

# Sahaja Newsletter

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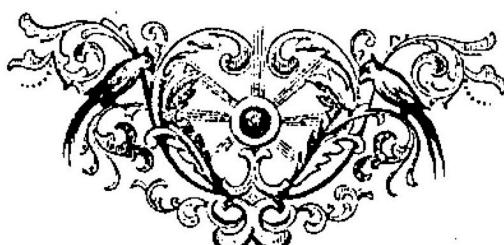
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AUGUST 6th '93.

## KRISHNA PUJA.

VENUE .	BURWOOD .
DATE .	14TH AUGUST .
ASSEMBLE .	6.30PM .
RAKSHA BANDHAN	7-8PM .
DINNER & TIDY UP	8-9.30PM .
PUJA START	9.30PM .

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CHILDREN AT INDIA SCHOOL.

Parents of children at India School, can we hold a meeting next Friday after the programme to discuss the children's travel to and from Australia? See you then. Caroline Henwood.

ALL those interested in enrolling their children next year in the India School, please contact Caroline Henwood for details.

Phn. (02) 560 0029.

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LOOKING FOR HUBERT.

If anyone knows the address for Hubert Stahl in Europe, would you please ring Lyn Tiralongo on (02) 328 6624. thank you.

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FRIDAY EVENING PROGRAMMES (Revised).

August

13th Hurstville. (Krishna Puja weekend.)

20th East Lindfield.

27th Lindfield.

September

10th Nth. Shore and Mt. Colah.

17th Manly and Roseville. (Ganesha Puja weekend.)

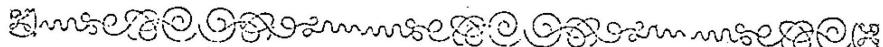
24th Ramsay Street.

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SPACE IN AN ASHRAM - Yogi wanted!

There is a spare room at Coogee ashram for a yogi who has time and energy to help contribute to programmes and other Sahaj activities. Give us a ring on 665-8210



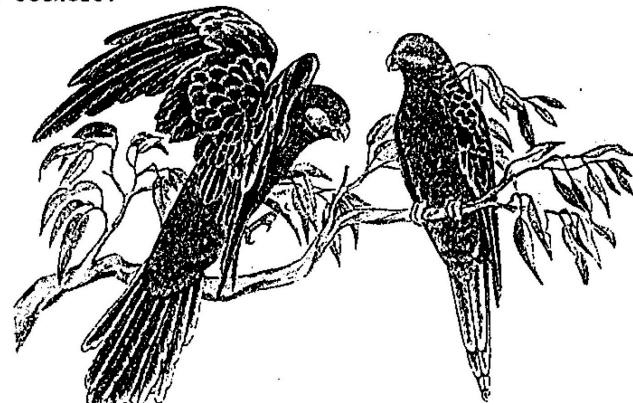
THE YELLOW PAGES ! ! ! !

The invoice is in and the money is due now. In view of the number of people who come from this source and get their realisation, we know it is worthwhile. If you're happy to make a donation, either drop it into the box or in an envelope to Juan (Croydon) or "Robert of Hurstville". It is urgent as we only have \$500 in so far and time is ticking on.

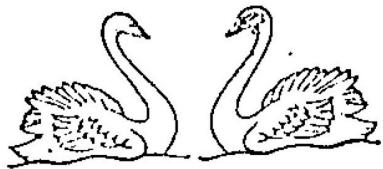


KNOWLEDGE OF REALITY NEWS

- . Academics & students are giving widespread support & encouragement.
- . K.O.R. has been accepted as part of Australia's official national archives in the Australian National Library!!
- . Seekers in Sydney and other cities have been coming to programmes through the Sahaja Yoga ad. and the inspiring articles.
- . We need help - with advertising. If you know how to recruit advertising people who want to advertise, we need you!
- . We need help with distribution. Please put K.O.R. in local news-agents, bookstores, universities etc. Call us if your collective isn't getting copies.
- . - with articles. If you know any good articles or want to write articles for us, please do! Send them to Coogee ashram.
- . - with funding. KOR needs donations to maintain sufficient circulation. Your generosity will spread truth & vibrations and reach seekers.



Please note. The new fax number for Newsletter contributions is... (02) 745-4927 .. marked 'newsletter'.



LoveLight.

Shri Mother you are walking with me,  
 A ribbon of moonlight across the sea,  
 At the waters edge I'm not alone,  
 You're springing from my sacrum bone.

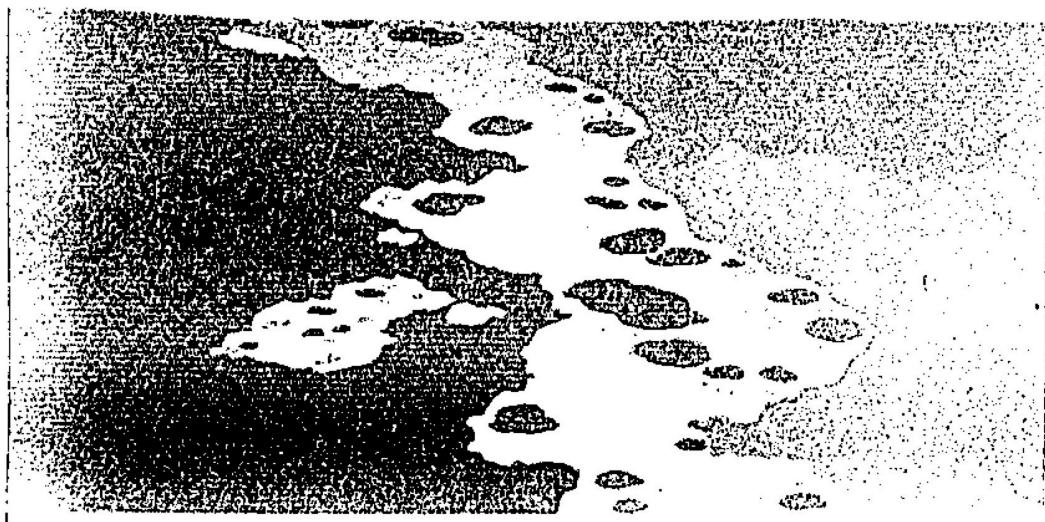
This breeze upon my face is You,  
 Also the moonlight and the view,  
 Yes, Mother your attention's shining here,  
 Your love falls on me, so very clear.

Everywhere Your love and joy pervades,  
 Across the sea, the sand and the glades,  
 Blessing, sustaining the variety of life,  
 Praise to Lord Shiva and His Wife.

The All mighty God and His Power,  
 The dawn, the bright Satyuga hour,  
 Shining glory, Golden Age complete,  
 Salutations to your Lotus Feet.

Peter Cordon.

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\*\*\* JAY SHRI MATAJI NIRMALA DEVI ! \*\*\*

Dear brothers and sisters,

Here is a remarkable story that might be well worth our attention. You might probably know from a previous letter about the recent evolution of Sahaja Yoga in Turkey, where about 500 people came to an unprecedented program held by Shri Mataji in Istanbul, and the success that the yogis had in the sufi quarters of the Turk capital. As to show once more that Shri Mataji's attention seems to be now more than ever on the muslim community's coming to Sahaja Yoga (especially the sufis), here is what happened afterwards.

After Shri Mataji's visit in May, a group of Sahaja Yogis went again to the sufis to tighten the relationships with them. Their leader is a man called Baba; no one knows where he is, when he comes, where he is travelling. He is respected with deep reverence by everyone and regarded as a great saint, and he rarely addresses the word to anyone. When the Yogis came to the sufi quarters (the sufis having no idea that they were coming), Baba appeared all of a sudden and sat with them. The Yogis performed a puja to him, and then, to the great surprise of everyone, he spoke.

He said he regrets that he wasn't there when the Lady came. That he knows that She is a great Saint who came on this earth to take with Her in the Kingdom of Heavens all the people who stretch their hands towards Her. He said "This Lady is Shri Fatima, nay, She is much more than that."

This happened before Guru Puja. When the Turk Yogis went to Guru Puja at Cabella, they told Shri Mataji about all that happened, and Shri Mataji gave them two big garlands of flowers to give them to Baba when they will come back to Turkey. She didn't say any word at all, She just gave them these two garlands.

When they came back, Baba was dead. And the sufis seem all to be lost, not knowing to which direction they should go, whom to follow now. But we know! So there is a great chance that the sufis from Turkey will all come to Sahaja Yoga. This would be probably one of the greatest Sahaj events (among all events that have brought people to Sahaja Yoga), since the sufis must be in thousands in Turkey, and if they are going to come, they will come all at the same time. I don't know if this Baba was the leader of the sufis from Turkey only, or an international leader, but in any case if the Turk sufis come to Sahaja Yoga, it will be just a matter of time for the sufis from all countries (who have connections with each other) to come also 'in block'. And I think we can imagine what a great opening this would be for the muslims of the world to finally take the right step, and what a blow to the muslim fundamentalism this would be.

So there is a request from our brothers and sisters in Turkey and the neighboring countries from South-East Europe, that we try to help this by mentioning it at the havans and putting on it our attention and desire.

Much love,

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P.S. As some of you might know, something related happened on the occasion of Shri Mataji's visit to Paris after Guru Puja. About 900 people came to fill the hall at the public program, and at the end Shri Mataji almost had tears in Her eyes and told the yogis "look at Paris, after so much time, they have come...". At the program there was a high muslim leader (something like the highest order priest) who had broke up with fundamentalism and attacked it openly and who currently lives in Paris. He had got his realization a couple of weeks before the program, and wrote a beautiful letter to Shri Mataji. At the program, Shri Mataji knew that he was in the hall and invited him on the stage with Her, and read Herself his letter for the whole audience during the program, showing what is the fundamentalism and what is the true spirituality, and how even the muslims who are high in their religious hierarchy have realized this.

So, it looks like one of the dreams that many of us must have, the coming of muslims to Sahaja Yoga, is beginning to take shape. May Shri Mataji make it come true and unite all the lost seekers of the world at Her Lotus Feet!

\*\*\*\*\* JAY SHRI MATAJI NIRMALA DEVI !!! \*\*\*\*\*

### DIWALI PUJA, TURKEY

As announced at Guru Puja there will be marriages at Diwali Puja in Turkey (11th November).

Therefore those Sahaja Yogis who are going to Diwali and wish to be considered should fill in a Marriage Form and you should then attach with it a Leader's Report Form.

The completed forms should then be sent to Javier or taken to Cabella for Krishna Puja.

We do not yet know what the cost of these arrangements will be.

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FROM  
SAHASA NEWS VICTORIAN  
NEWS.

"Criticism is proof that you have done something worth attracting attention."

"A definition of a coincidence - a small miracle where God wishes to remain anonymous."

Letter from Janie Frith of New Zealand who has been travelling in Europe and has asked for her news to be in the newsletter. Many thanks Janie.

### BULGARIAN SEMINAR; July 31 - Aug 1

I had the great privilege of attending a weekend seminar in Bulgaria when I was visiting Greece. Initially the seminar was to be a Bulgarian one, but grew to be a Balkan one - with the presence of one Romanian boy and 7 Greeks. It was a long journey from Athens (nearly 20 hours) and we arrived in two cars in the early hours of Saturday morning.

It was held at Karandila, a tourist complex situated in the mountains near the city of Sliven and the landscape was fantastic. Surrounding the hotel were blue rocks which are lichen covered and glow green and panoramic views of soft grey & blue mountains, forests & patchwork fields. The countryside sings with crickets and numerous beautiful insects and butterflies.

As all the Bulgarians arrived, we began the seminar with a picnic lunch under shady trees, then a collective footsoak in a meandering stream. A glorious sight - 130 yogis dotted around in a beautiful valley.

We then put our attention to shoe beating all the negativity in the Balkans, Bosnia et., followed by a most powerful havan.

The evening event was a Raksha Bandhan puja - so simple and sweet. The joy was truly felt. On Sunday, the seminar ended with a meditation under the trees. We headed back to Athens after this with our hearts opened by this great group of Sahaja yogis who are so friendly, generous and loving.

A most wonderful event.

With love Janie Frith (New Zealand)



### INDIA TOUR PROGRAMME FOR THE YEAR 1993.

ARRIVE IN DELHI -	30th. Nov. to 1st. December.
FARIDABAD (HARYANA)-	P.P. 1st. December, EVENING.
DELHI -	2nd to 5th. December. (Pooja in DELHI -4th. Dec)
HARYANA -	Leave Delhi for Karnal on 6th. Morning after B. Fast.
6th. Evening -	P.P. KARNAL.
7th. December -	P.P. YAMUNA NAGAR.
8th. DECEMBER -	P.P. CHANDIGARH.
9th. DECEMBER -	P.P. CHHACHHRAULE , (Place of DIVINE TREE).
10th. DECEMBER -	POOJA YAMUNA NAGAR CAMP.
11th. DECEMBER -	P.P. HARDWAR.
12th. DECEMBER -	P.P. DEHRADUN.
13th. & 14th. DECEMBER -	LUCKNOW (U.P.)
14th. Night to leave for JABALPUR BY TRAIN FROM LUCKNOW.	
15, 16, 17, 18th. DECEMBER -	JABALPUR, KANAKICHLI, NAGPUR.
18th. NIGHT LEAVE FOR BOMBAY.	
19th. Night/20th. very early Morning - LEAVE FOR GANPATI PULE.	
20th. to 29th. December,-	GANPATIPULE.
30th. December Early Morning leave for KALVE.	
30th. December EVENING -	KALVE MUSIC PROGRAMME.
31st. DECEMBER -	KALVE.

This year the Tour starts in Delhi, flights should arrive on 30 November or 1st December. Please find enclosed the latest India Tour 93'/94' Itinerary.

With the devaluation of the Pound and inflation in India it has been necessary to increase the cost of the Tour to £950.00.