



# BRAHMIN SAMAJ OF ONTARIO

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## Newsletter - March, 2014

### President's Message

Committee members would like to thank all the members for giving us an opportunity to serve our Samaj for the year 2013-14. We extend our appreciation for record breaking attendance during all Samaj events throughout the year and service provided by all members including the past presidents and past committee members.

Committee always graciously supported by our senior members through active participation, cooperation and encouragement. We also like to acknowledge the active participation of youth, our future asset, during all events including grand Diwali celebration. We would like to thank our donors, sponsors, advertisers and those who supported community through their membership fees.

Committee of 2013-14 initiated BSO cricket rotating trophy, BSO generation Y recognition for exceptional achievement in the field of academics, sports or extra-curricular activity. These initiatives have been well received by Samaj members. We will continue and make it formal part of BSO Samaj events.

We will encourage you to offer your time, energy and skills for the betterment of our Samaj.

Samaj Annual General Meeting (AGM) is on April, 13, 2013 to form a new committee for year 2014-15.

Please note that we have created online nomination channel to serve you better in addition to existing nomination process. Nomination online is confidential, convenient and comprehensive.

Get involve and nominate yourself or encourage right candidate so that you see positive change in Samaj that you want to see. Please reserve your names online so we can serve you better.

Looking forward to see you at AGM!

Best Regards,

Hemant Thakar  
(For the 2013-14 Committee)

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### 2013-14 Executive Committee:

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### 2013-14 Committee:

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**Honorary Executive Committee Member:** Prashant Trivedi (C) 647 216 2305

**Honourary Members:** Bharat Kotak, Lalit Soni and Chandrakant Rambhiya

# Annual General Meeting

Note: Please check the website regularly or call for the current status of events

Date: Sunday, 13-April-2014  
Time: 10:30 am - 02:00 pm  
Place: **Royal Banquet Hall**  
185 Statesman Drive  
Mississauga, Ontario  
L5S 1X4



## Notes:

- (1) Food will be served after election.
- (2) Reservation required to serve you better.
- (3) See nomination form on page #4.
- (4) Please read our ongoing emails & flyers

## Membership and Donation

Remember that membership paid after March 31, 2014 will be considered for the coming year 2014-15.

You are eligible to vote if you have paid membership during April 01, 2013 to March 31, 2014.

Please pay and renew your membership by using any of following alternatives:

- [1] Visit BSO website [www.brahminsamajontario.org](http://www.brahminsamajontario.org) and pay online.
- [2] Use the attached form and mail it along with a cheque payable to 'Brahmin Samaj of Ontario' to postal address as given below.
- [3] Use the attached form and drop it along with cash or cheque payable to 'Brahmin Samaj of Ontario' with any current committee member.
- [4] Pay to our treasurer when you attend any samaj event.

**Annual Membership Renewal and Donation Form:** Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:	_____	Family Membership Fee (\$25)	\$ _____
Name of spouse:	_____	or Single Membership Fee (\$15)	\$ _____
Name of children:	_____	Donation Contribution	\$ _____
	_____	Total Amount Submitted	\$ _____

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Please send this form with a cheque payable to:

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at the address given below.

**THANK YOU!**

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# Nomination Form

## to elect the Committee of Brahmin Samaj of Ontario for the Year 2014-15

Please fill the form below and bring to executives committee members at Royal Banquet hall on April 13, 2014. The position is nominated and seconded by only Gujarati Brahmin who has paid membership for the current calendar year which started on April 01, 2013 and will end on March 31, 2014.

Notes: (1) "Seconded by" means, supported by or endorsed by (You can not support or endorse yourself)  
(2) Please write your age if you are a senior and have not paid membership.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ have read above rules and nominate the following member(s):

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of President who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of Vice President who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of Treasurer who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of Secretary who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of Committee Member who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of Committee Member who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

(7) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of Committee Member who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

(8) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of Committee Member who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

(9) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of Committee Member who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

(10) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of Committee Member who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

(11) \_\_\_\_\_ for the position of Committee Member who is seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

*Signature* \_\_\_\_\_ *Date* \_\_\_\_\_

Eligibility must be verified by the current executives before handing over this form to elected convenor

*Verified by the Executive: Name:* \_\_\_\_\_ *Position:* \_\_\_\_\_ *Signature.....* \_\_\_\_\_

## **Humble request to all Brahmans**

**Provide your email address to Brahmin Samaj at your earliest. That will save our environment and Samaj printing and mailing cost.**

**Go Green..!!! Save-the-earth..!!!**