

Shree Mandhata Youth and Community Association East London and Essex

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Dear all: I wish to submit the following report on behalf of the East London and Essex branch. I hope you will find interesting to read.

1. Annual General Meeting (AGM): will take place on **Sunday 23rd June 2019** at Gujarat Welfare Association, 141 Plashet Road, Upton park, London, E13 0RA. from **4.00 PM to 6.00 PM**). Agenda are as follows: Prayers/Welcome , Minutes of the last AGM, President's report, Secretary's report, Treasurer's report and accounts for 2018/2019, Elect new committee for 2019/2020, There will be refreshments after the AGM.

Prior to the AGM we will be holding a memorial service from 3.00 PM for late Vallabhbhai Morarbhai, Harivadanbhai G Mistry, Dhanjibhal Govindbhai and other members from our Samaj who have recently died. Please arrive at the centre before 3.00 PM

2. SEA SIDE TRIP TO BRIGHTON : I would like to organise a **sea side trip to Brighton for Sunday 14th July 2019. Cost Adult £15: and Children under 14 £10 per person.** I have a made a provisional booking and provided I receive 45 seats booking by Sunday 26 May 2019 the trip will go ahead.; if not it will be cancelled. Thank you.

3. Navaratri Programmes 2019 dates are as follows: **From Sunday 29th September 2019 to Sunday 6th October all inclusive from 8.00 P.M.**

Venue: Sandringham School , Sandringham Road, Forest Gate , E.7. We will announce the date/details for Diwali programme during the Navaratri.

4 .MAIN OBJEJECTIVE: Our main objective is to acquire our own premises in East London and Essex area. Please support our Association and donate regularly and generously. Our account is with Nationwide BS A/C number 70264357 Sort code 07-00-55 Please contact me for more information. You can also pay your membership fee £10 PA by sending me a cheque as above.

5. Appreciations: On behalf of our Samaj I wish to thank you all for your help, support and co-operation with all our programmes last year. We appreciate all your generous donation and help. We hope you will continue to support our Association in the future. Thank you. **It is an honour and privilege** to serve our Samaj. I am very grateful to all my Management Committee members for their help and support.

I would particularly like to thank Ramanbhai S Patel for organising a Music Group for our Diwali Programme 2018 at VHP Ilford Hindu Centre. To attract more members we subsidised the Diwali programme by charging only £10 for adult. Children under ten free. We also provided Diwali dinner and dance. On the day it was Parbhubhai S Patel 80th Birthday. We devoted special songs and sang happy Birthday wishes.

6: GUJARATI CLASSES: We have been running Gujarati classes continuously for the past 27 (twenty seven) years. We hold these classes every Saturday at VHP temple Ilford from 10.30 AM. This service is provided free. Please contact Natu for further information.

7. Navaratri/Diwali programmes 2018 were celebrated very successfully. This year we hired a music group for our Diwali programme. I would like to thank my Executive Committee for making these events successful.

8. Background information about our Association: Shree Mandhata Youth and Community Association East London and Essex (SMYCA) Our Association was first established in 1979. We became the registered charity in October 1992 and deriving many advantages. We are affiliated member of the British Hindu Forum (BHF) and National Council for Voluntary Organisation (NCVO). We have over 150 families and members.

BAL BUDHHI VIDYA DEHU MOHI HAR HU KALESH VIKAR. UNITY IS OUR STRENGTH.

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