



# Gujarati Samaj

Montréal – Canada

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સ્વજનો,

Namaste !

We are enjoying the warm, nice summer and soon we will have a colourful and most beautiful autumn to soak in the remaining heat of the sun, just in time to pump our bodies with energy and vigour to last the whole winter. In the same theme of filling our bodies with energy, we will organise Navratri when we invoke 'MA DURGA, SHAKTI & JAGADAMBA' to grant us positive energy and destroy the ills of laziness, jealousy and ignorance. MA is eternal source of energy and even DEVAS went to her before going to the war with demons. She is also very generous and bestows each and every one with her 'Krupa'. But as the saying goes, 'God helps those who help themselves', we must do our part.

Also, traditionally, we invite MA to play with us in Garba and Raas. Well, it will be an insult to her if we invite her to play with us and just remain seated. We Gujaratis know better, don't we ?

See you all on the Garba floor, may MA Bhagwati fill you with energy !

Moving on to Diwali, as you must have noticed that interest in our Diwali show is growing and more and more people want to participate, even our seniors. Isn't it wonderful? Of course, it is.

Although we would like to include everyone in the program, we can't stretch our program anymore. To avoid the disappointment, please contact Nileshbhai Gandhi at **514-626-8936** as soon as possible. Also, if you are interested in having any article, advertisement or any other material being published in our annual Diwali Ank, please contact any committee member.

For Diwali Show entries as well as for the submission to the Ank, please contact us latest by **October 27, 2012.**

Thanking you,

The Executive Committee

The new Executive Committee was chosen at the AGM held during the picnic on July 15.

Please see inside for details.

To book your Aarti for Navratri, contact:

Savitamasi – 514-336-2230

Hemaben Mehta – 514-624-3032

Ushaben Patel – 450-732-1108

Dry Prasad is recommended

UPCOMING  
EVENTS

Garba/Raas

Octo 20, 27 & Nov 3, 2012



Diwali Show

November 17, 2012

For more information regarding the up coming events, please refer to the details in this newsletter or visit our website [www.gujaratisamaj.ca](http://www.gujaratisamaj.ca)



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# GUJARATI SAMAJ OF MONTREAL

*Cordially Invites You to*



# Diwali



## Dinner & Show

## Saturday November 17, 2012

**Dinner between 5:30 pm to 7 pm**

**Show between 7:30 pm to 11:00 pm**

**Pierrefonds Comprehensive High School (PCHS)**

**13800 Pierrefonds Boul. Pierrefonds, QC H9A 1A7**

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**DIWALI SHOW ENTRIES SHOULD BE SUBMITTED BY**

**OCTOBER 27, 2012**

**ENTRIES CAN BE SUBMITTED VIA EMAIL TO [culturalactivities@gujaratisamaj.ca](mailto:culturalactivities@gujaratisamaj.ca)  
OR BY PHONE CALL TO NILESH GANDHI AT 514-626-8936.**

**ENTRIES SHOULD CONTAIN THE CONTENT, NAMES AND AGES OF  
PARTICIPANTS, DURATION, & CONTACT INFORMATION.**

## Incoming Executive Committee

New Executive Committee of our Samaj has been chosen at the AGM during picnic this year. The committee itself during its first meeting will decide the office bearers. The names of the members in alphabetical order are as below. **Congratulations !**

Gandhi, Dipak	514-685-8361
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Trivedi, Utpal	514-515-8236

We are confident, you would continue to support them as you did us.

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## Dhol Bajje

*3 nights of Garba, Raas & Dandiya*

### **Riverdale High School**

5060 Sources Boulevard,  
Pierrefonds H8Y 3E4

**Time: 9 pm to 1 am**

**October 20, 2012**

Featuring: Bansari Group

**October 27, 2012**

Featuring: Navrang Group

**November 3, 2012**

Featuring: Bansari Group



Please give your names for Aarti to Savitamsi, Hemaben Mehta or  
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