



## THE ASSOCIATION OF MANDHATA SAMAJ, UK.

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### 2020 Diwali Message from President of AMSUK



Dear Friends,

Namaste. Jai Shree Krishna. Hope you are all safe and well.

It's been my pleasure to serve as President of AMSUK. I wish to take this opportunity to wish all our readers, supporters and community members a very joyful Diwali and a prosperous New Year 2021, Vikram Samvat 2077.

May you and your family be blessed with abundance of health, wealth and prosperity now and always.

My sincere thanks to AMSUK Management Committee and our Community members for their continued support.

The COVID-19 pandemic has severely impacted individuals from all walks of life including our Community. The rapid spread of the coronavirus has posed enormous health, economic, environmental and social challenges to the entire human population.

AMSUK has therefore had to cancel/postpone all planned events/activities until further notice and subject to UK Government's advice/guidance on easing of the lockdown restrictions.

The safety and well-being of our community members is of utmost priority and as such, we will keep reviewing the pandemic situation on a regular basis and update our members regarding any changes. In the meantime, we must all act responsibly and follow UK Government's advice/guidance at all times to keep the coronavirus under control.

It was good to hear our UK Prime Minister Rt. Hon. Boris Johnson embracing our Hindu Culture in his Special Diwali 2020 Address. He said; "Just as Lord Rama and his wife Sita found their way home after the defeat of the demon king Ravana, their way lit by many millions of lamps, so too we shall find our way through this, and we shall do so triumphantly".

AMSUK will continue to keep in touch, engage and support our community members during the COVID-19 pandemic. Let us all unite and fight the pandemic together as responsible individuals for the benefit and safety of our community.

**Remember; Coronavirus has NOT gone away. We all need to keep safe and keep others safe.**

Finally, our thoughts and prayers are with the families and friends of those members of our Community, who are no longer with us today and who will dearly be missed.

I wish you all the very best for the future. Good luck and God bless.

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**President – AMSUK**

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