



27th Dec, 2024

Dear Sadh Sangat Ji,

Waheguru Ji Ka Khalsa, Waheguru Ji Ki Fateh

Updates on Recent Events

December Overview

1. Significant Sikh events, namely the Guru Gaddi Diwas of Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji and the Avtar Purab of Guru Nanak Dev Ji were observed last month with great reverence and support of Sangat. It was very nice to see children also participating enthusiastically in these programmes.

Shaheedi Diwas

2. The Saka Sirhind, or the Chhotte Sahibzade Saka commemorates the martyrdom of Guru Gobind Singh Ji's two sons, Zorawar Singh and Fateh Singh. The Shaheedi Sabha (also known as Shaheedi Jod Mela) is a three-day religious congregation held at Gurdwara Sri Fatehgarh Sahib in Punjab, India every year from 24th to 26th Dec. The Shaheedi Sabha commemorates the supreme sacrifice of Guru Ji's sons at the place of their martyrdom. Given that the Singapore Sikh Community, including our Sangat, will be joining the Naam Ras Kirtan Darbar at the Singapore Expo, our Gurdwara Sahib will be organising a one-day program on 29th Dec as

Rehan Sabai Kirtan

3. The Rehan Sabai Kirtan will be held at Gurdwara Sahib Yishun on 31st Dec 2024. The programme will include the recitation of Rehras Sahib and Sukhmani Sahib Path along with Kirtan. We encourage Sangat to participate as much as possible and receive Guru ji's blessings. The programme details will be e-blasted to Sangat separately.

Contribution to Naam Ras Kirtan Darbar

4. As the Sangat is aware, Naam Ras Kirtan Darbar is held every two years. Gurdwara Sahib Yishun continues to extend our heartfelt support to the event through cash donations and provision of one-time langar on all five days (26th to 30th Dec).

Sri Guru Gobind Singh ji GURPURAB (3rd to 5th Jan 25)

5. We will be celebrating the Prakash Diwas of Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji in January. Sri Akhand Paath Sahib will commence on 3rd Jan and Bhog will be on 5th Jan. We look forward to the Sangat's active participation in sewa as well as enjoyig the blissful prayers.

Lohri Festival on 13th Jan 25

6. Lohri marks the passing of the winter solstice and makes way for a good harvest season. It is one of the most popular festivals in North India celebrated primarily by Sikhs and Hindus. As per previous years, Lohri will be held in Gurdwara Sahib Yishun on 13th Jan. Those who wish to reserve slots for their goody distribution, please inform the Manager accordingly.

Dry Ration Donations

7. The MC of Gurdwara Sahib Yishun extends our immense gratitude to all donors who have been actively contributing dry rations every month. May Waheguru Ji bless them and fulfill their wishes.

Programme For January 2025.

8. A copy of the programme for the month of January is attached.

Yours In Sewa
Sewadars
Gurdwara Sahib Yishun