

navaratri

वेद्ये पुजा/दुश्शेरा

Please join us to celebrate
Navaratri at Shanthi Mandir
Friday, Oct. 12 - Sunday Oct. 21, 2007

The Celebration

Devi Puja

6:00 - 9:00 pm

Saturday, Oct. 13, 2007

The Devi Puja will be led by Sateesh Bhagawat and Lakshman Alreja and family from Chicago. A flexible format for bhajans and songs will allow interested devotees to contribute towards the devotional program. Everyone who knows the shlokas/bhajans are welcome to follow along as appropriate. Handouts of the various prayers will be available for use at the Mandir. Home-made dinner is being hosted by a few member families. Prasad items from devotees are welcome as usual.

For further information contact:
Punam Sethi: (573) 447-0593
Nirja Loyalka: (573) 875-3087



Dusshera

10:00 - 12:00 noon

Sunday, Oct. 21, 2007

Dusshera and Vijaya Dashami will be celebrated with prayers, discussions, a presentation on Ram Leela followed by a short cultural program including instrumental performance seeking blessings from Goddess Saraswati. Prasad items from families are welcome and will

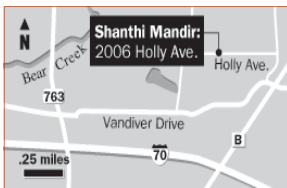
be served soon after the aarti. If you or your children wish to contribute to the prayers/discussions/performances, please contact the individuals listed below and provide appropriate details.

For further information contact:
Ritcha Mehra: (573) 445-0842
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The celebration at a glance

Friday, 10/12	7:00 - 8:00 pm
Saturday, 10/13	Devi Puja
Sunday, 10/14	7:00 - 8:00 pm
Monday, 10/15	7:00 - 8:00 pm
Tuesday, 10/16	6:00 - 8:00 pm
Wednesday, 10/17	Dance class
Thursday, 10/18	Special Sai Bhajan
Friday, 10/19	7:00 - 8:00 pm
Saturday, 10/20	6:00 - 8:00 pm
Sunday, 10/21	Dusshera

Aarti will be held at 7:45 pm on all days except 10/13, 10/17, 10/18. The Mandir will not be open to the public on 10/17 due to the regularly scheduled dance class. Special Sai Bhajan dedicated to Devi will be held from 7-8 pm on 10/18.



Please do not park on the street if the Mandir lot is full. We have a standing arrangement with the Sunrise Optimist Club for overflow parking for special events. Their lot is on northwest corner of the Holly-Parker intersection

Directions: Take Exit 127 on Interstate 70, Head north on Rangeline Street, Right at first traffic light on Vandiver Drive, Left on Parker Street, Right on Holly Avenue, Shanthi Mandir sign will be visible on the right after 5-6 homes.

Shanthi Mandir

Hindu Temple and Community Center
of Mid-Missouri (HTCC)

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