedanta course sang beautiful bhajans. This was followed by a small talk by Acharya Raoji. He spoke on the importance of Havan in our lives and how children are benefitted.

This was followed by the Birthday Havan at the yagna shalla attached to the main Shiva Temple. It was a beautiful sight in the green surroundings with birds chirping and the panditji

lighting the holy fire and reciting the vedic mantras.

Small children from toddlers in mothers arms to kids looked at the Holy fire trying to understand the vedic mantras which were being recited for their long and healthy life.

After the Havan all were given Prasad and Bal Vihar Magazine.

This was followed by an introduction to balvihar, the free Sunday class for kids aged between 5 years and 12 years.



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Tara Cultural Trust Sandeepany Sadhanalaya, Powai

Ramanavami

on Friday 15th April 2016 • 10.30 am to 12.30 pm

Programme

Bhajans - 10.30 to 11.00 am

Satsang - 11.00 to 12.00 noon

Ram Janma Utsav - 12.00 – 12.30 pm

Prasad - 12.30 pm

Sponsorships

Ram Janma Utsav : Rs. 7500

Pooja Yajman

Bhiksha: Rs. 15000

All donations in favour of "Tara Cultural Trust"

Venue: Jagadeeshwara Temple, Saki Vihar Road, Powai, Mumbai - 400072

All are cordially invited to participate

The secret of success behind all men of achievement, lies in the faculty of applying their intellect in all their activities, without being misled by any surging emotions or feelings.

The secret of success in life lies in keeping the head above the storms of the heart

- Swami Chinmayananda



Chinmaya Narayan

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Chembur-Ghatkopar Zone is now CHINMAYA NARAYAN ZONE!

The Chembur Ghatkopar Zone has now been named Chinmaya Narayan by Pujya Guruji, in memory of Shri Narain Bhatia.

He was a remarkable administrator CEO and Trustee

He was a remarkable administrator, CEO and Trustee who passed away in February this year.

TITI 'Training the Trainer' program

TITI 'Training the Trainer' program was organized from 26th to 28th of February. Training in 3 levels of transformation was conducted by senior & dedicated trainers of Team Mumbai. Details are as under,



- 1. Physical Transformation by Sri Tapan Parikh
- 2. Spiritual Transformation by Smt. Nimisha Parekh
- 3. Cultural Transformation by Smt. Geetha Raghavan

The training was attended by 20 aspiring trainers.



Sampoorna Geeta Parayan @ the residence of P. B. Someshwar on 18th January

As part of Ghar Ghar Mein Geeta, the Geeta Chanting group chanted the entire Bhagawad Geeta at residence of Smt. Indira and Shri. P B Someshwar at Munjal Nagar, Chembur (West).

Sampoorna Geeta Parayana @ the residence of Shri Natarajan, Near Gandhi Maidan, Chembur on 22nd January

The host was so pleased that he offered to take the Chanting Group members to Shringeri Math in Karnataka to chant in the presence of Shankaracharyaji.

Geeta Chanting in honour of Sri Nageshwar Rao on 23rd January

On 29th January 2016, members of Chinmaya Narayan Zone chanted some chapters of Geeta in honour of late Shri Nagendra Rao, who left for his heavenly abode at the age of 92 years.

Shri Rao was a very humble Sevak of the Mission. He used to be always available to do seva during any function of the Mission in the Zone. An exemployee of Canara Bank, he excelled in the Banking sector as well. After partition, he travelled to Karachi to close the branch of Canara Bank there. He was also an excellent Yoga teacher and used to teach yoga to young and old with humour and proficiency. The family members of Shri Rao thanked Chinmaya profusely Mission for this gesture.





Sampoorna Geeta Parayan @ the residence of Ajay Abhyankar on 14th February

The Geeta Chanting group chanted the entire Geeta at the residence of Shri Ajay and Smt Madhavi Abhyankar, at Postal Colony, Chembur (East). Nearly 10 to 12 members were present. and also many family members of the host were also present.

Sampoorna Geeta Parayan @ the residence of Sri Manjunath Prabhu on 15th February



Sampoorna Geeta Paarayana was held at the residence of Shri Manjunath and Smt Maya Prabhu, at Tilak Nagar, Chembur (West).

Ghar Ghar Mein Geeta @ the residence of Lakshmi Natarajan on 24th February



The session was conducted at Smt. Lakshmi Natarajan's residence. It was attended by around 20 people who watched 4 video clippings of Pujya Gurudev lucidly explaining concepts of Geeta with the help of BMI chart. The sevak, Dr. Narayanan handled the question answer

session. The session was followed by Aarti & lunch Prasad.

Sampoorna Geeta Parayan @ the Residence of Ujwala Sethna on 19th February

Sampoorna Geeta Parayana was conducted at the residence of Smt.Ujjwala Sethna a devotee & Bal Vihar Sevika. One special feature of the Parayana was, one of the lady devotees, chanted entire Bhagawad Geeta by heart.



Study class - Self Unfoldment

Every Sunday 4:30 to 6 pm

Sevak: Shri. Prasad Deole

Venue : B-207 Parasnath, Sudha Park, Ghatkopar (East), Mumbai - 400 077.

Bhagawad Geeta Chanting Class

Every Thursday between 4.00 and 5.00 pm

Sevak - P. B. Someshwar

Venue: Lotus Bldg, Flat No. 703, 60 ft Road, Near Vikrant Circle, Ghatkopar (East), Mumbai - 400 077

Contact: 9820118913

New Classes for

Pre-Chyk - Smt. Mini Pillai

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Matru Pooja conducted at Vivekananda Sankul School -Sanpada on 20th Feb.

The Primary English and Marathi Medium School arranged a Matru Pooja at 7.30 am. It was conducted by the Principal and her host of teachers. One of the teacher did the Ganapathi pooja and Saraswathi pooja followed by Matru pooja.

Br. Ved Chaitanyaji conducted the Matru Pooja guiding the children and explaining the significance of the same. The students who did not participate were accommodated at the periphery of the quadrangle and the pooja was conducted by

participating students at the centre. This pooja is a regular feature in the school, which was started 7 years back. On the whole it was a very divine experience in the morning with the chanting and the programme concluded with bhajan and prasad distribution.



Commemorative Coins of Pujya Gurudev

The nation led by the Honourable Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi paid tribute to Pujya Gurudev, Swami Chinmayananda with the release of a commemorative coin on 8th May 2015 at his residence, 7 Race Course Road, in Delhi.

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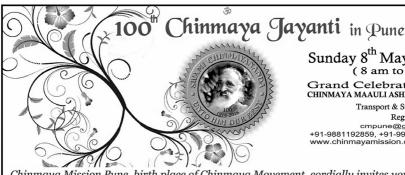
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Eligibility: Persons above 50 years of age both males \mathcal{E} females irrespective of caste \mathcal{E} creed.

Course content: Meditation, Spiritual Text-Nirvana Shatakam, Integral Yoga Theory & Practice, Accupressure theory & practice, subjects covering Emotional, Social, Financial and Spiritual Health of elderlies.

Camp Expenses: 8500/- per person but Rs. 9500/- per person for double bedded rooms (Non Refundable). Covers Boarding, Lodging, camp materials and travelling to and fro Ayodhyaji, Chitrakoot, Vindhyavasini Shaktipeeth, Varanasi, Triveni Sangam and important Temples in Allahabad. Also Akshayavatam (Immortal Banyan Tree) subject to permission from the Army.

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Rs. 12500/- (Non-Refundable) per person covers course fees, camp material, board & lodging, travelling from Haridwar to Uttarkashi, Gangotri, Badrinath and back to Haridwar on 24th June, 2016.

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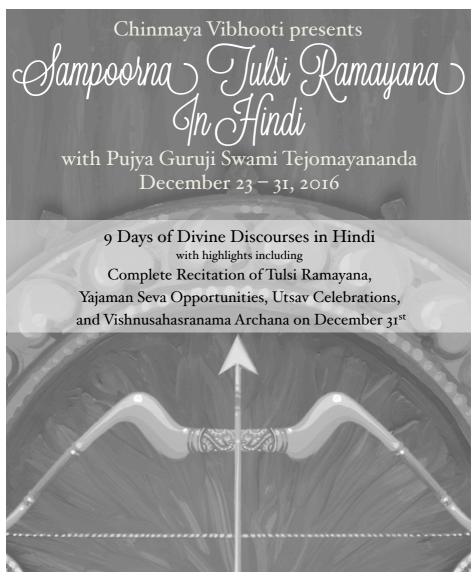


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On the auspicious occasion of Mahashivaratri, 6 more Chinmaya Mission Brahmachari and Brahmacharinis were initiated into Sanyas Ashram by Pujya Guruji at Sandeepany Sadhanalaya, Powai.

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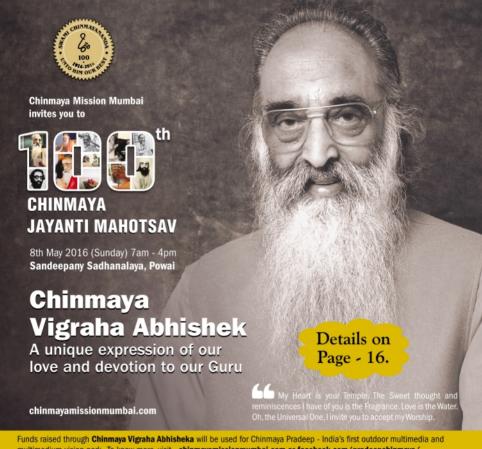
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