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NEWSLETTER

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Presidents Message:

Dear Members,

Jai Shri Krishna to all,

It has been a year of the classic in every sense of the word. Going from the Agm to Summer Picnic, Youth Camping, Yagnopavit (Janoi), Havan to our most cherished Diwali Dinner Classic, it has been a year that will be remembered as a classic. A special thanks to Rasilaben, Illaben & Mamtaben who donated the three door prizes for the Diwali Dinner! These are the kinds of things I am talking about & to see all the smiles on everyone's faces makes this years committee a success. I would at this time like to thank the committee members of 08-09' & the youth committee for their efforts because without teamwork all these smiles would not be possible.

AGM is your chance to join hands with all Brahmins & be part of the committee and voice your concerns & changes that you would want to see to make our samaj a better place for all members. Annual General Meeting for the current year is approaching soon, so please come to this years AGM the final event of the year 2008-2009 on Sunday April 26, 2009. We are also having a cooking competition organized with the AGM, so the entire family can also enjoy the event. Please also note our website address www.brahminsamajontario.org where you can get the latest information about our Samaj.

I look forward to seeing all of you at our Annual General Meeting.

Thank you & Regards,

Prakash Dave

President

Committee of 08-09' Year of the Classic

Brahmin Samaj of Ontario

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & COOKING COMPETITION

Date: Sunday, April 26th, 2009

Place: Gujarat Bhavan (FOGA building)

58 Clark Ave

Thornhill, ON.

NE Corner of Yonge and Steeles

Time: 3 p.m. – 6 p.m

Members are encouraged to attend the annual general meeting to express their ideas and opinions. The current committee will thank the members for the opportunity to serve the samaj and will then be dissolved in favour of an election for a new committee for the upcoming 2009/10 year. **If you are interested in standing for a position or nominating someone please fill out a nomination form and bring it with you on April 26th, 2009.**

April 26th, 2009 will be about more than just the A.G.M as there will be a cooking competition for all the adults, yes including the men. This year's cooking competition will feature "Your choice" of a vegetarian dish without eggs of your choice. If you would like to participate in the competition, please call Jayshreeben Joshi **416-494-3265** to reserve your spot. The rules of the competition are that items must be homemade with the complete recipe and must be presented for display no later than 3:30 p.m. Judges will decide the winners based on the food item taste and presentation. Therefore all the competitors are responsible for bringing all the required supplies to make the effective presentation of their food items. Any question please contact Jayshreeben at the above number.

Family Membership: \$25 per year
 Single Adult Membership: \$15 per year

Membership fees, generous donations & Advertisers are the main source of revenue for the Samaj that help the Samaj recover the costs of building rentals, food, printing, postage and all the other things that help make an organization vibrant. Membership fees that were paid for the 2008-2009 year expire on the date of the A.G.M and should be renewed for the 2009-2010 by members on April 26th, 2009.

Feel free to direct any questions or comments towards any committee member.

Executive Committee:

PRESIDENT	Prakash Dave	905-987-5281	Cell: 416-831-5656
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Committee:

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Illaben Joshi	416-293-5196
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Youth Executive:

Neha Jani	416-704-1376
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Nomination Forms for 2009-2010 Committee:

I, _____ nominate the following member(s):

_____	to serve in the position of _____	in 2009-10
_____	to serve in the position of _____	in 2009-10
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_____	to serve in the position of _____	in 2009-10
_____	to serve in the position of _____	in 2009-10

Signature _____ Date _____