



JAI SHREE RAM

TEMPLE SHREE RAMJI MANDHATA

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Honorable Members,

Namaskar! It is with great pleasure that we send you the first newsletter of 2020. We hope this letter finds everyone in good health as we welcome the New Year.

We are very pleased to announce that at the beginning of this year, we were able to obtain the required building permit from Ville de Montreal to install the Shikhars on our Temple and finally complete the full construction of our beautiful Mandir! The manufacturing process is currently in progress as per our approved architectural plans and drawings. This fabrication work is being conducted by Devgeet Arts and Crafts - a specialized manufacturer of the Fiberglass Shikhars, from Ahmedabad in Gujarat, India. We are trying our best to have the Shikhars installed by the upcoming Patotsav.

As you all know, Shree Raojibhai Kashibhai Patel (of Dist-Anand, Gujarat) contributed with a very generous donation towards our Shikhar Project last year. We are also happy to note that many people have already donated \$100 or more towards the Shikhar project and we humbly request everyone to donate at least \$100 so we can continue to reach our goal. We firmly believe we will ultimately achieve this goal with the collective support of the entire community and count on your support.

At this time, we would also like to take this opportunity to inform and invite everyone to the upcoming events that will be taking place at our Temple. You are all cordially invited to participate in these and all the events at the temple, with family and friends.

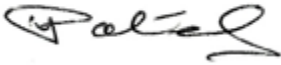
- 1. MAHA SHIVRATRI:** Friday, February 21st from 7:00 to 9:00 PM
The Maha Shivratri Puja will be offered once during the time mentioned above. To participate in this event, please register your names with any of the priest at the Temple by calling at 514-277-9298. A contribution of \$51 is requested for the benefit of the temple.
SPONSORED BY: Shree Manojbhai Sheth, Bhavnagarvala
- 2. SHREE HOLI POOJAN:** Monday, March 9th from 7:00 to 9:00 PM
SPONSORED BY: Shree Vijayabhai Bachubhai Patel, Khambhalav
- 3. SHREE RAMPARAYAN SAPTAH:** The reading of the RAMCHARIT MANAS by Shree Tulsidas is being organized during the auspicious month of Chaitra as a celebration of Ram Navami. The schedule for these readings is as follows:

Wednesday, March 25th through Friday, March 27th from 7:00 to 9:00 PM
Saturday, March 28th from 10:00 AM to 12:30 PM with the reciting of Sunderkhand and from
2:00 to 7:00 PM with the continued reading of Shree Ramcharit Manas.
Sunday, March 29th from 2:00 to 7:00 PM
Monday, March 30th through Wednesday, April 1st from 7:00 to 9:00 PM

4. **RAM JANAMOTSAV PUJAN:** Thursday, April 2nd from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM
5. **RAM JANAMOTSAV CELEBRATION:** The celebration of Lord Ram's birthday will take place on Saturday, April 4th from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM with bhajan kirtan.
SPONSORED BY: This event is being collectively sponsored by our families from Sultanpur Vibhaag
6. **SHREE HANUMAN JAYANTI:** Saturday, April 11th beginning with the Parayan of Sunderkhand from 7:00 to 9:00 AM and then continuing with the reciting of 51 Hanuman Chalisa.
SPONSORED BY: Shree Dahyabhai Modi and family.

Your constructive suggestions and advice are always welcome and once again we invite you to come and take part in all activities at the temple with family and friends.

On behalf of The Executive Council,



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