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Swami Dayanand Saraswati



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### Editorial:

With the Ved Prachaar coming up next week everyone is getting ready for the week ahead. There will be classes for children during the week and classes for adults during the weekends. All are welcome to learn about the Vedas.

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Members singing Chautal during Holi celebrations

### APSQ- Dayanand Bodh Diwas and Holi Celebration

In the Vedic/Hindu tradition, there are many festivals that are observed throughout the year. There are different festivals to celebrate some honour the seasons, harvests and a number of them to remember and pay tribute to very special people who have had a major influence on the general public. It has been a busy month for members of Arya Pratinidhi Sabha of Queensland as Arya parv activities were prevalent in March.

*Dayanand Bodh Diwas* was celebrated at Finnish Hall on March 3rd. This event marked the day when *Maharishi Swami Dayanand Saraswati* was enlightened and he went for search of truth. When he was a teenager, he wanted to find the true God. This led him to begin a personal quest, lasting nearly three decades, for knowledge revealing the true nature of god. *Swamiji* was founder of Arya Samaj movement, and his teachings were based on VEDAS, the oldest Hindu Scriptures in the world today. Mr Sukarm Singh addressed the audience on *Dayanand Bodh Diwas*, and he spoke on *Swamiji's* life and how he started Arya Samaj movement. After observing a prayer meeting with his parents, he decided to find the true God. When he did not get answers from his parents he left his home, wondering Northern part of India to find a *Guru* who could answer his questions. He found *Guru Swami Virjanand* at Mathura, where he gained his knowledge and found most of his answers. After spending few years in *Ashram of Guru Virjanand*, *Mool Shankar* became *Swami Dayanand Sarawati*. *Swamiji* was instrumental in transforming India to modern India, we see today. His major achievements included spread of true knowledge of VEDAS, fighting for discrimination against women and educating them, speaking of VEDAS, the caste system and evil practices, revival of hindi and sanskrit and bringing forward the spirit of nationalism and independence. *Swamiji* authored many books and *Sanskar Vidhi, Satyarth Prakash, Rigveda Bhashya* and *Yajurveda Bhashya* are among the many. The programme included Yajna, Bhajans and refreshments. The Havan Yaj was sponsored by Dr Sukhvair Singh Family.

The Sabha also celebrated Holi -Festival of colours at Finnish Hall on March 17th. Holi is a major Hindu festival that welcomes the spring. Holi celebrates the new life and energy of the new season. Holi is preceded by harvesting of a variety of crops and, therefore, it gives the farmers and their families a genuine springboard to go in for real merriment. When the barns of the farmers are full they have every reason to enjoy the fruits of their hard labour. The fresh grain is offered as 'aahuti' in the havan. The function started with Yajna, and Pandita Usha Rai highlighted about the significance of Holi. Holi songs, also called "*Chautals*" were sung by Master Lalita Prasad, and members from community. The *Chautal's* entertained the audience and event was full of fun. The members also enjoyed playing with colours and powder. The programme concluded with refreshments and "*Holi sweets*".

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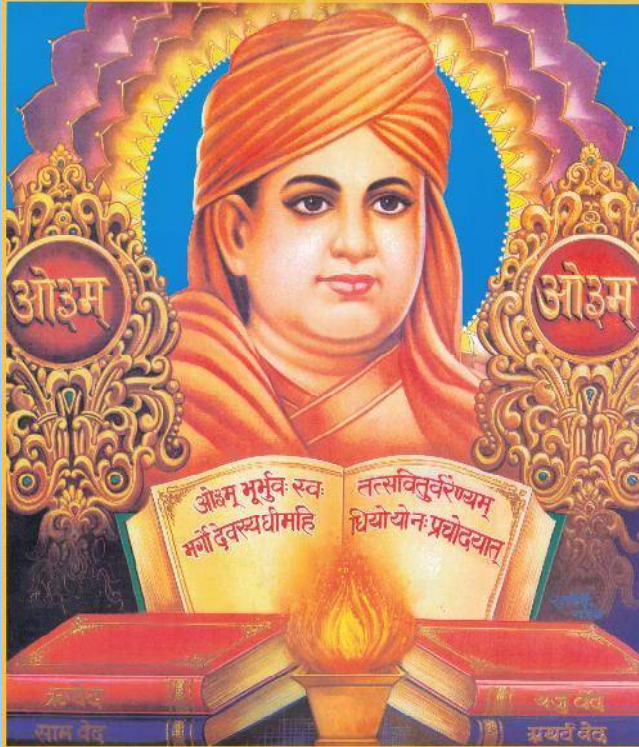
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For the first time in  
Rockhampton  
April 13th from 6.00 pm to  
8.30pm  
Ved Prakash's  
Residence  
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## Pracharak - Pt Guru Datt 'Arya Ratna'

Pt Guru Datt Ji, a well known, knowledgeable and experienced Pracharak, is a Vedic scholar presents VED Prachaar in Fiji, Australia, America and New Zealand spreading the knowledge relating to righteousness.

Pandit Ji also provides his discourse on Radio Brisvaani through Sabha sponsored Radio programme of Ved Sandesh.

## Programme as follows:

## Free Entry & Dinner provided

April 5th from 6.00 pm to 8.30pm  
Jitendra Deo's residence  
17 Somerset Dr Carseldine

April 6th from 6.00 pm to 8.30pm  
Jitendra Deo's residence  
17 Somerset Dr Carseldine

April 7th from 6.00pm to 8.30pm  
Pimpama School of Arts Hall at 15 Clark  
Way, Pimpama. (Gold Coast)

April 8th from 6.00pm to 8.30pm  
Sunnybank RSL 19 Gager St Sunnybank Hills

April 9th from 6pm to 8.30pm  
Sunnybank RSL Hall  
19 Gager St Sunnybank Hills

April 10th from 6.00 pm to 8.30 pm  
Rajesh Chand's residence  
20 Lambert Dr Calamvale