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MONTHLY PROGRAMMES FOR AUGUST 2023

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

2 Wednesday, 6.00 p.m.

Banikanta Leela Banerjee Endowment Lecture

Subject : *Deva Vani* (Bengali) Speaker : Swami Suparnananda, Secretary, Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture Venue : Shivananda Hall

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4 Friday 6.00 p.m. Girija Sankar Shukla and Hiranmoy Dutt Memorial Lecture

Subject : Swamijir Jnana Yoga : Byaktigoto Anubhabe (Bengali) Speaker : Dr. Indrajit Ray, Professor of Economics, Cardiff Business School, UK Venue : Shivananda Hall

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5 Saturday, 10.30 a.m.

Inaugural Programme of Atma Vikasha (Self Development) - A Value Education programme for Childrens of Upper Primary Classes; Orientation Programme for Teachers and Parents/Guardians of Participating Schools of Kolkata Venue : Vivekananda Hall (Entry by Invitation only)

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5 Saturday, 4.00 p.m.

Vivekananda Anusheelan (Personality Development Programme for Youth members only)

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7 Monday, 6.00 p.m.

Durga Majumdar Memorial Lecture Subject : *Vedantasara* (Bengali) **Speaker** : Dr. Ayan Bhattacharya, Professor of Sanskrit, West Bengal State University, Barasat **Venue** : Shivananda Hall

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8 Tuesday, 6.00 p.m. Vivekananda Science Circle

Subject : Forgetfulness-Is It A Disease? Speaker : Smt. Nilanjana Maulik, Secretary General, Alzheimers and Related Disorders Society's of India-Kolkata Chapter Venue : Shivananda Hall

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9 Wednesday, 5.00 p.m.

Release of the Book : Swami Ranganathanada-A Monk of Fundamental Wisdom and Spirituality. (In Collaboration with Universal Spirituality and Humanity Foundation)

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Revered Srimat Swami Girishanandaji Maharaj, Vice President, Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission **Speakers** : Swami Suparnananda, Swami Narasimhananda, Swami Shuddhidananda, Dr. H.P. Kanoria, Sri Pallab Kumar Mukheriee Venue : Shivananda Hall (Entry by Invitation only)

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10 Thursday, 6.00 p.m. Fanindranath-Rani Ganguli and Dr. **Tapash Basu Memorial Lecture**

Subject : Netajir Antardhan

Speaker : Dr. Purabi Roy, Eminent Speaker and Scholar; Secretary, Netaji Bhavana Manch Venue : Shivananda Hall

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11 Friday, 6.00 p.m. **Shyamlal Ruiya Endowment Lecture**

Subject : Yuganayak Vivekananda (Bengali)

Speaker : Swami Chidrupananda, Adhyaksha, Ramakrishna Math, Beni Pal Udvan Venue : Shivananda Hall

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12 Saturday, 4.00 p.m.

Vivekananda Anusheelan (Personality **Development Programme for Youth** members only)

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12 Saturday, 5.30 p.m.

Cultural Programme

Malhar Festival : Arshad Ali Khan and Sandip Chatterjee with Pt. Tanmoy Bose on Tabla for a 'Vocal and Santoor Duet' and Ustad Aashish Khan with Ustad Sabir Khan on Tabla for a 'Sarod Racital' Venue : Vivekananda Hall

(Admission by Entry Card)

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14 Monday, 6.00 p.m.

Durga Majumdar Memorial Lecture

Subject : Vedantasara (Bengali) Speaker : Dr. Ayan Bhattacharya, Professor of Sanskrit, West Bengal State University, Barasat Venue : Shiyananda Hall

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16 Wednesday, 6.00 p.m. **Banikanta Leela Baneriee Endowment Lecture**

Subject : Deva Vani (Bengali) Speaker : Swami Suparnananda, Secretary, Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture

Venue : Shivananda Hall

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17 Thursday, 6.00 p.m. Sachindranath-Shovarani and Dr. Anwara Khatun-Anisur Rahman Memorial Lecture

Subject : Sri Ramakrishna Bhakta Nistarini Devi (Bengali) Speaker : Sri Amar Mukherjee, Eminent Speaker Venue : Shivananda Hall

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18 Friday, 5.30 p.m. Cultural Programme Tabu Mon Tomate Dhaay : Devo-

tional Songs by Smt. Sumita Mazumdar and Sri Dipanjan Paul **Venue** : Vivekananda Hall (All are welcome)

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19 Saturday, 4.00 p.m. Vivekananda Anusheelan (Personality Development Programme for Youth members only)

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21 Monday, 6.00 p.m. **R K Bhuwalka Memorial Lecture**

Subject : *Bhagavata Katha* (Bengali) Speaker : Dr. Ayan Bhattacharya, Professor of Sanskrit, West Bengal State University, Barasat Venue : Shivananda Hall

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22 Tuesday, 6.00 p.m. Jnana Chandra Pal-Rangadamoyee Pal and Kamala Mitter Memorial Lecture Subject : Sarva Bhute Hita Ratah (Bengali) Speaker : Sri Syamal Banik, Eminent Speaker Venue : Shivananda Hall

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23 Wednesday, 6.00 p.m.

Rabindra-Nirmala, Gopinath-Prabasjiban and Amalendu Chakraborty Memorial Lecture

Subject : *Abasarer Abakash* (Bengali) Speaker : Dr. Nilanjana Sanyal, Former Professor and HOD, Psychology Dept. CU; President, Indian Psychoanalytical Society Venue : Shivananda Hall

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24 Thursday, 6.00 p.m.

Taraknath Das Endowment Lecture Subject : *Sanskrit Sahitya Parikrama* (Bengali)

Speaker : Dr. Samiran Chandra Chakrabarti, Formerly Director, School of Vedic Studies, Rabindra Bharati University

Venue : Shivananda Hall

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25 Friday, 6.00 p.m.

Cultural Programme

Screening of the Documentary : Navagraha Kritis by Muthuswami Dikshitar Venue : Vivekananda Hall

(All are welcome)



26 Saturday, 4.00 p.m.

Vivekananda Anusheelan (Personality Development Programme for Youth members only)

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26 Saturday, 6.00 p.m. Cultural Programme

Shruti Natak ('Balak Gadadhar') by Blind Boys' Academy, Ramakrishna Mission Ashrama, Narendrapur **Venue** : Vivekananda Hall (All are Welcome)

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28 Monday, 6.00 p.m. Swami Dayananda Memorial Lecture

Subject : Adhyatma Ramayana (Sanskrit)

Speaker : Swami Tattwavidananda, Assistant General Secretary, Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission, Belur Math

Venue : Shivananda Hall

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29 Tuesday, 6.00 p.m. Public Lecture

Subject : *Bhagini Niveditar Patravali* (Bengali) Speaker : Sri Tirthankar Dasgupta Venue : Shivananda Hall

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30 Wednesday, 6.00 p.m. Scripture Lecture

Subject : *Gita* (Bengali) Speaker : Swami Suparnananda, Secretary, Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture Venue : Shivananda Hall

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31 Thursday, 6.00 p.m. Bidyut-Bikash-Renuka-Kaustoov Rakshit Memorial Lecture

Subject : *Katha Upanishad* (Bengali) Speaker : Swami Atmapriyananda, Secretary, RKMVERI Venue : Shivananda Hall

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All are cordially invited to attend.

27 July 2023

Swami Suparnananda

Secretary

[•] Children below 5 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 Website.