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Lunch

Celebrating a special birthday, or wedding anniversary? Or in memory of someone dear?

Then **Sponsor** a lunch for **£301.00**.
10 guests allowed.
Special lunch for **£601.00**

JAI JINENDRA & JAI SHREE KRISHNA

Dear Vadil Members

Welcome to September Newsletter. We had a lovely summer with plenty of high temperatures reaching up to 37 degrees. The weather has cooled down and let's hope to a prolonged summer.

Many households are celebrating their Grand-children's A-level & GCSE results. So, we hope that the students in your life got what they were hoping for. Our heartiest congratulations to all who have passed.

DONATIONS: Chaas for August was sponsored jointly by **Navinbhai Vaid, Kusumben D Punater** and **Ranjanben Kundalia**. Many thanks to all.

2/08: Lunch was sponsored by **Sudhaben Kapashi** to celebrate the birthday of **Vinodbhai Kapashi**, which was on 23/7. Our Heartiest Congratulations to him and thanks for the lunch.

9/08: *£51 from **Sushilaben** and **Chhotalal Kothari**. Their grand-son **Arjun Patel** son of **Kamini** and **Piyush Patel** came **FIRST** in whole University for **M.A. in Electronics**. He has been offered to study **Ph.D.** Kendra's Heartiest Congratulations and Best Wishes to the family.

*Instead of "Chaas" we had Milkshake, which was sponsored by **Manjuben R. Pindoria**. Many thanks to her from Kendra.

30/08: *£25 from an anonymous member. Many thanks to the person.

***£51** from **Kantibhai J. Shah** for the success of his 3 grandchildren in recent exams. His grand-daughter graduated as a Solicitor, grand-son as a Mining Engineer and another grand-son passed his **A levels** with five **A stars**. Kendra's heartiest congratulations to the family and Best Wishes.

PROGRAMS IN AUGUST 2018:

2/08: Bingo was played after lunch. Many members stayed to play. Ice-cream was served as the temperatures was very high.

9/08: After lunch we had a change in programme, instead of Vinodbhai Patel we had Sailesh Sagar from India who gave interesting highlights of Gujarat/Saurashtra's literature, Loksahitya etc. There was no music or songs.

16/08: Jasuben had organised **NVK** has got **Talent**. We had 7 participants, who showed their individual talents. Some in singing, painting, poetry writing and cookery.

21/08: We continued with Part II of **NVK** has got **Talent**. Rest of the 8 participants showed their talent in craft work, Beauty therapies etc. Thanks to **Jasuben** for coming up with this brilliant idea, it showed that everyone has got a hidden talent which needs to be pushed by someone to come out.

28/08: 74 members had joined for a day Picnic at Virginia Waters and had a very enjoyable time as the weather was good and also saw remarkable monuments like Totem Pole, Water Cascade site (unfortunately because of the dry weather there was no water), Roman ruins, Saville Gardens etc. Also saw the film set erected on the lake for the shooting of a film. All members participated in Yoga which was conducted by Surbhiben Khona,

and everyone enjoyed **Jalebi/Ganthia** with **hot tea** afterwards. In the evening on the way back home, a light Dinner was served with tea. Overall the picnic was very enjoyable and thanks to **NVK** for organising and of course to all the volunteers.

30/08: After yoga celebrated **Janmastami** with lively songs of '**Kannaya**' whilst the dancing ladies carried a basket with '**Kannaya**' on their heads in turns, towards the decorated tables with numerous bowls of '**Prasad**' there were many varieties of sweets, dry and fresh fruits etc. Thereafter all members joined in turns to perform '**aarti**' of **Lord Krishna. Manjuben Pindoria, Maltiben Shah, Jayshreeben Sheth, Chandrikaben Mehta and Bhartiben Malkan** came early to decorate at the entrance and the tables with Prasad. Many thanks to all of them.

After a 'farari' lunch with abundant '**Prasad**', everyone sat down and **Dr. Vinodbhai Kapashi** gave a brief introduction of the **Samanis**, who then gave interesting and thoughtful talk on spiritualism.

Upcoming Events:

6/09: Jain's Paryushan commences today, but we will meet as usual and play Bingo after lunch.

Photographs of Janmastami:

