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புதிதாய் பிறந்ததாய் உள்ளம் நினைக்க,
பூக்களின் வாசமாய் நம்பிக்கை தெளிக்க,
நல்லதொரு நாளாய் தினமும் விடிய,
வருக புத்தாண்டே வருக !!



BHAGAVAD GITA QUOTE



“Do everything you have to do, but not with ego,
not with lust, not with envy but with love,
compassion, humility and devotion”

Dear Members,

அனைவருக்கும் இனிய தமிழ் புத்தாண்டு வாழ்த்துக்கள்.

SHOBAKRUTHU SAMVATSARA is the sanskrit name for the upcoming new year which begins on 14-Apr-2023 and it is the first day of the tamil month CHITHIRAI. In Hindu calenders, there are 60 cyclical years and SHOBAKRUTHU is the 37th year in the list.

The Indian festivals Tamil Puthandu, Vishu and Baisaki share the common theme of new beginnings and are celebrated around the same time but at different regions. Hence it has been truly said that India is a land of unity in diversity!!

ACCOLADES:

It is so exciting to see our Indian Cinema being appreciated globally. Naatu Naatu, the hit dance track from Telugu language Indian film RRR has bagged the prestigious Oscar 2023 award for the Best Original Song category.

The Elephant Whisperers, the bilingual (Tamil and Kurumba, a rural dialect of Kannada) Indian documentary film has won the Oscar 2023 for the Best Documentary Short Film category. The hard work and dedication of everyone associated with these successful productions are praiseworthy. KUDOS to Indian Film Industry !!

RECAP OF MARCH 2023 PROGRAMS:

- ◆ Holi was celebrated by our members at SICA School, sch # 54 with fun and frolic.
 - ◆ Shri. Dushyanth Sridhar's Upanyasam organised by Indore Bhaktha Samaj took the audience to the epic age through Bhakthi margam. The Upanyasar narrated the incidents of Rama and Krishna Avatars in a unique style blended with a good sense of humour which was enjoyed very much by the audience. Thanks to Indore Bhaktha Samaj for organising such a wonderful discourse.
 - ◆ The foundation day of SICA was celebrated at Sanghi auditorium with Sri Rama Navami poojai accompanied by soothing bhajans by our enthusiastic members. Dr. Ganesan briefly explained some beautiful verses of Kamba Ramayanam that glorify Shri Rama. It was very encouraging to the SICA Committee to see a sizable number of members who had attended the poojai. Thanks to all members for their participation.
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APRIL 2023 PROGRAM:

SICA Day will be celebrated on 23 rd April, 2023 from 5.30 pm onwards at SICA Sanghi colony auditorium. The honourees on SICA Day are Shri Krishnan A & Smt. Lalitha Krishnan (Mem# K008) and Shri Rajamani Vadhiyar & Smt. Anandhi Rajamani (Mem# R052).

All are cordially invited to this felicitation ceremony which will be followed by a carnatic music concert presented by Dr. Niranjana Srinivasan on vocals, Shri T R S Manikandan on

mrithangam and Ms. Anantha Lakshmi on violin. Your gracious presence is highly solicited to encourage the young artists from Chennai.

SICA members' children with 90 % or above marks in class 10 & 12 board exams of 2021- 22 batch as well as the wards of our members who graduated in the year 2021-22 with a score of 90% or above in a Bachelor's degree program are requested to send their mark sheet /degree certificate copies along with their parent's name & membership no to Mr. Amol Jog (9522264400) before 18th April 2023. The meritorious children will be felicitated on SICA day.

The pending prizes for the sports events held in Jan 2023 will be awarded to the winners on SICA Day from 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm. The names of prize winners will be notified and they are requested to collect their prizes in the designated time. We regret for the delay in distributing the prizes.

HEALTH CARE: A medical camp for BP and Diabetes check-up was held on 1st April 2023 at SICA clinic which was beneficial to some of our members. Please be informed that the camp will be conducted regularly on the first Saturday of every month.

HAPPY MOMENTS

The SICA management Committee takes great pleasure in sharing the joyous moments of our members.

LAURELS:

Ms.Sai Krithika, D/o Smt. Sri Vidya and Shri C S Keerthivashan (Mem # K040) was conferred with the gold medal in the field of Bachelor of Arts at the convocation ceremony held at DAVV, Indore on 25th March 2023. Best wishes to Ms. Sai Krithika.

NEW BABY ARRIVAL:

Smt. Sowmya Srikanth, D/o Smt. Anuradha & Shri T A Srinivasa Acharya (Mem # S001) is blessed with a boy baby Advait S, born on 10-March 2023 at Indore. We convey our blessings to the new born baby and best wishes to the family.

The Committee also extends its warmest wishes on the birthdays and wedding days of our members.

BIRTH DAYS:

Sr. No	Name	Memb. No	Birth Day
1	Mrs. S. Jayalakshmi	S071	16-Apr
2	Mr.S.Sriram	S091	20-Apr
3	Mr.R. Subramanian	S117	20-Apr
4	Mr.Ramesh Guruswami Nair	R123	20-Apr
5	Mr. Sandeep Jain	S085	21-Apr
6	Mrs. V. Geetha	S034	22-Apr
7	Mr.N.Ravichandran	R028	24-Apr
8	Mrs.Sudhalakshmi Ramesh	R080	24-Apr
9	Mrs.C.Bagirathi	C008	25-Apr
10	Mrs.K. Padmavathi	M012	27-Apr
11	Mrs.Shanta Unni	N027	27-Apr
12	Mr.S.Ganesh	G013	28-Apr
13	Mrs.Sumathi	K009	29-Apr
14	Mrs.Geetha Rajesh	R102	29-Apr
15	Mr.N.Venkateswaran	V046	30-Apr
16	Mrs.Manju Gopakumar	G027	30-Apr
17	Mr.R.Murugan	M038	3-May
18	Mrs.Padma Rajagopal	R117	5-May
19	Mrs.Seeta Sundaram	S108	9-May
20	Mr.V.Suresh Iyer	S022	10-May
21	Mr.Rajesh V.Potty	R102	10-May
22	Mr.Subramanian Raman Iyer	S146	10-May
23	Mrs.R.Sudha Raju	R109	10-May
24	Mrs.Savitha Narayanan	N015	12-May
25	Mr.S.Navaneethan	N030	13-May
26	Mr.S.Sateesh kumar	S150	13-May
27	Mrs.R. Lakshmi	V060	13-May
28	Mr.Kailash Mudliar	M042	14-May

29	Mrs..Ananthi Rajamani	R052	15-May
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WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

Sr. No	Name	Memb. No	Wedding Day
1	Mrs & Mr.C. Sairam Iyer	S139	16-Apr
2	Mrs & Mr.Harish V. Iyer	H007	18-Apr
3	Mrs & Mr.Suresh Kumar	S151	18-Apr
4	Mrs & Mr.S.M.Iyer	S102	20-Apr
5	Mrs & Mr.S.M.Ranganath	R010	21-Apr
6	Mrs & Mr.Rajagopalan Kannan	R125	22-Apr
7	Mrs & Mr.V.Suresh Iyer	S022	26-Apr
8	Mrs & Mr.Rajaram Iyer	R112	26-Apr
9	Mrs & Mr.Nirupama Venkateshan	N022	27-Apr
10	Mrs & Mr.N.Murali Iyer	M016	4-May
11	Mrs & Mr.V.Ganesan	G016	6-May
12	Mrs & Mr.Sivaprakash Nair	S143	6-May
13	Mrs & Mr.S.Sriram	S091	9-May
14	Mrs & Mr.Shailesh Kumar	S105	9-May
15	Mrs & Mr.S.Venkatesh Acharya	V064	10-May
16	Mrs & Mr.N.K.Hariharan	H002	11-May
17	Mrs & Mr.N.Venkatachalam Aiyer	V031	11-May
18	Mrs & Mr.Ramesh Guruswamy Nair	R123	11-May
19	Mrs & Mr.S.Ganesh	G013	12-May
20	Mrs & Mr.Balasubramanian Iyer(SBS Iyer)	B003	12-May
21	Mrs & Mr.S.Krishnamachari	K033	12-May
22	Mrs & Mr.K.Srinivasan	S005	13-May
23	Mrs & Mr.R.Badri	B017	13-May
24	Mrs & Mr.S.Vishwanathan	V056	13-May

SUBSCRIPTION: We bring to the notice of members that the following subscriptions are due as per our records.

FY 2022-23

70 members

FY 2021-22	16 members
FY 2020-21	1 member

Members can remit their subscriptions using one of the following modes:

(1) Deposit the cheque at SICA office @ Sanghi colony on any working day during office hours.

(2) Transfer through Net banking:

Subscription Amount	: Rs.590/- inclusive of GST
Account Name	: South Indian Cultural Association
Account No	: 883610110011760
Bank Name & Branch	: Bank of India, A B Road Branch
IFSC Code	: BKID0008836

(3) Pay through UPI using the QR code

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Warm regards,

**Rajeswari Aswin Kumar ,
Secretary , SICA**