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DIGITAL NEWSLETTER

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Presidents Message



Bakhshish Singh Panesar

Dear Sadh Sangat

Firstly, let me wish you and your families a Happy “Sikh” New Year and I am hoping it is peaceful and healthier than the previous one. As you know it has been a full year since we first shut Ramgarhia Sabha due to the COVID-19 pandemic. There is no doubt that 2020 has been an extraordinary year and we thank you for your support and patience throughout.

We have all been living with the COVID-19 pandemic and have had to adapt our daily routines in line with Government Guidance. As we start on the road to recover in line with the “roadmap” your safety and that of our sewadars is paramount to us. The changes we have made to keep everyone safe within the Gurdwara remain in place and we continue to provide essential services of paths, weddings, and funerals.

A lot has happened since March 2020. We acknowledge the resilience of our members who have kept Ramgarhia Sabha open during these difficult times. However, we have all learned to stay connected even while far apart, uncertainty remains, and the vaccines rollout has given us new hope for a bright future ahead.

As the vaccination programme gathers pace. I would like to encourage you to have your vaccination and also get regular testing done, even if you are not displaying COVID-19 symptoms. Whether you have had or not had the vaccination it is imperative that you continue to follow government guidance and remember to regularly wash your hands, wear a facing covering, and keep a safe distance from others. All these precautions will help to protect you, family, friends, and our community from this virus.

During the lockdowns and reduced openings of the Gurdwara essential maintenance has continued, from repainting of the Darbar Hall including new Gurbani scriptures to new LED lighting, improvements to sound system, improvements to IT cabling, refurbishments to the rear houses. Most of these works have been done through sewa and we thank those dedicated sewadars.

Osterley Sports and Wellbeing Centre has also had lots of maintenance and refurbishment works done to it. Planning for its future continues, in the meantime it is being used where government restrictions allow for squash, yoga, football, hockey, bhangra and archery. In the summer, a Classic Car Show was held in the grounds which was a great success.

I hope you have all completed the CENSUS 2021, in line with the guidance to help the Sikh community get the services it needs.

We remember all those that we have sadly lost this year. All of them contributed to make Ramgarhia Sabha the great institution and family it is today. We will never forget their dedication and selfless service. Our heartfelt condolences to their families.

This year we seen many new-born children in the Ramgarhia Sabha family, and we congratulate all those families.

I hope you enjoy reading this digital version of our newsletter and remember to keep in touch with us through our website and multimedia pages.

Bakhshish Singh Panesar
Hon President

It's been one year since the first lockdown and in this time we at Ramgarhia Sabha have sadly lost many members and more so this year below from our current and past Executive Committees.

We pray that they may all rest in peace in Waheguru's charan.



Jaspal Singh Bhogal
28/08/2020

Jaspal Singh served Ramgarhia Sabha for many years in our Executive Committee at all levels and lately as our PRO (Public Relation Officer). He had an ability to bring people of all faiths together.



Jaspal Singh Bhambra
15/09/2020

Jaspal Singh served Ramgarhia Sabha for over 40 years 27 of those continuously as our General Secretary and then President and throughout these times he has shaped the Sabha into the great institution it is today. He was a passionate scholar, author, and engineer.



Davinder Singh Virdee
30/10/2020

Davinder Singh served Ramgarhia Sabha for many years in our executive committee, as our treasurer and lately as our general secretary. He embraced the true meaning of Sewa (selfless service).



Pargat Singh Mudhar
12/02/2021

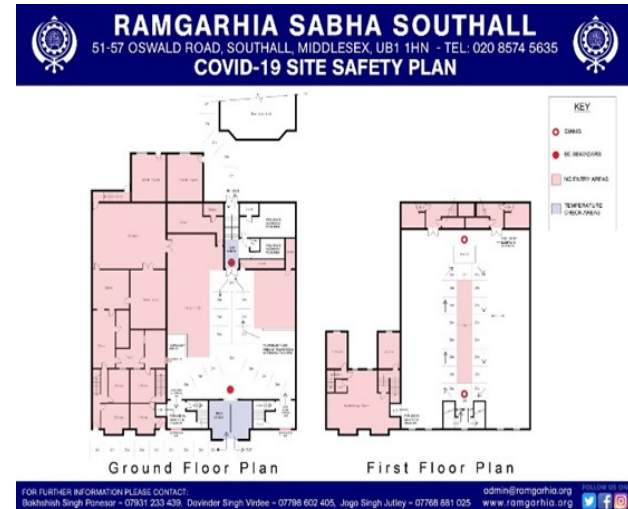
Pargat Singh served Ramgarhia Sabha for over 60 years continuously and shaped the Sabha into the great institution it is today. He was the last of our founding trustees. He was a passionate, generous and compassionate man in everything he did.



Malkit Singh Chana
06/03/2021

Malkit Singh Chana served Ramgarhia Sabha for many years in our executive committee and lately as our treasurer. He was the son of our Holding Trustee Late Sucha Singh Chana. His energy and passion for community work could not be measured.

The Gurdwara closed 22nd March 2020 and reopened 06th July 2020 under Government Guidance following the first COVID-19 lockdown. The guidance given to places of worship and risk assessment relevant to our premises prescribed the way for sangat to attend for darshan once again. Instructions, training, signage, opening times, safety features were introduced for sangat and volunteers. Throughout this was reviewed and updated to comply with the latest government guidance. The generosity and the support we received was tremendous and many of the items used / installed were donated.



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Members contributed towards other causes during the lockdown raising funds and donating to other charities. Khalsa Aid, Hope for Southall Street Homeless, Punjab farmers support amongst many.

In winter chills or summer heat, a farmer works so the world can eat
If you ate today thank a farmer and raise awareness for them 🌾



Members donated “Nightowl” sleep apnea monitors and monetary donations raised by education team in conjunction with lockdown marathons completed by Jagjit Singh. To Ealing Hospital cardiology department Dr Harmandeep Singh and his team.



Osterley Sports and Wellbeing Centre has also been running and refurbished during the lockdowns in accordance with government guidance and local risk assessments. In the summer classic car show was held in the grounds in agreement and approval from Ealing Council.

Classic Car Show

THIS SUMMER



Sunday 30th August 2020
Food & Drinks | Family welcome
Osterley Sports and Well-Being Centre, Tentelow Lane Southall UB2 4LW

OPPORTUNITY TO JOIN

YOGA CLASSES 

BHANGRA CLASSES 

SQUASH 

GYM  **ARCHERY** 

HOCKEY CLUB 

FOOTBAL CLUB 

OSTERLEY SPORTS AND WELL-BEING CENTRE
Tentelow Lane, Norwood Green
Middlesex UB2 4LW

FREE PARKING



Our annual programmes were also effected and celebrated in very controlled conditions once again for the safety of sangat and volunteers. In September Sant Baba Isher Singh Ji Rara Sahib annual Barsi was held in Bhai Lalo Hall and broadcasted live, also annual Raja Sahib Barsi was held at the same time.



Guru Nanak Dev Ji's Gurburab and Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji's Shaheedi Gurburab were broadcasted live on Youtube.

Ramgarhia Sabha Southall

DEAR PIYARI SADH SANGAT JI - PLEASE NOTE

RAMGARHIA SABHA WILL TEMPORARILY OPEN

ALL DAY ON MONDAY 30TH NOVEMBER 2020

FOR THE GURPRUB OF SRI GURU NANAK DEV JI

ALLOWING FOR GURU MAHARAJ'S DARSHAN FROM 8AM TO 7PM

**WE HUMBLY REQUEST YOU ALL
TO FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THE SEWADARS,
NOTICES, SIGN'S AND FLOOR MARKINGS IN PLACE**

- PLEASE ENSURE YOU WEAR A MASK
- VOLUNTEERS WILL CHECK YOUR TEMPERATURE
- PLEASE OBSERVE SOCIAL DISTANCING RULES
- CHAUR SAHIB SEWA OR PARKARMA AROUND THE PALKI WILL NOT BE ALLOWED
- MATHA TEKH SHOULD BE OF A STANDING NAMASKAR
- PARSHAD WILL BE SERVED IN PRE-PACKED BAGS

PARKING WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE RESIDENTIAL BAYS UP TILL 10AM
AND IN THE REAR CAR PARK OF THE GURDWARA ALL DAY.

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IN REMEMBRANCE OF THE MARTYRDOM (SHAHEEDI)
OF DHAN SRI GURU TEGH BAHADUR JI
(HIND DI CHADAR)

"MERA SIR JAVEY TAH JAVEY, MERA SIKHI SIDHAK NA JAVEY"

MAY WE LIVE IN CONSTANT GRATITUDE OF HIS SACRIFICE

**SUNDAY 20TH DECEMBER
2020**

Live Kirtan by

Bhai Ajit Singh Ji & Jatha

11AM - 12PM GMT

INCLUDING LIVE STREAMING ON YOUTUBE

PLEASE FOLLOW THE GOVERNMENT GUIDELINE FOR SOCIAL DISTANCING AT ALL TIMES

PARKING WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE RESIDENTIAL BAYS UNTIL 2PM
AND HAMBROUGH SCHOOL FROM 9AM TO 2PM, THE REAR CAR PARK OF THE GURDWARA ALL DAY

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The Chaar Sabhibzaade and Mata Gujar Ji Shaheedi and Gurburab of Guru Gobind Singh were commemorated with live streamed Sunday Diwans.

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IN REMEMBRANCE OF THE MARTYRDOM
DHAN SRI GURU TEGH BAHADUR JI
MATA GUJAR KAUR JI

BABA AJIT SINGH JI
BABA JUJAR SINGH JI
BABA ZORAWAR SINGH JI
BABA FATEH SINGH JI

PARIVAR VICHORA OF
SARBANS DANI, DASHMESH PITA
SRI GURU GOBIND SINGH JI

A FAMILY BUILT ON SACRIFICES

SUNDAY 27TH DECEMBER 2020

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Bhai Harpreet Singh Ji & Jatha


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CONGRATULATIONS ON THE GURPURAB OF
DHAN DHAN SRI GURU GOBIND SINGH JI MAHARAJ



BEST WISHES FROM
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This years new years eve diwan was broadcasted on our YouTube channel to protect our sangat and sewadars. Bhai Hardev Singh Sagoo and Bhai Ajit Singh's jathas performed that evening and ardass was performed at midnight for a prosperous and healthy new year.



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2021 NEW YEARS DAY
AT THE GURDWARA

FRIDAY 1ST JANUARY 2021

OPEN FOR DARSHAN ONLY 8AM TO 7PM

**DONATE NOW**
<http://ramgarhia-sabha-trust.square.site>

REMEMBER TO STAY SAFE - MAINTAIN A SOCIAL DISTANCE

NEW YEARS DAY PARKING
EALING COUNCIL HAS LIFTED
PARKING RESTRICTIONS
FOR COUNCIL CAR PARKS
& RESIDENT BAYS WITHIN CPZ'S

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Many of our services for the sangat we also effected and had to be managed via virtual meeting and multimedia including our Education classes and Matrimonial Services

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Matrimonial Services



*Find your
perfect partner
with our help*



OPENING TIMES

Wednesday: 8pm - 9pm

Sunday: 11am - 1pm

Matrimonial Office Tel: 020 8571 6904

Entry via St. Josephs Drive, Southall

Website: www.ramgarhia.org

Email: matrimonial@ramgarhia.org

53-57 Oswald Road, Southall, Middlesex, UB1 1HN

SUBJECT TO GOVERNMENT GUIDANCE

Ramgarhia Matrimonial Services

We are now open, but working on an appointment booking basis.

We apologise for any inconvenience caused.

Thank you and stay safe



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We wish all Sadh Sangat a happy Vaisakhi 2021. With the testing and vaccine programmes in full swing there is hope for some sort of normality soon. Please keep getting your testing and vaccine done it helps everyone.

Ramgarhia Sabha Southall will continue to operate under our current restricted hours and processes. We thank you for your support and please subscribe to our YouTube and multimedia links.



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