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JAI JINENDRA & JAI SHREE KRISHNA

Dear Vadil Members

Welcome to November Newsletter. First of all we wish you all, Happy Diwali and a very Happy New Year. Hope all of you had wonderful time spent with your loved ones.





DONATIONS:

<u>3/10:</u>*Chaas for the month of October was sponsored by Gitaben Mehta and Parin Nathoo (non-member).

*£21 from Dineshbhai T Shah on the occasion of his wife Minaxiaben's birthday on3/10. *£51 from Naliniben Avlani who celebrated her birthday on 1/10.

*Kundanben Malde donated biscuits for Tea Time.

08/10 *£101 from Jayant (Batukbhai) Dhruv as Khusi Bhet for Dussera. ***£51** from Hansaben Mandalia, to celebrate her husband Surendrabhai's birthday on 6/10.

17/10:*£25 from Batukbhai Sanghrajka who celebrated his 85th birthday.

*£101 from Nootanben Laxman who celebrated her 70th Birthday.

*£75 from Adarsh Gujral on the occasion of Diwali.

<u>22/10:</u>*£500 from Meenaben & Anilbhai Keshvlal Shah, on their 42nd Wedding Anniversary on 22nd October. Also Anilbhai celebrated his 70th Birthday in August. *£151 from Indravadan Sheth on the first Tithi of his late wife Shardaben.

*71 from Shantaben Pindoria who celebrated her 70th birthday on 21/10.

*£25 from Manjulaben Chandrakant Shah on the occasion of her daughter Nishma's 50th Birthday and Nishma & Hiten's 25th Wedding anniversary.

*£25 from an anonymous donor.

*£21 from Geetaben & Kishor Parmar.

*Prabhudasbhai, Rasilaben & Bina Shah for nuts in cones for all.

*Pritiben for arranging the table decorations.

<u>31/10:</u> *£101 from Kantilal Jivraj Shah who will celebrate his 85th Birthday on 26/12. *£51 from Damyantiben Mehta as 'Khusi Bhet'.

*£50 from Hansaben Patani who celebrated her 82nd Birthday on 30/10.

* Big thank you to all the Raffle Prize Donors.

Kendra's thanks to all the above donors, and wishes them well.

<u>Lunch</u>

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**





PROGRAMMES IN OCTOBER:

3/10: As it was Navratri, after lunch we had Garba and Dandia-Raas in the downstairs hall. Members had come dressed in colourful attires to celebrate this festival. Everyone enjoyed playing Garba and Dandia Raas. Aarti was performed towards the end, and many members had brought Prasad, which was distributed at the end. Kendra's thanks to Harenbhai Meswani for providing the music. **08/10:** Though we had a less crowd because of **Ayambil**, those who had come participated in the **garba/dandia** and enjoyed the live music with mataji's garba till the end.)



17/10: After lunch we had a very informative talk on various aspects of scams, frauds, elderly abuse etc.



First Police Officers: PC Hobday from Northwick Park Ward, PC Cox and PCSO Popa from Preston Ward spoke on crimes and burglaries, especially aggravated robberies and the precautions to be taken. Members asked many questions and these were replied in detail.



Then, Mark Mullally, Community Banker from NatWest Bank presented his detailed talk with slides. He spoke on telephone scams and call blocker, text messages fraud, postal scams, etc. He explained how the predatory criminals operate and precautions to take. He also said how the younger generation is targeted by scammers. He then spoke to individual members on their queries.

22/10: We had a fantastic Diwali Dhamaka at VIP Lounge. Full attendance of 380, Members and their friends enjoyed this programme. The hall décor, music and food was excellent. Everyone dressed in beautiful attires, just looked amazing. The table arrangements were great and thanks to Purnimaben who had worked very hard to make this easier on the day.



31/10: After lunch we had Mithai and Aarti Thali compition. While the judges were still deciding, a short play of Ram Bharat Milan wasperformed by Vinodbhai Kapashi and his team. It was very intresting and the costumes were very beautiful. Kendras thanks to all the participants. Congratulations to all the winners and all entrants.









Entrance Decoration Ram-Bharat Milan Play cast Mithai 1st Prize

Aarti Thali 1st Prize

Mithai: 1st prize: Jyotiben D Shah, 2nd Ramaben Doshi, 3rd Hansaben Patani

Aarti: 1st prize Meenaben Vora, 2nd Shardaben Modi

SAD LOSS:Kendra's deepest condolences to Harshad Mehta on the sad loss his wife Sarojben Harshadbhai,age 68, who passed away on 20/10.