

Advisory - cum -Bhandara Notice/ Programme for Celebration of December, 2020 Bhandara of Param Guru Huzur Maharaj.

Bhandara of Param Guru Huzur Maharaj will be Celebrated in various Branches in India and Abroad on Sunday 20th December, 2020 during afternoon session at Fields (with Video Transmission).Bhandara week will be celebrated in Dayalbagh from 18.12.2020 to 22.12.2020.

1. All Satsangis would, as a precautionary measure, celebrate **December, 2020 Bhandara** in their respective Branches/Area Satsang/Satsang Centre/Private Group Satsangs / Individually and **would not travel to Dayalbagh** for the same **except as provided** subsequently in this Advisory and subject to any directions of the Central/State/Local Government. **Audio/Video transmission** (as per extant guidelines) would be available to them through the e-Satsang Cascade.
2. To abide by the Central Government/State Government/Local Administration directives of strictly implementing the **Unlock** guidelines, (with SOP's like Social Distancing, wearing of Masks, using hand Sanitizers, etc.), it is desirable that people stay at home and avail the boon of e-Satsang in audio mode.
3. **(a)** To regulate in-flow of pilgrims, only those able bodied male Satsangis/Jigyasus of permitted Zones **who are presently staying in localities which are not declared as Hotspot or Containment Zone** can come and stay in Security Camps and render Seva in Agriculture activities, shall be permitted to come for the Bhandara on the recommendations of the Regional President and subsequent approval by the Secretary, Sabha -subject to any direction of the Central/State/Local Government.
(b) They should avoid travel by Public transport (Bus, Train & Air) and travel in private cars, duly sanitized, failing which they would be required to be quarantined- outside Dayalbagh.
(c) Such persons should first report to Dr. S.K.Satsangi, Medical Officer Incharge (MO-I/c) Saran Ashram Hospital, Dayalbagh for medical check-up and obtain fitness certificate before reporting for seva. Volunteers who are not physically well and fit should not come to Dayalbagh for Sewa.
4. Permitted Satsangis for **December, 2020 Bhandara** shall include those from **Delhi, Maharashtra & Gujarat, Shimla District, DRSA of Australasia. Residents of Dayalbagh, Sabha Members, Sewaks, Part-time Sewaks, Employees of Sabha, Societies, their spouses and children with their spouses and their dependent children may attend Bhandara at Dayalbagh.**
5. Exhibition of Dayalbagh manufactures **would not be held** at Dayalbagh on this occasion.
6. Dayalbagh residents/others would not be distributed meal from Dayal Bhandar on the occasion of Bhandara except those who regularly take meals from Dayal Bhandar and any Satsangi/Jigyasus or their families who might have arrived at Dayalbagh. DB residents (who are non-regular diners of Dayal Bhandar and others) are advised to cook Bhandara meal at their respective homes.
7. **Offering of Bhent by Initiated Satsangis is scheduled on Monday 21stDecember, 2020.**
Bhent limit for the Bhent Cycle of 2020-21 is as follows:
Initiated Satsangis registered in **Satsang Branches India** can offer a maximum of Rs.2, 000 with a minimum of Rs.10 and multiples thereof.
Initiated Satsangis registered in **Satsang Branches Abroad (permitted zone)** may offer Bhent up to a maximum of Rs. 5,000, with a minimum of Rs. 100 and multiples thereof.
Satsangis who have been permitted to visit Dayalbagh as per para 3 & 4 of permitted zones would be allowed to offer Bhent as per schedule **observing social distancing norms.**
However, other Satsangis of permitted zones who are not coming to Dayalbagh would be allowed to offer Bhent amount online through NEFT/RTGS to the designated Branch account operated by the Branch Secretary plus two others or Satsangis who are unable to transfer can offer cash to Branch Secretary. The Branch Secretary would check each of such receipts to ensure that the amount of Bhent collected at the Branch is as per the guidelines. It would be remitted in a single transaction by NEFT/RTGS to Sabha and a summarized list as per Form A would be submitted to facilitate reconciliation at Sabha. The particulars of Sabha's account have already been communicated to Regional Presidents who may be contacted for the purpose (Schedule and process will be informed separately).
Initiated Satsangis of Foreign Regions, eligible to attend Bhandara, but unable to come to Dayalbagh due to Covid-19 restrictions may offer Bhent amount online into the Bank account of their Regional Association. The Regional President after checking of the Bhent list sent by the Branch Secretary may accept this Bhent in their Bank account for use at the Regional level.

8. **(a)** Initiation of male Jigyasus of the permitted zones who come for Agriculture activities who fulfill the criteria of para 3 and are desirous of Initiation, would be considered during December, 2020 Bhandara. All other Jigyasus would be considered for Initiation during any subsequent Bhandara.
- (b)** For II Updesh (Bhajan-Initiation/Revision) – Please note that this will be given through Video-Conferencing mode and transmitted from Dayalbagh. The Branch Secretaries may ensure that all applications with related papers reach Initiation Section, Dayalbagh-atleast one month prior to the date of Bhandara.
9. Sale of Pothis and Chyavanprash shall be arranged **as per Directions for such permitted Satsangis/Jigyasus.**
10. Proper hygiene -including use of masks, helmets and gloves, frequent washing of hands with soap, maintaining social distancing etc. shall be followed by all those who are coming to Dayalbagh for attending Bhandara and partaking in Seva.
11. Doctors/paramedic staff/others in Saran Ashram Hospital should take proper care and protection against COVID-19 (Corona Virus) and Hospital premises should be regularly sanitized. Dr.S.K.Satsangi, MOI Saran Ashram Hospital would strictly follow the instructions for preventive and other needs pertaining to COVID-19 as have been circulated to Regions.

Summarized Programme

General Programme (18.12.2020, 19.12.2020, 20.12.2020, 21.12.2020, 22.12.2020)	
Morning Satsang and Fields	03.45 a.m.
Updesh	12:30 p.m.
Evening Satsang & fields	03.45 p.m.


Bhandara Day Programme Sunday - (20.12.2020)	
ARTI and Fields	03.45 a.m.
Bhandara & Sales	As per Guidance
Evening Satsang & Fields	03.45 p.m.

Date/Day & Timing →	Sabha Meeting	Paying of Obeisance- Holy Section/ General section at Pawan Smritalaya 09.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon	Offering of Bhent 10.00 a.m. to 01.00 p.m.	Zonal Satsang in Video Conference Mode
18.12.2020 (Friday)		Holy Section & General Section for Initiated Ladies		
19.12.2020 (Saturday)	As per Directions	Holy Section & General Section for Initiated Gents		
20.12.2020 (Sunday)	BHANDARA DAY			
21.12.2020 (Monday)		<p style="text-align: center;">General Section 09.00 a.m. to 10.30 a.m.</p> <p>a) Jigyasu ladies, girls & boys below 15 yrs, Superman Children with mothers</p> <p style="text-align: center;">10:30 a.m. to 12.00 noon</p> <p>b) Jigyasu gents & boys above 15 yrs, Superman Children with fathers</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Offering of Bhent/online Bhent by Initiated Satsangis of permitted Zone</p>	
22.12.2020 (Tuesday)		--	--	As per Directions
23.12.2020 (Wednesday)	Departure of Satsangis			
As per need	Jigyasus desirous of receiving Updesh can be permitted to stay longer with due approval of the Secretary, Sabha (Four days field work attendance is mandatory for Updesh applicants).			

Dayalbagh, Agra
Date: 29.10.2020

(G.P.Satsangi)
Secretary.

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Secretary.