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## CALENDAR FOR JANUARY 2017

**Shrine** : Devotional Songs : In the Shrine from 5.00 p.m. to 5.50 p.m. every working day

2 Monday, 5.00 p.m. : **Public Lecture**

**Subject** : *Pashchatya Darshan: Adi Parva* (Bengali)

**Speaker** : Prof Amalendu Chakraborty, Formerly Professor of Philosophy, Presidency College

**Venue** : Shivananda Hall

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3 Tuesday, 5.30 p.m. : **Durga Majumdar Endowment Lecture**

**Subject** : *Vivekachudamani* (Bengali)

**Speaker** : Dr Sitanath Goswami, Formerly Professor of Sanskrit, Jadavpur University

**Venue** : Shivananda Hall

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4 Wednesday, 6.00 p.m. :

**R.K. Bhuwalka Memorial Lecture**

**Subject** : *Bhagavata Katha* (Bengali)

**Speaker** : Prof. Tapan Kr. Chakraborty, Formerly Professor of Philosophy, Jadavpur University

**Venue** : Shivananda Hall

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5 Thursday, 5.30 p.m. : **Bimal Krishna Matilal Endowment Lecture**

**Subject** : *Bhagavad-Gita* (Sanskrit)

**Speaker** : Dr Sitanath Goswami, Formerly Professor of Sanskrit, Jadavpur University

**Venue** : Shivananda Hall

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6 Friday, 6.00 p.m. : **Prof Upendra Kumar Das Endowment Lecture**

**Subject** : *Tantrer Sapta-Achar* (Bengali)

**Speaker** : Sri Chinmay Nanda, Educationist

**Venue** : Vivekananda Hall

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7 Saturday, 4.00 p.m.

Vivekananda Anusheelan (Personality Development Programme for Youth members)

7 Saturday , 6.00 p.m. : **Swami  
Purananda Memorial Lecture**

**Subject** : *Sri Ram Katha* (Bengali)  
**Speaker** : Sri Rameswar  
Gangopadhyay, Traditional Ramayana  
Singer

**President**: Swami Suparnananda,  
Secretary, The Ramakrishna Mission  
Institute of Culture

**Venue** : Vivekananda Hall



9 Monday, 6.15 p.m. : **Anil Chandra  
Jha Endowment Lecture**

**Subject** : *Sri Sri Ramakrishna  
Punthi* (Bengali)

**Speaker** : Swami Vishnudevananda

**Venue** : Vivekananda Hall



10 Tuesday , 6.00 p.m. : **Mahendra-  
Nirmala Memorial Lecture**

**Subject** : *Mahabharate Dharma  
Samparke Alochito kichu Dharana*  
(Bengali)

**Speaker** : Prof Prabal Kumar Sen,  
Formerly Professor of Philosophy,  
Calcutta University

**President**: Prof. Tapan Kumar  
Chakraborty, Formerly Professor of  
Philosophy Jadavpur University

**Venue** : Vivekananda Hall



11 Wednesday, 6.00 p.m. **Banikanta  
Leela Banerjee Endowment  
Lecture**

**Subject** : *Sri Sri Ramakrishna  
Kathamrita* (Bengali)

**Speaker** : Swami Suparnananda,  
Secretary, The Ramakrishna Mission  
Institute of Culture

**Venue** : Vivekananda Hall



12 Thursday : **Cultural Programme:**  
To mark the 154 th Birth Anniversary  
of Swami Vivekananda : *A Music  
Festival*

**8.45 a.m.**

**Inauguration**: Swami Suparnananda

**Morning Session (9.00 a.m.)**

Pt. Prateek Chaudhuri-Sitar, Pt.  
Sukhvinder Singh-Tabla; Pt. Jasraj-Vo-  
cal, Mukund Petkar-Harmonium, Pt.  
Swapan Choudhury-Tabla (Admission  
by Entry Card ) **Afternoon Session**

**(1.00 p.m.)**

Shib Narayan Banerjee & Troupe-Odissi  
Dance; Vidwan R K Padmanabha-  
Saraswati Veena, Vidwan Chandan  
Kumar-Flute, Jayachandra Rao-  
Mridanga, P V Sairam-Ghatam  
(Admission by Entry Card)

**Evening Session(5.00 p.m.)**

Harsh Narayan-Sarangi, Anubrata  
Chatterjee-Tabla; Pt. Hari Prasad  
Chaurasia-Flute, Pt. Subhankar Banerjee-  
Tabla (Admission by Entry Card )

**Venue** : Vivekananda Hall



13 Friday, 6.00 p.m. :

**Pannalal Saraogi Endowment  
Lecture**

**Subject** : *Yuganayak Vivekananda*  
(Bengali)

**Speaker** : Swami Chidrupananda

**Venue** : Vivekananda Hall



14 Saturday, 4.00 p.m.

Vivekananda Anusheelan (Personality  
Development Programme for Youth  
members)

14 Saturday, 6.00 p.m. :

**Vivekananda Science Circle**

**Subject** : *Carbon: From Quantum  
Computer to Consciousness*  
(English)

**Speaker** : Professor Somnath  
Bhattacharyya, Head of Nano-scale  
Transport Physics Laboratory, School  
of Physics, University of  
Witwatersrand, South Africa

**Venue** : Shivananda Hall



16 Monday , 5.30 p.m. :

**Swami Madhavananda and Swami Sankarananda Lecture Symposium on**

*Life and Teachings of Holy Mother Sri Sri Sarada Devi*

**Opening Song** :Swami Prajnatmananda  
**Participants:**

Swami Divyavibhananda  
Swami Prajnatmananda  
Swami Sarvavidananda

**President** : Swami Suparnananda

**Venue** : Vivekananda Hall



17 Tuesday, 5.30 p.m. : **Tarak Nath Das Endowment Lecture**

**Subject** : *Kashmir Saivism* (English)

**Speaker** : Dr Debabrata Sen Sharma, Surrendra Paul Professor of Indological Studies and Research, Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture

**Venue** : Premananda Hall



18 Wednesday, 6.00 p.m.: **Public Lecture**

**Subject** : *Ashtavakra Samhita* (Bengali)

**Speaker** : Dr. Sumitra Mitra (Ghosh) Formerly Head of the Department of History, Vidyasagar College for Women

**Venue** : Shivananda Hall



20 Friday, 6.00 p.m. : **Bidyut-Bikash-Renuka Kaustov Rakhit Memorial Lecture**

**Subject** : *Mundaka Upanishad* (English)

**Speaker** : Swami Atmapriyananda, Vice Chancellor, Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda University, Belur Math

**Venue** : Shivananda Hall



21 Saturday, 4.00 p.m.

Vivekananda Anusheelan (Personality Development Programme for Youth members)

24 Tuesday, 5.30 p.m. : **Durga Majumdar Endowment Lecture**

**Subject** : *Vivekachudamani* (Bengali)

**Speaker** : Dr Sitanath Goswami, Formerly Professor of Sanskrit, Jadavpur University

**Venue** : Shivananda Hall



25 Wednesday, 6.00 p.m. **Banikanta Leela Banerjee Endowment Lecture**

**Subject** : *Sri Sri Ramakrishna Kathamrita* (Bengali)

**Speaker** : Swami Suparnananda, Secretary, The Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture

**Venue** : Vivekananda Hall



27 Friday , 6.00 p.m. : **Charushila Jha Endowment Lecture**

**Subject** : *Sri Sri Ramakrishna Lilaprasanga* (Bengali)

**Speaker** : Swami Advaitatmananda

**Venue** :Vivekananda Hall



28 Saturday, 4.00 p.m.

Vivekananda Anusheelan (Personality Development Programme for Youth members)

28 Saturday, 4.30 p.m.

*Swamiji O Netaji Galpa Asar* by the members of the Vivekananda Study Circle (Junior)

**Venue** : Shivananda Hall

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29 Sunday, 6.00 p.m.

**79th Foundation Day Anniversary Meeting**

**Welcoming Address:** Swami Suparnananda, Secretary, Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture

**Foundation Day Oration:** Prof. Sugata Bose, Gardiner Professor of History, Harvard University

**Subject:** How Can India Realize Swami Vivekananda's Glorious Vision?

**Presidential Address :** Shri Keshari Nath Tripathi, Hon'ble Governor of West Bengal

**Vote of Thanks :** Dr Ajay Ray, Director, Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology, Shibpur, Howrah

**Venue :** Vivekananda Hall

31 Tuesday, 6.00 p.m. :

**Scripture Class**

**Subject :** *Gita* (Bengali)

**Speaker :** Swami Suparnananda, Secretary, The Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture

**Venue :** Vivekananda Hall

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All are cordially invited to attend.

28 December 2016

**Swami Suparnananda**

Secretary

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- Children below 12 years of age are not allowed in the lectures and discourses.
  - Use of mobile phone is strictly prohibited in the Hall.
  - All programmes are subject to change.
  - These programmes are also displayed in our Webside