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G.S.B. MANDAL, DOMBIVLI®

(REG. NO. MAH/F-568/THANE)

Presents

SHREE SHARADA POOJA MAHOTSAY



On Opth To 12th October 2024
At

Shree Siddhivinayak Mandir, Next To Gokhale Hospital, MIDC, Dombivli (E)



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Dear Devotees,

It is with immense joy, reverence, and a deep sense of community spirit that we extend a heartfelt invitation to each one of you for the Shree Sharada Pooja Mahotsav 2024. This sacred event is scheduled to take place from 9th to 12th October 2024, and we are eagerly anticipating your presence to celebrate the divine grace of Goddess Sharada. Building upon the success and fervor of last year's celebration, this year's Mahotsav promises to be even more magnificent and spiritually uplifting. We are excited to announce that the festivities will once again be held on a grand scale at the expansive open ground venue, adorned with a spectacular 55,000 sq ft pandal. This grand setting will provide a perfect backdrop for our collective prayers, rituals, and cultural activities, creating an atmosphere filled with devotion, joy, and togetherness.

We eagerly look forward to your presence and active participation to make the Shree Sharada Pooja Mahotsav 2024 a memorable and blessed event for all.

- 1. Shree Sharada Prathistapana: Commencement of the festivities with the installation of the divine idol of Goddess Sharada, adorned with utmost devotion and grandeur.
- 2. Ganahoma and Havan Ceremonies: Participate in sacred rituals like Ganahoma and Chandika Havan, invoking blessings for prosperity and well-being, culminating in Poornahuti on the final day.
- 3. Laksha Kumkum Archana: Join the Suhasinis in the devotional Laksha Kumkum Archana, symbolizing collective prayers and offerings of our community.
- 4. Akshar Abhyas and Tulabhar: Traditional rituals of Akshar Abhyas and Tulabhar, marking the initiation of young minds into learning and the offering of gratitude to the divine.

- 5. **Bhajan and Cultural Programs:** Enjoy melodious Bhajans by renowned artists and vibrant cultural programs, including Garba and Dandiya Raas.
- 6. Annadaan Seva: "Annadana" is often considered the "Shreshta Dana," which means the "highest or most supreme form of donation." This belief is rooted in the idea that food is essential for sustaining life. It is believed that feeding others pleases the gods and brings spiritual merit to the donor. The act of Annadana is seen as not just charity but also a sacred duty.
- 7. **Garba and Dandiya on All 9 Nights:** Experience the joy of Garba and Dandiya Raas every night for all 9 nights, ensuring continuous celebration and joy.
- 8. **Grand Visarjan Procession:** Conclude the festivities with a grand Visarjan procession, bidding farewell to Goddess Sharada with devotion and reverence, until next year.

With Warm Regards, The Managing Committee, G.S.B. Mandal, Dombivli

Sharada Mata Ki Jai!

· About the Mandal ·

GSB Mandal, Dombivli ("Mandal"), a non-profit organization established in 1979, is dedicated to uniting the GSB community, fostering a sense of brotherhood, and providing vital assistance to all its members. Beyond serving our community, we have extended our support to society at large through various initiatives. Furthermore, we manage GSB Mandal's Sitaram A Pai Memorial School that offers free education to GSB students and administer various scholarship programs, strengthening our commitment to education and empowerment.

We have consistently organized essential activities, such as blood donation camps, health camps, and scholarship programs, to benefit our members. Our proudest strength lies in our dedicated volunteers, who willingly go the extra mile to provide assistance during natural calamities in relief camps.

At Mandal, we firmly believe in striking a balance between catering to the needs of the youth and the elderly, recognizing the power of synergy and effective collaboration for our organization's growth. With the grace of God and blessings from our Gurus, we have been able to whole heartedly contribute to the growth of both our Samaj and society as a whole.

In this spirit of unity and community, we invite everyone to participate in the auspicious event of Sharada Pooja, spanning four days. Such grand events are made possible through the generous contributions of our Samaj Bandhavas, scattered across the globe.

Let us all come together and make a positive impact on society, celebrating our unity and shared values during this joyous occasion of Sharada Pooja. Should you wish to contribute through donations or book a seva, you can find all the necessary details in this brochure.

Yours Sincerely, Managing Committee, GSB Mandal, Dombivli

|| Sharada Mata Ki Jai ||

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• Key Activities of GSB Mandal, Dombivli •

01. Educational Initiatives & Free Scholarship for GSB Students:

GSB Mandal proudly runs a school providing quality education to children, nurturing their academic & personal development. Providing free education to all GSB students.



02 Social Service Activities:

Our Mandal is actively involved in various social service initiatives, including blood donation drives, support for the elderly, and assistance during natural calamities.



03. Spiritual Discourses and Workshops:

To nurture the spiritual well-being of our community, we organize regular discourses by eminent speakers & conduct workshops on various topics.



04. Cultural & Religious Programs:

Our Mandal takes pride in organizing a variety of cultural & religious programs throughout the year including Bhajan Sandhyas & "Rama Nama Japa".



05. Health and Wellness Camps:

GSB Mandal regularly conducts health camps, offering free medical check-ups, Blood donation camps and consultations to the community.



06. Promoting Cultural and Linguistic Heritage:

To celebrate and promote our cultural & linguistic heritage, GSB Mandal organized a special screening of the award-winning Konkani movie **TARPANA**.



07. IGCL (Inter-GSB Cricket League) 2024:

Promoting sportsmanship and camaraderie among GSB members through a competitive cricket tournament.



08. More than 18 events throughout the year:

Celebrating significant religious occasions, including Maghi Ganpati and Ramnavami, to strengthen spiritual bonds within the community.



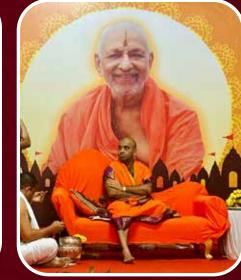
















•Sevas•

Sevas	Amount		
1) Maha Annadana	Rs.5,00,000/		
2) Athivesh Seva	Rs.2,50,000/		
3) Annadana Seva - One full Day	Rs.1,00,000/-		
4) Prasad Vitaran Seva	Rs.50,000/-		
5) Vishesh Seva	Rs.25,000/-		
6) Annadana Seva - Vijaydashmi	Rs.12,555/-		
7) Chandika Havan*	Rs.11,000/-		
8) Annadana Seva - One Meal	Rs.7,555/-		
9) Pancha Durga Havan*	Rs.7,555/-		
10) Laxmi Narayan Hriday Havan*	Rs.6,555/-		
11) Durga Namaskar*	Rs.5,555/-		
12) Full Day Seva	Rs.3,555/-		
13) Full Day Pushpalankar Seva	Rs.2,500/-		
14) Ranga Pooja	Rs.2,500/-		
15) Madhyana Pooja	Rs.2,001/-		
16) Ratri Pooja	Rs.2,001/-		
17) Ladoo Seva	Rs.1,500/-		
18) Varbhet Seva	Rs.1,500/-		
19) Haldi Kumkum Seva	Rs.1,005/-		
20) Akshar Abhyas	Rs.1,000/-		
21) Pushpa Pooja	Rs.750/-		
22) Deeparadhana	Rs.655/-		
23) Laksha Kumkumarchana	Rs.555/-		

Tulabhar Seva (All Days)			
Coconut	Rice	Sugar	
Rs.40/pc	Rs.80/kg	Rs.80/kg	
Cost of Tulabhar Seva will be considered as per actual weight & above rates.			

- 1. For the Tulabhar seva, please ensure that bookings are made in minimum one day in advance.
- 2. Pooja prasad distribution will be available from 10 a.m. on Day 1 until Visarjan Puja on Day 4
- 3. Kindly note that no prasad will be distributed after Visarjan Puja.
- 4. Please note external offerings to Devi are not permitted due to security reasons.
- 5. Please be advised that the gates will be closed from 11.30 p.m. to 6 a.m.
- 6 To receive prasad, it is mandatory to present the seva receipt, whether obtained offline or online.

To Book Seva please contact our Committee Members. The Cheques to be drawn in favour of "GSB Mandal, Dombivli".

You can also do bank transfer, details as follows: SVC Bank, SB A/c no: 104803130000943, IFSC code: SVCB0000048.

You can also do UPI transfer by scanning QR



*Only for GSBs

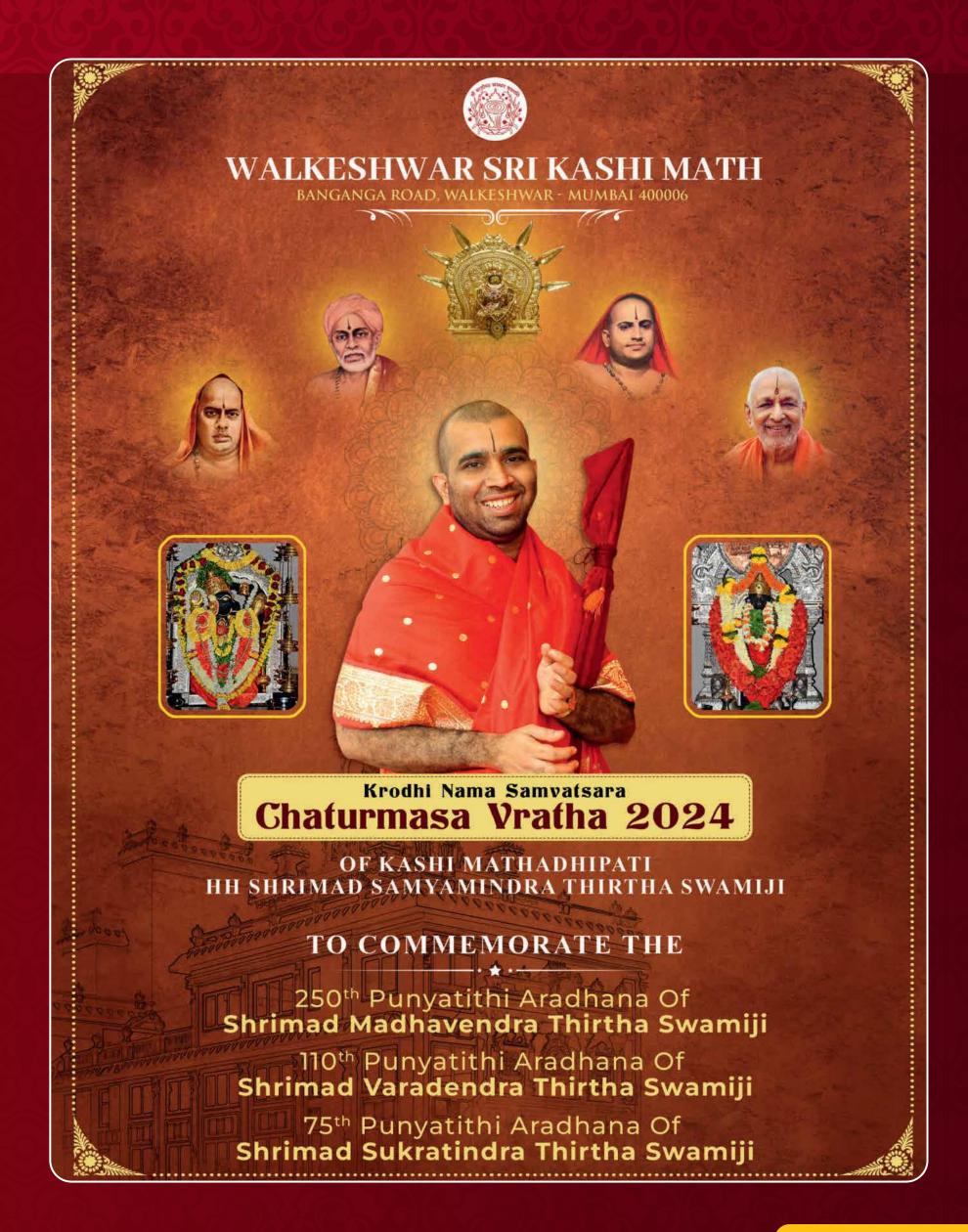
EVENT SCHEDULE	09 Oct	10 Oct	11 Oct	12 Oct
Samoohik Prarthana	7:00 AM	7:00 AM	7:00 AM	7:00 AM
Shree Sharada Prathistapana	8:15 AM			
Ganahoma	9:00 AM			
Shree Chandika Havan/Shree Laxmi Narayan Hriday Havan/Shree Panch Durga Havan (if any)	9:00 AM	9:00 AM	9:00 AM	9:00 AM
Laksha Kumkum Archana by Suhasinis			9:30 AM	
Akshar Abhyas				10:30 AM
Poornahuti of Havans		1:00 PM	1:00 PM	1:00 PM
Madhyanha Pooja/Prasad Vitarana	1:45 PM	1:45 PM	1:45 PM	1:45 PM
Samradhana	2:00 PM	2:00 PM	2:00 PM	2:00 PM
Kumkum Archana, Honti Arpana, Karpoor Arti & offerings of devotees	5:00 PM	10AM-7PM	10AM-7PM	10AM-4PM
Durga Namaskar	5:30 PM	5:30 PM	5:30 PM	
Ranga Pooja	8:00 PM	8:00 PM	8:00 PM	
Pushpa Pooja	8:30 PM	8:30 PM	8:30 PM	
Deeparadhana			9:00 PM	
Ratri Pooia & Prasad Vitarana	9:15 PM	9:15 PM	9:15 PM	7:00 PM
Shree Sharada Visarjana Pooja				6:00 PM
Grand Visarjan Procession of Sharada Devi				7:30 PM

Date	Day	Time	Event/Program name	Artist
07th October 2024	Monday	07.00pm to 08.00pm	Viraat Darshan	
08th October 2024	Tuesday	09.30am to 04.30pm	GSB School Annual Day Function	Students of GSB School
09th October 2024	1st Day-Wednesday (Sashti)	3pm to 5.30pm 3.30pm onwards	Bhajan Sandhya Dance Performance	Bhajan mandal Students of GSB School
10th October 2024	2nd-Thursday (Saptami)	3pm to 5.30pm 3.30pm onwards	Bhajan Sandhya Cultural Performances	Renowned artist
11th October 2024	3rd-Friday (DurgaAshtami)	3pm to 4pm 3.30pm onwards	Bhajan Sandhya Cultural Performances	Renowned artist
12th October 2024	4th -Saturday (Navami & VijayaDashmi)	3.30pm to 7.00pm	Vagha Vesu	

Everday upasana and bhajan seva from 9 am to 11 am. Managing Committee reserves the right to make any changes in the Programme without any prior notice.

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How to Reach Venue

1) KDMC Bus Service

Dombivli to MIDC - Nivasi Vibhag Stop - Bus No 55 - Frequency 10-15 mins. Starting Point: Dombivli Bhaji Market MSEB office. Ending Point: Dombivli Niwasi Vibhag Point to Get Down for Sharada Mahotsav: Dr . Gokhale Hospital / Ganesh Mandir. For Return Journey: Bus Stop at Kaveri Sweets / Patel Low Price Mart.

Details Available on M-indicator App > Bus > KDMT > Bus No 55.

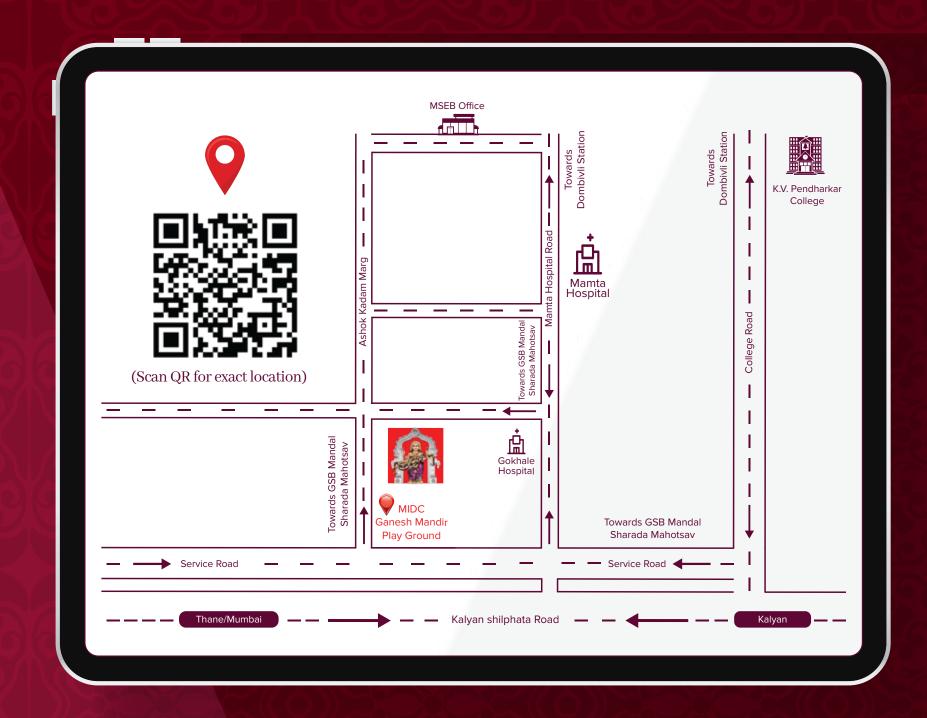
2) Sharing Auto:

Available from Rickshaw Stand Diagonally Opposite to Dombivli Bhaji Market MSEB.

3) Direct Auto:

From Auto Stand Beside R.K.Fast Food in the Bhaji Market (Near to Old Nityanand Hotel).





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