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Message from Administration

Namaskar,

Hope you all are doing well, healthy, happy and remain strong to fight this pandemic. Entire world is grasped by this horrible pandemic and we are not exception to that. We at HSNC, are trying our best to keep our devotees connected with their routine religious activities by broadcasting online.

This pandemic has forced us to “outreach” more and thus committed to go far and beyond to support our larger community. With the help of our devotees and members, we were able to start two great programs to assist at large. First, HSNC Seniors started “Mask Program” where they stitch and provide masks for hospitals, nursing homes, health care staff, and to the rest of the community in need. So far, they have supplied close to 3000 masks! The second program is “Food for Homeless Shelter and for Wake County Schools and Distribution Centers”. Our kitchen is currently operating as “Food Kitchen” to supply food for most needed in Wake and Durham Counties (four times a week). We are providing vegetarian food from “Hindu Society”. It is amazing to see the community support in various forms of donations & groceries for the program. We are thankful to our donors and volunteers for assisting us in cooking, packing and delivering the food. We are also happy to inform that many Regional Associations and Temples such as TGA, RTPMM, Orissa, TTGA, TUTA, HVM, SEWA and BAPS are participating in HSNC food and mask programs. We are indeed grateful to them for joining us. **This is providing a new face and identity to HSNC.**

We started “Mission 2020” in a very passionate and collaborative manner with clear goals for each committee and Boards. Our focus is to provide the best of services and programs to members, renters, organization and devotees. We are determined to clean and improve our facilities & campus with main focus on temple uplift. We are also working with Town of Morrisville for combining our different lots into one HSNC property. **Institutional zoning will clear the path to build HSNC campus to meet our religious, cultural, educational, & social requirements with added focus on seniors and youth.**

We welcome Smt. Sudha Rathi as our Donor Trustee. Sudha ji brings huge organizational experience to HSNC. We also have great team of directors/trustees, office bearers, staff and committee members who are working very hard to make a difference.

HSNC has been the umbrella organization and focal point of Hindu Community & Regional Organizations in RTP. It is our goal to provide a good platform and services to the Community through our excellent campus facilities. We had multiple gathering and celebration in first quarter with Regional Organizations, Satsang Groups and Community. However, there is always new ways of collaboration & we intent to outreach more and more. We hereby appeal to community to suggest new ideas & improvements to us.



Message from Administration ... continued

We have had lock down for almost two months now. Our cash flow from donations, services and rentals is at a standstill. We are trying to keep our monthly expenditures to bare minimum to survive such as salaries to our Panditji's and Staff (12K), Utilities (8 K), & Mortgage (15K). We have been able to sustain for two months because of our savings and revenue from first quarter; however, it is getting harder and harder day by day. **We hereby appeal to our members, devotees and donors to donate now to sustain. It is our responsibility to support our HSNC and Panditji's. No donation is small hence please consider donating to HSNC (check or online @ hsnconline.org). We need your support, thank you.**

Last month we lost one of our founder members and our beloved Dr. Wani. It is a huge community loss. HSNC is indeed very proud of Dr. Wani and his great contribution in medical research and social achievements. We will miss Mansukhbhai & his smiling presence at HSNC. We are also very sorry for the loss of our Panditji Dwarkanath Trivedi who provided great religious services to HSNC for over 15 years.

For now, we are focused on providing more and more assistance to the community, & online services to our members and devotees including daily Arti, Yoga, Musical Concerts, Bhajans, Pooja and Funeral services virtually.

Stay safe, be well and take care of seniors. We are all in this together and jointly with faith and trust will come out of this crisis as much better united Community. If you need any help or have any suggestion, please feel free to contact me at president@hsnconline.org. You can also reach out to any of the Board of Directors too.

Thank you,

Manoj Pandya

On Behalf of Board of Directors



HSNC Mission-2020





Trustee's Corner

As the world joins together to fight this invisible enemy, Trustees pray for the health and well being of every member of our community. May God bless all of us. In these difficult times, we cannot gather as we typically would in our temple, but we are together in spirit and we invite you to join us online for Arti and other prayers. Our Panditjis are holding special prayers for everyone's health and well-being. On behalf of the trustees, We would like to extend a special thank you to all of our volunteers that are making masks for hospital employees and cooking food for Homeless and school children.

It is with great sorrow that I must share that Dr. Wani, a founding member of our community, has passed away. His legacy will live on in our wonderful and vibrant community.

We are all doing our part by staying home and social distancing. There are also many members of our community who are on the frontlines. Most of our families have a family member who works for health care system. They are our hero. We are so very proud of them and are saying prayers to paramatma for their good health.

We are pleased to welcome Sudha Rathie to our leadership team as a Trustee. We would like to thank our current leadership team and especially our Directors, who are continuing the upkeep and maintenance required to keep the lights on in our temple. All major projects have been put on hold, but our monthly expenses still come to \$35k. We hope you take comfort in knowing that your temple is here for you. Our religious leaders are praying for you and we look forward to welcoming you back. We know that many Americans have lost their jobs and that these are tough times for everyone. If you are in a position financially to be able to do so, please consider making an online or mail in donation to help keep our temple operational.

Until we can gather again in person, please stay safe and home as much as possible. Thank you to the frontline workers for their service, to the volunteers for all they are doing, and to those of you in a position to help us financially. We will get through this together. God bless! Hari Om!

Thank You

Harsha Shah (Chair) & Anu Sud (Co-chair)

Meet Your New Trustee

Sudha Rathie

MLS, is a Laboratory Director for past 35 years at a Multiple Site Community Health in NC, and is also a national consultant. She has published many articles along with a book on "Laboratory Management". At present the book resides at National Library of medicine, on NIH Campus Bethesda.

I am very passionate about health care and education, and serve on many boards. I also voluntarily serve as a "Practice Administrator" for NCIAP clinic in Raleigh, serving uninsured population since 2011.

I bring organizational skills and strategic planning, wealth of Non profit structure and Unity with precision and quality.



Meet Your New Board Members (first timer)

Haresh Tanna

Backgrounds & Expertise: - Technical in Electrical, Mechanical, Heating, large size boilers ventilation and A/C & power Distribution & transmission, Automation, robotics, Various networking & associated hardware. More than 40 years of involvements in various areas of manufacturing work in the U.S.

Since transferring to North Carolina area 18 years ago, I have been lucky to participate in HSNC affairs & its activities. Last 7 years have been working for HSNC as Facility Manager. Together I have accomplished many projects here with Board of directors and I have shown very good results in savings of donated funds by implementing style of work and my personal interest into it. Lots of more work is still there and I am willing to take lead in many projects. MY Vision - HSNC interest first as BOD & Maximize fundraising. Next three years I will be involving in many projects which are in pipe lines to take HSNC at next level to make more enjoyable and the place to be. Looking forward to work with all walks of lives and achieve HSNC's objectives.



Harshit (Swami) Patel

I am a Triangle area resident since 2001. I am working for KBR engineering in RTP as an electrical engineer. All these years, I have worked many volunteer hours with heart and soul to grow our organization and facilities. I would like to continue this work with focus on the followings:

- Continue to promote and support all activities to nurture and grow our community.
- Raise funds to operate and help expand our facilities to serve our community.
- Raise awareness of the HSNC's activities and increase HSNC membership.

Volunteer Activities:

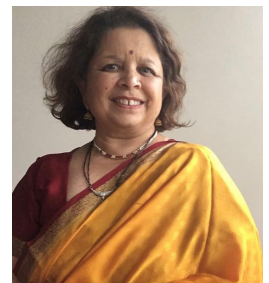
- Chairperson at HSNC Navratri Committee in 2017.
- HSNC Navratri Committee 2015-2016.
- TGA committee 2016 to 2019.
- Volunteer at BAPS events.



Meet Your New Treasurer

Kavita Katti

My name is Kavita Katti. I moved to Cary about 6 years ago from Boston. One of the criteria for choosing my new home was its proximity to HSNC temple as I like visiting there. I graduated from Queens College, City University of New York with a degree in Accounting and Information Systems. I have over 30 years of work experience in the field of Accounting, in various organizations, with a focus on non-profits. In my free time I love to sing. I am an active member of the HSNC Senior Karaoke group. I am a published author, and an Artist.



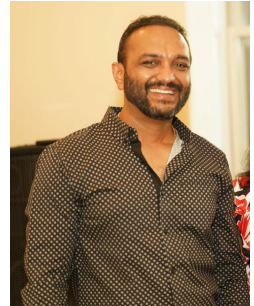
Meet Your New Administration Members

Jigar Patel– Secretary

I am Jigar Patel an RTP resident since 2004, an Electrical Engineer and an Entrepreneur.

I have served on the HSNC Navaratri committee in 2015, 2016 & 2017 in addition to other volunteering activities at HSNC. I have led the task of creating online ticketing, sales & marketing strategies with great success for HSNC.

I have served in TGA as Secretary in 2016, President in 2017 and Executive member in 2018, 2019. I lead the transition to bring TGA's processes and services online. I managed creation and implementation of a new website, Automated New Membership enrolment and payment process.



Pramod Patel - Assistant Treasurer



My name is Pramod Patel. My wife and I moved to triangle area in 1990. I completed my master's in computer engineering from NC State University. Currently I am working at Garmin as a software Engineer. I have been volunteering in HSNC finance committee for past several years. In past, I have also volunteered various HSNC events like, Navratri, Annakut.

Shivaji Jayanti at Hindu Society of NC

On Feb 29th, Maharaj Shivaji Jayanti was celebrated with a huge participation from young kids to our seniors in collaboration with **RTPMM**. Students from **Hindi Vikas Mandal (HVM)** conducted a parade showing the life and valor of Maharaj Shivaji. The combined **Dhol-Tasha Teams** created vibrant show of traditional percussions! Town of Morrisville Fire Department provided four CPR training camps. Kids and talented adults showed their talent on the stage while several enjoyed sports such as Table Tennis, Carom, fancy dress, elocution. **RTPMM kids performed a terrific play on Maharaj Rajabshik.**



HSNC Goes Online

By –Nila Acharya

The covid-19 (corona) pandemic has created a truly unprecedented situation which affects us all. Our hearts go out to anyone who's been impacted by the virus, either directly or indirectly. During this time, we want to reach out and update you on how we're approaching the situation at Hindu Society of North Carolina (HSNC).

Like most organizations, we are doing our best to secure the health and well-being of our panditji's and employees and their families. We are trying our best during this situation to deliver what we can. We are operating through digital channels as much as possible. This includes our in-person events, which we are either postponing or transforming into virtual events. This is also an area where we are currently developing and providing new solutions for online events, our own and for our HSNC members.

HSNC has stayed connected with its members thru online Daily Arti in the morning and in the evening. We have done havan's to create a pure surrounding of not only the temple but chanting of Vedic mantras during Havan at HSNC temple has let us achieve the desired physical, psychological and spiritual benefits for our members. We are doing virtual Pooranamashi Katha where people can do the pooja in the comfort of their home under our panditji's direction.

Moments like this, reminds us that we're all connected. We're called upon to be our best selves, with patience, understanding and compassion. Despite the many difficulties we all face, we would like to re-assure you that HSNC remains fully committed to doing everything we can to support you through this difficult time, and on behalf of the team, wish you well.



Music Aura HSNC Fund Raiser Show

HSNC Creates History

Hosted for the first time Online Concert for Food Program Promotion.

Thank you Ravi Gooty, Prajakta Joshi and Shalini Dixit(RJ) for supporting HSNC and giving a fabulous Musical Aura for One hour. Over 180 people participated online and raised over \$3000.

Note– Watch above show on Facebook -<https://www.facebook.com/HSNCTemple/videos/552135908822500>



HSNC Seniors

HSNC Mask Stitching Program

Fantastic

Delivered to	Nos
Rex Hospital	485
Wake Medical Cary	595
NCIAP	116
Wake County Public Schools	113
Asian Focus	250
Life Sciences	75
Wake County Human Resources	107
Raleigh Neurology	100
Doctors	650
Wake respiratory	12
Rehab	46
International Students	72
Seniors & HSNC Staff, Volunteers	200
Selter, and Others	
Total	2821

Team of Volunteers		
Kris	Bindu	Purnima
Vibuthi & Kirit	Brij	Pretti
Nirmala & Prabhakar	Kala	Ranjana
Madhu	Khushboo	Revathi
Vanaja & Chandran	Kousalya	Rita
Jyoti	Lata	Ruchika
Tonia	Manjula	Savita
Raji	Misha	Schuchi
Sarika	Nandini	Srinivas
Madhavi	Neena	Srivani
Kalpana & Uttam	Prajaka	Sudha
Anagha & Ab	Poonam	Uma
Parul	Prema	Veena
Vijay	Kiran	Banu



Led by
Banu Krishnamurthy

Rental Announcements-COVID-19 has caused cancellation of multiple HSNC, community and private events in Temple, Learning Center and Cultural Hall. We understand how hard this blow is for the organizers. We are indeed very sympathetic to the organizers and families for their disappointment. However we are very confident that we all will return to HSNC for celebration soon. Pl. contact our rental team (rental@hsnconline.org) for postponing/ re-scheduling or cancellation of your events. Our apologies for delay in getting back to you because of COVID-19 situation.

HSNC Food Program for Shelter and Wake County

HSNC Prepares and Delivers Food Every Week to:

- Raleigh Homeless Shelter– On Saturday
- Durham Rescue Mission– On Saturday
- Wake County Human Services(Schools and Food Center) – Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday.

***So far over 6000 Meals
Provided.***

Cooking – Paresh Munshi, Trilok Pillai and Prasad Satghare

Coordination – Lalit Mahadeshwar & Abhijeet Deshmukh

Volunteers – Ashwin Panchal, Jigar Patel, Sameer Mehta, Keshav Kode, Manisha Patel , Nila Acharya, Ramesh Vora , Neelima and many more.

Organizational Support- HSNC Senior Group, TGA, RTPMM, BAPS, SEWA, Orrisa, RSC, TTGA,HVM,TUTA ,Nirankari, Suvidha, Apana Bazar, Zayaka.

Menu - Pasta, Vegetables, fried and plain Rice, Curry, Chickpeas, Kidney beans, potatoes, & salad

Thank you Community for the Support





Positive impact of Coronavirus 19

By Sudha Rathie

We are all aware the crisis in NY and other states, where frontline workers have risked their lives to treat others, and yet some days they have returned home disheartened by not having been able to save a life.

Every day we hear so much news on the negative impact of this virus on the general public, businesses, and families; but what is amazing is, beneath the surface it has also had a positive impact.

This was the time granted by the supreme power for us to reflect back in our lives and analyze - What can we do improve ourselves, help our family and guide others?

So many people came forward to help. They made masks -- OMG more than 10,000 were made by our community and sent to so many different organizations. It was like an assembly line! This is MASSIVE. Others made plastic face shields for health workers.

People came out of their shells to cook food and deliver it not only to the needy but also to frontline workers—and this work is still in process. Every restaurant in town offered something to help. This is the blessing of that divine power who oversees all. Many young folks delivered groceries and other necessities to the elder population. It was "UNITY IN DIVERSITY." We humans are very dynamic, and when we put our mind to it, we achieve the impossible.

Working moms are able to teach their children as they wanted to. They play games on walkways with chalk to bring the memory of childhood back. When was the last time we have literally stayed home on weekdays and had LUNCH with family? Spending more than just the evening with family, for some it was a "dream come true."

You many not realize this, but so many people became IT specialists—grandmaas and moms, who never opened a computer, were doing chai gup shup on Zoom. We learned organizing meetings with Ring central, and other communication system.

Religious and Spiritual discourses were done and attended widely on Zoom. We humans are social animals; we can distance, but have to see others. Several groups came together to perform daily, weekly and monthly activities to keep all involved, such as Hawan, and Artis.

Again, we should consider this time as one providing the opportunity for positive reflection. It is time to think POSITIVE, enlighten yourself with reading, yoga and meditation to ease mind, body, and soul. This is the time to rejuvenate, and to plan something stimulating for future.

As far as science is concerned, we have faced many health threats in the past 100 years, flu's and plagues and diseases. However, Scientists from the entire world united to create vaccines, treatment and precautions. We will come out of this too! It's just a few months away.

So remember, wash your hands, practice social distancing, and stay at home so we can protect our essential workers, and we will conquer this VIRUS too!

Continue



COVID 19 PANDEMIC

The coronavirus disease 19 (COVID-19) is a highly transmittable and pathogenic viral infection caused by severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARSCoV-2), which emerged in Wuhan, China and spread around the world..

On 30th January 2020, World Health Organization (WHO) officially declared the COVID19 epidemic as a public health emergency of international concern. In United States the first positive case was identified on January 19, 2020 in Washington state. The first positive case in North Carolina was reported on March 3rd, 2020.

COVID-19 is a new disease and there is limited information regarding risk factors for severe disease. Based on currently available information and clinical expertise, older adults and people of any age who have serious underlying medical conditions might be at higher risk for severe illness from COVID-19. The clinical symptoms of COVID-19 may appear 2-14 days after exposure to the virus. Clinical Symptoms: Fever, Cough, Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, Chills, Muscle pain, are common ones.

How COVID19 Spreads:

- ◆ There is currently no vaccine to prevent coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19).
- ◆ The best way to prevent illness is to avoid being exposed to this virus.
- ◆ The virus is thought to spread mainly from person-to-person.
- ◆ Between people who are in close contact with one another (within about 6 feet).
- ◆ Through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs, sneezes or talks.
- ◆ These droplets can land in the mouths or noses of people who are nearby or possibly be inhaled into the lungs.

How to Protect Yourself:

- ◆ Clean your hands often—Wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds especially after you have been in a public place or after blowing your nose, coughing or sneezing.
- ◆ If Soap and water not readily available, use a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry.
- ◆ Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.
- ◆ Avoid close contact with people who are sick
- ◆ Cover your mouth and nose with a cloth face cover when around others
- ◆ Cover coughs and sneezes, remember to always cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze or close the inside of your elbow.
- ◆ Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces daily. This includes tables, doorknobs, light switches, countertops, handles, desks, phones, keyboards, toilets, faucets and sink.

What to expect in future:

Currently implemented interventions and the corresponding reductions in transmission will continue to be upheld in the future, resulting in an overall decrease in the growth rate of COVID-19. Over the course of the forecast, we shall assume that the growth will decrease over time.

Also, social distancing policies in place will be extended for the future weeks. Continue to practice – how to protect yourself from above. Please remember, even if NC opens after May 8th, we are still not “out of the woods”, regardless reaching a stable number of new infections and hospitalizations

Sudha Rathie, MLS – is a Laboratory Director, of numerous Community Health Centers in NC, servicing Public Health for last 35 years.



HSNC is Hiring

Job Title- Facility Engineer (part time)

Qualifications-

1. Trade or vocational school or Higher Mechanical/Electrical degree, NC State Board of Refrigeration Examiner 40 CFR Part 82 certification (Part F) Universal.
2. Strong mechanical and electrical Aptitude
3. Trouble shooting and problem-solving skills
4. OSHA NEX and local code knowledge

Job Description (Key Responsibilities and Duties)

- 1) Contractor administration for contractors related to electricals, plumbing, Air conditioner, facility repairs, roof, computers and construction. Get quotes, negotiations, Supervise the contractor special and commission work and get the work completed to the perfect satisfaction. Responsible for work certification, contract/po, invoices and vouchers etc.
- 2) Manage, maintain, and administer Security Access system KABA for facility door locks
- 4) Supervise and Maintain Electrical and power distribution systems
- 5) Maintain HSNC Audio, video, projector, powered projector screen systems
- 6) Maintain Creston lighting system
- 7) Maintain and administered kitchen equipment such as Gas, warmer, refrigeration, ice maker etc.
- 8) Maintain and regularly checkup fire equipment. Work with fire departments to arrange for routine inspection, fix their findings. Exist and emergency lights checkup and maintenance. Maintain fire equipment and fire damper evaluations.
- 9) Fire alarm monitoring panel and fire suppression system
- 10) Set up, maintain and administered facility WIFI and SSID set up systems such as Disk Wi-Fi trans receiver, Cisco Ethernet switches, router, modems etc.
- 11) Set up, maintain, and administered Ethernet PoE video camera and recorder as a part of facility security system
- 12) Set up and administered facility HVAC system from 5 ton to 25 tons. Regular checkup, filter replacements, manager Wi-Fi based thermostat, inspect belts and pulleys, circuit panel routine checkup, ground fault circuits, three phase power and motor controls. Economizer and free air set up
- 13) Maintain facility wiring systems and upgrade as required
- 14) Computer and hardware related IT support as required to facility operations including managing facility Kiosk and Secure online payment systems. Manage HSNC IP address and equipment
- 15) Work as a backup to facility manager whenever required to secure the facility and manage the rental and HSNC events
- 16) Operate scissor lift as and when required for events or facility repairs work
- 17) Inspect and checkup Plumbing and piping of water and gas lines regularly. Work with plumbing contractors to get the repair estimates, supervise repairing and maintain warranty details
- 18) Able to construct control circuits and good skill to read control circuit & understand equipment and analyze the functionalities properly
- 19) Maintain Freon gas recovery system, manifesting Freon and EPA regulations and compliance
- 20) Procure spare parts for facility maintenance, IT equipment with correct specification and standards .

Administration and Organizational Skills-

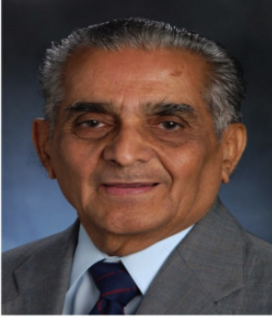
Record keeping, scheduling and management, evaluating options, ordering equipment and tools, written records of projects, process improvements etc.

Availability- Four hours a day on facility at HSNC except weekends and as and when there is a problem or emergency situation.

Rate- \$20-\$23 Per Hour.

Send your resume to president@hsnconline.org

Shradhanjali



1925-2020

Dr. Mansukh Wani -With great regret and sorrow, the Hindu Society of North Carolina (HSNC) announces the passing of Dr. Munsukh C. Wani, a founding member and benefactor of the Hindu Society. Dr. Wani passed away from natural causes on April 11, 2020, at the age of 95 at his home in Durham. He is survived by his wife, Ramila, son, Bankim, daughter-in-law Darshana, and grandson, Nilesch. Until his final breath, Dr. Wani worked tirelessly to promote the ideals of the Hindu Society. **HSNC was blessed to have such a thought leader, supporter and activist as our guiding philosopher for the society.** Dr. Wani will be remembered by the community forever.



1939-2020

Shri Dwarkaprasad Trivedi -With great regret and sorrow, the Hindu Society of North Carolina (HSNC) announces the passing of our Pandit ji Shri Dwarkaprasad Trivedi on Tue, 03/17/2020 at Rex Hospital from a fatal Heart attack. Trivedi ji retired from his services in the year 2019 from HSNC. He worked at HSNC as a panditji for over 15 years. He was very devotional and well respected Priest in our community. He was known for his simplicity, friendliness and helpful nature. He would consider the devotees as his own family. He is survived by his wife Smt. Anushree, Son Divang and Daughter Kalpana.

Smt. Kantaben Parshottam Patel (Life Member of HSNC)

Kantaben Parshottam Patel passed away peacefully early on the morning of May 4th, surrounded by all of her family. Kantaben was mother of Vipul bhai Patel Chairman of HSNC election Committee. Kantaben is survived by her husband P. H. Patel; son Sanjay Patel, daughters/sons-in-laws, Rekha & Vipul, Gita & Dilip, Chetna & Vinay, Kala & Neil; 8 grand children, one great grandson, sister-in-law Kokilaben Naranbhai Patel, 3 sisters (in India), and their families.

Smt. Shanta Shingi

Smt Shanta Shingi Mother of Smt. Madhu Chandak and mother-in-law of Shri Govind Chandak (Ex. HSNC Trustee) passed away in India on 5/4/20. We pray for the family for this irreparable loss and offer our deepest condolences.

असतो मा सद्गमय।
तमसो मा ज्योतिर्गमय।
मृत्योर्मा अमृतं गमय।
ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः ॥



Religious Event-HSNC Celebrates Mahashivratri in a Big Way!

On Feb 21st, Mahashivratri was celebrated with great devotion and enthusiasm. More than 3000 devotees sought the blessings of Shankar Bhagwan. Devotees offered Water and Milk to Shiva Linga. Several were able to participate in the Shiva Abhishek. Mantras, Shlokas and Bhajans were chanted all day long starting from 7 am to 11 pm! **Thank you volunteers for your help in Prasad distribution and for managing devotees lines so that each of the devotee got proper Darshan.**



Kedar Mhadeshwar guiding Om-squad students



Uncle Sharma (Trustee) administers oath to 2020 Board



HSNC Honors Kashmiri Pandits

A team of Kashmiri Pandits along with their families visited HSNC. We are indeed proud of our brothers and sisters from great Indian State of Jammu & Kashmir.

We welcome and Support You

HSNC Live on Facebook

Sharma Aunty honors Palani Mohan for his outstanding services to HSNC for broadcasting morning and evening Arti for last two months for our devotees on Facebook.

Thank you Mohan ji



Hanuman Jayanti Celebration

This year Hanuman Jayanti was celebrated mainly by Punditjis and few devotees by chanting Hanuman Chalisa for 108 times and by performing Havan .

Devotees Were Missed!

HSNC Outreach

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Receipts and Expenses From Jan-March-2020

Receipts		Expense	
	\$		\$
Priest Receipts	\$10,822	Interest and Bank Charges	\$15,166
Donation	\$66,616	Religious/Cultural Program	\$2,339
Fund Raising Receipts	\$1,844	Facility Maintenance and Utilities	\$43,443
Other Receipts	\$66,993	Property Taxes	\$6,751
Memewbership	\$9,600	Printing and Postage	\$2,237
		Salaries	\$40,700
		Professional Fees	\$900
		Other Misc Expense	\$2,900
		Insurance	\$4,453
Total Receipts	\$155,875	Total Expense	\$118,889
		Surplus	\$36,986
Bank Balances as on 03/31/2020	\$	Mortgage Balances-03/31/2020	\$
Temple Renovation	42,681	Cultural Hall	727,461
Saving (Collection)	115,498	Learning Center	812,708
Operating	4,864		
Shikar	135,000		
Total	298,043	Total	1,540,169

Finance- Mission 2020

- Timely Preparation of budget and proper budgetary controls
- Regular and transparent reporting
- Data analysis for maintenance & utilities cost for temple, Hall, LC, & Priest quarters
- Ensure analysis and control over bank charges , credit cards charges, interest for mortgages etc.
- Ensure processes and polices are followed while approving exps. and preparing checks
- Maintain proper security of systems such as QB, Square, Kiosks, shared drive etc.
- Provide extensive support during major events and programs
- File IRS and NC State Sales Tax refund returns
- Improve online payment services in the temple and events



HSNC Committees

Religious

Gaurang Majmudar (Chair)
Chetna Purohit (Co-Chair)
Akash Narway (Secretary)
Sharma Auntie, Arundhati Baba,
Suman Batra, Heena Patel
Richa Kapoor, Varsha Shah, Ritesh
Saloth & Venkat Venkatraman
(advisor)
Banu Krishnamurthy, Manisha Patel &
Nila Acharya (BODs)

Finance Committee

Kavita Katti (Treasurer)
Pramod Patel (Asst. Treasurer)
Sarikha Patel Poornima Bhat
Haresh Nariawala Nila Acharya (BOD)

Events/Programs/Cultural

Madhulavi Majumder (Chair)
Chetna Sharda Shrinivas Joshi
Manisha Patel & Nila Acharya (BODs)

Facility and Rental

Abhijeet Deshmukh (Chair)
Uttam Deedwania Ani Patel
Trilok Pillai, Shiva Raghunanan (BOD)
John, Swami Patel (BOD)

Communication

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Ami Dave Patel Maulik Parekh
Omkar barde Unmesh Acharya
Parag Dighe (BOD) Nila Acharya (BOD)

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Harsha Shah
Mrs. Sharma Sudha Rathie
Anu Sud Kishor Trivedi,
Ishwar Devkota Manoj Pandya
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Trustees & Directors

Long range planning

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Ish Sud Sanjeev Patel
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Sharma Uncle Suvas Shah
Bhupender Gupta
Shiva Raghunanan (BOD)

Grievance

Anju Vyas Gunwant Bhakta
Akshat Patel Dhruv Kumar

Election Committee

Vipul Patel (Chair) anesh Prabhu
Pradeep Bisarya Amod Satsangi

Membership

Tinesh Tailor (Chair)
Kaupind Shah Girish Amin
Ashwin Panchal Vijay Talior
Ganesh (BOD) Bipin Mistry (BOT)
Parag Dighe (BOD)

Policy Committee

Bhupender Gupta (Chair)
Subhas Chandra Vikram Oza
Prakash Devalapalli Banu Krishna-
murthy (BOD)

Youth

Pinky Tapiawala (chair)
Shekhar Joshi Satish Yadav
Uttam Deedwania Parag Dighe (BOD)

HSNC Seniors

Ramesh Vora (Chair)
Kris Krishnamurthy (Co-Chair)
Kirit Parekh Bhasker Rao
Bhupender Gupta Satish Laroia
Yash Kataria Bharat Parikh
Poornima Kotiya Subash Banerjee
Vijaya Bapat Bharat Parikh
Harish Tanna (BOD)

Yoga

Vasudha Gupta (Chair)
Shobha Sariaya Subash Mittal
Priya Amrith Nita Bhav
Banu Krishnamurthy (BOD)

HR Committee

Uttam Deedwania (Chair)
Rita Modi Chaya Rao
Nila Acharya (BOD)

Systems & IT Committee

Parag Dighe Harish Tanna
Jigar Patel Shiva



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Bipin Mistry	Ganesh Subramaniam	Trustee Secretary
Kishor Trivedi	Haresh Tanna	Kaupind Shah
Suvas Shah	Swami (Harshit) Patel	
One position vacant	Parag Dighe	

Advisors

Special Advisor: Mr. Sajjan Agarwal | Religious Advisor: Venkat Venkatraman | Administrative Advisor: Subash Chandra

HSNC Employees- Responsibilities and Contact Info

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Dr.Mukundan Santhanam	Panditji	
Jayesh Vyas	Panditji	
John	Part time facility (handyman)	

Please do not call employees at odd hours for any non-urgent temple related needs or services. Send email to published addresses for non-urgent needs. In case of facility emergencies or security code for access, call Haresh Tanna or Trilok Pillai.

HSNC Facility Reservation System

HSNC has online facility reservation system, <https://hsnconline.skedda.com> Current usage of entire facility is visible to all on that site. Please check the availability and then send an email to rental@hsnconline.org to reserve the facility for use. Facility usage policy, form and other details are at <https://www.hsnconline.org/services/hsnc-rentals/>

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Om Squad Summer Camp 2020

Breakfast, lunch, and snack will be served!
Hindu way to nourish your child with activities including







Performance for parents on the last day of camp!

Visit : www.hsnconline.org/hsnc-summer-camp/

Kids Ages 5-12
Check-in: 8:00AM - 8:30AM
Check-Out: 5:00PM - 5:30 PM

Last Day for registration or cancellation with full refund is one week prior to the camp date.
50% refund for cancellations after that day. \$25 fee for late registration or cancellation.

SESSIONS DATES:

SESSION 1: JUNE 15-19
SESSION 2: JULY 6-10
SESSION 3: JULY 20-24
SESSION 4: AUGUST 3-7

FEES		
Child	Member	Non-Member
1st Child	\$250	\$300
Additional child	\$200	\$250

For General Questions, Contact:

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Communication Committee Update

By Parag Dighe

This year, the committee has brought in new members to the HSNC and the committee—Maulik Parekh, Smita Panda and Omkar Barde. Committee has signed a contract with a vendor for redesigning the HSNC Website, developing a new Mobile App which will help HSNC and its members, devotees to stay informed about HSNC events and activities. The new website and the mobile app will be available by June'2020. The communication committee has also established the revised HSNC Advertisement Policy which would help HSNC raise funds through various advertising packages while offering local business opportunities and exposure to the community.

One of our goals for 2020 is to increase awareness about HSNC Priests, their knowledge, experience and skills to conduct various religious poojas, help socialize HSNC religious events, and increase awareness about various religious festivals especially among younger generation.

Our team remains committed towards helping all HSNC Committees for their marketing and promotional needs which include design, printing and distribution of event flyers, poster, social media marketing, email campaigns etc., helping HSNC increase its reach within our community so that more and more people can benefit from HSNC events and activities.

We encourage our teens and youth to join this dynamic team!

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Led by Arun Aggarwal, senior vice president and Certified Financial Planner™, the group includes his three sons—Aman, financial advisor, Arjun, financial advisor and senior portfolio manager, and Ashwin, assistant vice president and Certified Financial Planner™. Gaurav Judge, financial advisor, has recently joined The Aggarwal Group, while Tracy Varner, client service associate, rounds out the practice. Together they make a formidable team, highly experienced in helping meet the needs of multigenerational families, transfer wealth, and succession planning for their approximately 200 clients as of September 2019 in the Raleigh area, including physicians, business owners, families, and individuals.

Multigenerational Team, Family Approach

"We look at a client's wealth from a 360-degree perspective and provide advice and solutions to help them meet their particular needs," Arun says. "We understand the complexities of managing a business and the importance of family, so we work at our clients' convenience so they can minimize the time spent dealing with financial issues and maximize the time spent with loved ones."

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(Left to right): Ashwin Aggarwal, Assistant Vice President, Financial Advisor Associate; Gaurav Judge, Financial Advisor Associate; Arun K. Aggarwal, Senior Vice President, Financial Advisor, Financial Planning Specialist; Arjun Aggarwal, Financial Advisor, Senior Portfolio Manager; Tracy Varner, Client Service Associate; and Aman Aggarwal, Financial Advisor

The Aggarwal Group is truly team-oriented, with each member having a specific role. This approach, suggests Arjun, helps solidify relationships. "Rarely do we have one-on-one meetings with our clients," he notes. "Based on current needs, a client may meet with several of us, helping ensure all aspects of their financial lives are explored, monitored, and followed up on."

For example, Arun, who possesses strong experience in estate planning and tax strategies, and Aman, who deals with wealth transfer and retirement cash flow planning among other matters, may join in a meeting with a business owner client for whom retirement is looming.

"Our clients don't only work with an advisor," Arun confirms. "They receive the benefits of having an entire financial team at their disposal."

Custom Tailored Investment Strategies

The Aggarwal Group is especially adept at uncovering investment strategies that are well-suited to the needs of their clients and that may be overlooked by other teams.

"While other advisors invest in models that can be put on autopilot and largely forgotten

about," Ashwin says. "We're more hands-on, and our services are more transactional."

Opportunities the team may pursue on behalf of clients include annuities and alternative investments, "the types of products that are typically outside of the advisory umbrella," explains Aman.

The group's association with Morgan Stanley is invaluable in this arena, Arun shares. "They have among the most flexible and unique products in the industry, and their world-class resources help us provide the personalized financial planning and investment and wealth management service services our clients deserve. The Aggarwal Group has been with Morgan Stanley since 1988, and I wouldn't change a thing."

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