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Vasant Panchami and Goddess Saraswati Sāmuḥika Pooja Sunday, January 21st 2018



Program Details

- ❖ 11:00 AM: Sāmuḥika Saraswati Pooja/
Akshrabhyaasam (Vidyarambham)
- ❖ 12:30 PM: Archana & Ārati
- ❖ 06:30 PM: Nitya Pooja
- ❖ 08:00 PM: Archana & Ārati

Sponsorship Opportunity

- ❖ Sāmuḥika Saraswati Pooja, Akshrabhyaasam
(\$51:00)
- ❖ Archana (\$10:00)
- ❖ Pushpa Mala Alankaram*
- ❖ Annadānam (\$151.00, Food Sponsorship)

*Note: *Contact Office for scheduling*

Significance of Goddess Saraswati Pooja

Vasant Panchami is the birthday of Goddess Saraswati. Goddess Saraswati is the wife of Lord Brahma and the mother of Maharishi Nārad. 'Vasant' comes from the word 'spring' as this festival heralds the beginning of springtime, and 'Panchami' from the 5th day of the bright fortnight of the lunar month of Māgha. Hindus celebrate Vasant Panchami with great fervor in temples and homes, utter the 'Saraswati Mantra' prayer before the idol of the goddess of knowledge and wisdom.

*Om Saraswati Mahābhāgey, Vidye Kamala Lochaney |
Viswarupey Vishālākshi, Vidyam Dehi Namohastutey ||*

*Jaya Jaya Devi, Charachara Sharey, Kuchayuga Shobhita, Mukta Haarey |
Vina Ranjita, Pustaka Hastey, Bhagavati Bharati Devi Namohastutey ||*

Accompany kids to take part in Akshrabhyaasa event and participate in the Sāmuḥika Poojas in the temple. Obtain the blessing of Goddess Saraswati on the event of Panchami.

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