



VISHWAGURUJI S GLOBAL ACTIVITIES

2017/18





INAUGURATION OF VISHWAGURUJI AS THE SUCCESSOR AND HEIR OF THE OM SRI ALAKHPURIJI SIDDHAPEETH PARAMPARA

HIMALAYA

September 14, 2017



On the 14 September 2017, Vishwaguruji was initiated at the holy place of Sri Alakhpuriji's Cave, as the Successor and Heir of the OM Sri Alakhpuriji Siddhapeeth Parampara.

As tradition requires, the same ceremony was repeated in OM Ashram, in December performed by 11 pandits in front of Mataji's Temple.



WORLD PEACE TREES

WORLDWIDE

2017/2018



❶ Oct. 7th, 2017, 3rd Peace Tree in **Carinthia, Austria** planted in the presence of representatives of the city of Villach in the Walther von der Vogelweide Park, in the hope of inspiring peace on Earth. A Hanging Purple Beech, which is already now 3.5m high and should grow up to 25m and reach an age of 350 years!

❷ March 2nd, 2018, 9 Bamboo Peace Trees were planted at the opening of the new Yoga Wellness and Nature Center, **Atlanta, USA**

❸ June, 1st, 2018, on the occasion of his 1st visit to **Romania** and the inauguration of the Ashram in **Nadlac**, Vishwaguruji planted a Peace Tree in the ashram garden together with the Mayor and Vice-Mayor of the city.



WORLD PEACE COUNCIL CONFERENCE AT UN HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK

March 7, 2018



The conference titled **Yoga and World Peace** organized by the SSMWPC and YIDL New York, marked the 15th anniversary of **Paramhans Swami Madhavananda s** Mahasamadhi recognition of the fact that Holy Guruji s entire life was dedicated to love and universal peace.



VISHWAGURUJI'S WORLD TOUR

2017



Many Bhaktas around the World got inspired by Vishwaguruji's valuable lectures, satsangs and yoga programs

- ❶ Auckland, NZ
- ❷ Raumati, NZ
- ❸ Wellington, NZ
- ❹ Fiji Retreat
- ❺ Vancouver, CA
- ❻ Alexandria, US



YOGA IN DAILY LIFE SUMMER RETREATS AND YAGYA CEREMONIES

EUROPE 2017



Yagya ceremonies with **Pandit Kapilji** from India, who is an expert in karma khanda rituals. Under Panditji's guidance, there were daily opportunities to take part in different yagyas (fire ceremonies) and other pujas.

- ❶ Vép, Hungary
- ❷ Strilky, Czech Republic
- ❸ Strilky, Czech Republic



IDY AROUND THE WORLD

2018



每日生活瑜伽在中国海南



YIDL® centers in 24 Countries and 120 Cities offered free classes on IDY in 165 locations.

More than 10.000 interested people participated worldwide.

Thanks to all organisers and yoga-teachers for their social service!



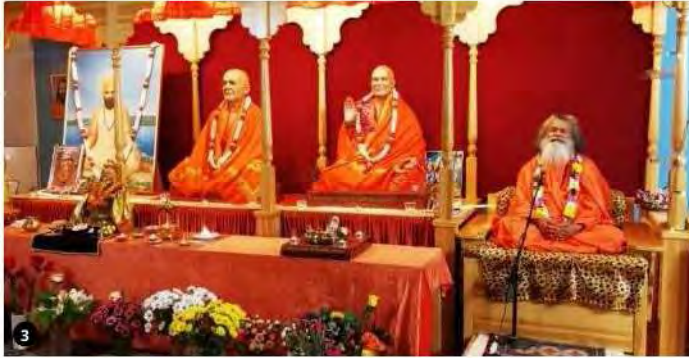
PUBLIC LECTURES AND EVENTS

EUROPE

2017/18



- ❶ World Health Day, Rijeka, HR
- ❷ Martin, SK
- ❸ Zagreb, HR
- ❹ Maribor, SI
- ❺ World Bee Day, Mozirski Park, SI
- ❻ First visit to Romania. Nadlac, RO
- ❼ Salzburg, AT



1 Edinburgh, UK
2 London, UK
3 Vienna, AT
4 Villach, AT

5 Warsaw, PL
6 Kranj, SI
7 8 Mahaprabhuji s Mahasamadhi Satsang Vienna, AT



ORGANIC GARDENS IN JADAN

INDIA, RAJASTHAN

2018





INAUGURATION OF WATER TOWER

INDIA, NIPAL



Vishwaguruji Paramhans Swami Maheshwaranandaji donated a 150,000-liter water tank for the village of Nipal, near Dharam Samrath Paramhans Swami Madhavanandaji's Ashram. Under his guidance and with the help of bhaktas of Om Sri Alakhpuriji Siddhapeetha Parampara water tank was built, officially opened and given to the Government of India.



CELEBRATIONS OF THE INTERNATIONAL DAY OF YOGA

UN HEADQUARTERS NEW YORK

June 19-21, 2018



③ **June 19** To launch the International Day of Yoga celebration in New York City, people gathered in the Tillman Chapel of the Church Center for the United Nations for an inspiring meditation sponsored by the International Day of Yoga Committee at the United Nations.

① **June 20** Hundreds of yoga practitioners gathered on the lawn of the United Nations to celebrate the 4th International Day of Yoga. After a welcome by UN official Ms. Indah Nuria and video address by Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi, everyone performed asanas under the guidance of local yoga teachers.

② **June 21** at a special event *Conversation on Yoga for Peace* at the United Nations, panelists shared their wisdom and experience of how practicing yoga can foster peace and harmony in society.



3rd CONFERENCE ON INTEGRATIVE MEDICINE

HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL, BOSTON, USA
22-25 June 2018



Yoga in Daily Life® representatives from multiple countries attended the 3rd International Conference on Integrative Medicine: **Role of Yoga and Ayurveda**, at Harvard Medical School. The event was organized by the Boston Center of Excellence for Health and Human Development, in conjunction with the Consulate General of India, New York; Massachusetts General Hospital; S-VYASA Deemed University; Osher Center for Integrative Medicine; and other respected research institutes.



OM ASHRAM IS GROWING



After nearly 30 years of loving and dedicated work of Vishwaguruji and all bhaktas of Sri Alakhpuriji Siddha Peeth Parampara. This is how the OM ASHRAM looks today.





YOGA FOR WELLNESS INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

NEW DELHI
October 10-11, 2017



An International Conference on **YOGA for WELLNESS** took place on 10-11 October 2017 in New Delhi, organized by the **Ministry of AYUSH**, Government of India, where Vishwaguruji was invited by the organizers to be the keynote speaker at the Conference.

- 1 Vishwaguruji with Vice President of India Sh. M. Venkaiah Naidu (right) and Minister of Ayush Sh. Shripad Yesso Naik (left)



ALL INDIA PHILOSOPHICAL COUNCIL

JODHPUR UNIVERSITY

October 13, 2017



On 13th Oct. 2017, Vishwaguruji inaugurated the 62nd celebration of the **All India Philosophical Council** in Jodhpur, Rajasthan, with the topic of 'Character building - the act and problem of its recognition and value'. The Closing Program took place in the OM Ashram. 325 Professors from all over India visited Jadan College, which is a part of the University of Jodhpur. Vishwaguruji personally guided the representatives and guests on a tour of the OM Ashram, Holy Guruji's Samadhi Mandir, the Dwardash Jyotir Linga and 1008 Shiva Statues.



SATSANG TOUR

INDIA

October 2017



Alongside daily Satsangs with visiting western disciples and local Bhaktas, and working with managers and builders of Indian Yoga in Daily Life Ashrams, Vishwaguruji went on a small Satsang tour to villages in the region around Jadan Ashram.



INTERNATIONAL YOGA FESTIVAL

DHARMASTHALA, KARNATAKA

November 2017



In the holy town of Dharmasthala, Karnataka in South India, Vishwaguruji was invited to the **International Yoga Festival** and 2nd Federation Yoga Sports Cup Championship. Vishwaguruji held lectures every day for students of the SDM College of Naturopathy and Yogic Sciences, starting from the introductory lesson for the students in the first year, and finishing with meditation techniques for the students of the final year.



RESPECTED YASHODA BAHIN VISITED OM ASHRAM

INDIA, OM ASHRAM

December 27, 2017



On 27 December 2017, the respected **Wife of Indian Prime Minister** Narendra Modi, Yashoda Ji Bahin, paid a visit to OM Ashram.



CELEBRATIONS AT OM ASHRAM IN JADAN



- ❶ ❷ Gurupurnima
- ❸ ❸ Holy Mother Mahasamadhi
- ❹ ❹ Shivaratri
- ❺ ❺ Diwali
- ❻ ❻ Indian Republic Day



VISHWAGURUJI RECEIVING GANGA AWARD

RISHIKESH
June 5, 2017



H.H. Vishwaguru Mahamandaleshwar Paramhans Sri Swami Maheshwaranand Puri Ji Maharaj was invited to Rishikesh by **H.H. Pujya Swami Chidanand Saraswati Ji Maharaj** at Parmarth Niketan, Rishikesh for his 65th birthday celebration and on the holy occasion of Ganga dashera.

H.H. Ramesh Bhai Ojha Ji, H.H. Swami Ramdev ji, H.H. Mahamandaleshwar Sri Swami Gurusharnand ji Maharaj, H.H. Jathedar of Amritsar and Patna, Imam Sahib, the chief minister of Uttarakhand, the governor of Uttarakhand and many more saint.



BHAJAN PROGRAM

MUMBAI

January 7, 2018



On 2nd January 2018 in Mumbai, a bhajan and satsang program was organized by Narendra Chaudry of Sirvi Samaj.



SUMMIT OF MAHAMANDALESHWARS

MUMBAI

January 7, 2018



Vishwaguruji participated in an important **Conference of Saints**, which took place in Mumbai, India, under the name of Vaicharik Mahakumbh - A Thought Conclave. More than **50 Mahamandaleshwars** from Maha Nirvani and other Akharas participated.



INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FRONTIERS IN YOGA RESEARCH

INDIA, BANGALORE
January 5-8, 2018



In the prestigious University, Swami Vivekananda Yoga Anusandhana Samsthana (S-VYASA), the **22nd Annual INCOFYRA** international conference took place from 5th to 8th of January 2018. The theme of the conference is **Integrative Oncology: Future of Cancer Care**. Recent advancements in cancer treatment have only managed to increase the 10 year survival rate, but have not reduced the mortality rate. Therefore a new holistic approach is necessary. The aim of this conference is to integrate Ayurveda, Naturopathy, Yoga, Unani, Homeopathy and modern Medicine approaches.



JADAN SCHOOL - EDUCATION PROJECTS

INDIA, RAJASTHAN

2018



School: 580 students (217 girls, 363 boys)

College: 158 students (73 girls, 85 boys)

Nipal School: 94 students (35 girls, 62 boys)

96.5% of students passed 12th Arts Rajasthan Board examinations, half of them in 1st division (with above 60%), (passing average in Pali: 90.36%)

College / courses running in 2017-2018 / regular BA (bachelor of Arts, 3 years), new BSc (bachelor of Science, 3 years), 1-year postgraduate diploma in Yoga (re-opened course), new subjects / chemistry, zoology, physics

Events at College / University Sports Tournament in Kabaddi, closing ceremony of the 62th conference of All India Philosophical Council themed Character building the act and problem of its recognition and value

Future plans / residential long term yoga courses and short term yoga retreats in all our Ashrams under umbrella of YIDLF, YIDL course affiliated with Jodhpur University



JADAN SCHOOL - GYAN PUTRA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

INDIA, RAJASTHAN
2018



Free school fees provided for 191 students: 129 girls and 62 boys (SVDG)
Scholarship for college education for girls from scheduled tribes/casts with BPL status (YIDLF)

Good performance of Gyan Putra students in final examination: top 2 results and 8 out of first 10 results in 12th Arts Rajasthan Board examination, second best result in 12th Science Rajasthan Board examination

From 2018-19 Gyan Putra scheme is getting upgraded and **will provide completely free study in Jadan School** (including admission, school and bus fees)



MEETING WITH H.E. HONORABLE PRESIDENT OF INDIA SHREE RAMNATH KOVIND

INDIA, BANGALORE
January 17, 2018



On 17.01.2018, Vishwaguru Swami Maheshwaranandji met with His Excellency Shree Ramnath Kovind, Honorable **President of India**, at Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi. Among other topics, they discussed current affairs in India, Akhand Bharat (undivided India) and Vishwa Shanti (universal peace).

Mahamandaleshwar Swami Ji Sri Maheshwarananda Ji

D.litt

Humanitarian projects

In 2002, the Shree Vishwa Deepa Gurukul Prathmik
Vidyalaya in Daily Life's Primary School
Hospital was founded



VISHWAGURUJI ORDAINED WITH DOCTORATE BY S-VYASA UNIVERSITY

INDIA, BANGALORE

January 12, 2018



On 12 January 2018, Vishwaguruji was awarded **D.Litt** (Doctor Litterarum) due to his extraordinary work in the field of Yoga, namely **Yoga in Daily Life - the System**, - by Chancellor Dr. H. R. Nagendra and Vice-Chancellor Dr. G. Ramachandra Bhat of the S-VYASA University, who presented Vishwaguruji with this prestigious degree on the 15th Convocation held at the University in Bangalore, India.



YOGA IN DAILY LIFE IN CUBA

April 22, 2017



A historic first visit by Vishwaguru Paramhans Swami Maheshwarananda is under way this week in Cuba, where he is receiving a warm welcome.

The official invitation for Vishwaguruji's visit to Cuba and to Holguin was extended by the Cultural Ministry of Cuba, the cultural center in Holguin called Casa de Iberoamerica, and the University of Holguin, to provide education in the science of YIDL.



CHRISTMAS SATSANGS

EUROPE
2017



- ❶ Strilky, CZ
- ❷ Salzburg, AT
- ❸ Vienna, AT
- ❹ Vép, HU



GAUSHALA - ANIMAL WELFARE

INDIA, RAJASTHAN

2018



Gaushala takes care of more than 2.000 cows, 4 horses and dogs, providing them shelter, food, water medical care and love.

Locations: Jadan + Gagguda, Rupawas, Kailash, Khatu Bari

Future plan: improvement and expansion of Rupawas Gaushala

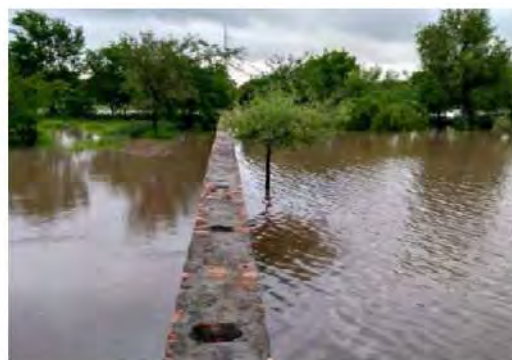
On daily basis (only Jadan) 2550 kg of green grass, 2100 kg of dry grass and 220 kg of grains are provided to the animals during drought period. Organic cow fodder grown by Gaushalas.



RAINWATER HARVESTING PROJECT

INDIA, RAJASTHAN

2018



2017 monsoon rains completely filled Jadan Talab till maximum level and Rainwater Harvesting projects proved full success, not only in collecting rainwater but also regenerating underground water levels.

Roof Rainwater Harvesting facilities have been constructed in Shree Devpuriji Ashram, Kathu-Kachras.

Future Plan: Building of additional Roof Rainwater Harvesting systems in Jadan with big water reservoir near tin shed and parking area as well as on future kitchen near OM Ashram.



WORLD PEACE PRAYERS

WORLDWIDE

2017/2018



❶ In September 2017, Vishwaguruji started the pilgrimage to the source of Sri Alakhpuriji Siddha Peeth Parampara in the Himalayas with a holy Puja for peace in the world and nature in **Rishikesh**.

❷ At the end of 2017, Vishwaguruji organized a **10 day program of Vedic yagyas, pujas and peace prayers**, performed by 11 pandits.



UN WORLD PEACE DAY

WORLDWIDE

September 21, 2017



Worldwide Peace Prayers and Peace Meditations at the YIDL Peace Trees and in all YIDL centers worldwide.

- ❶ Austria
- ❷ India
- ❸ Croatia
- ❹ Slovenia
- ❺ UK
- ❻ Austria
- ❼ Poland



COMMUNITY SUPPORT PROJECTS

INDIA, RAJASTHAN

2018



Fire emergency service, water distribution and drought relief in summer

Ambulance emergency service

2017 Gurupurnima celebration was lasting 2 days during which approx. 7000 visitors received free food, water and accommodation, approx. 10,000 meals were distributed on the occasion (OSASP)

43,000 free meals & 200,000 chais distributed during the year

Regular spiritual programs and satsangs organised by OSASP

Yoga workshops for public

Financial support for sadhus, poor and differently abled people, marriages of underprivileged girls etc. (OSASP)

Health and medical relief projects for the needy



CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

INDIA

2018



Further development of **Shree Devpuriji Ashram in Khatu - Kachras ❶**, Grass roof on **Bakthi Sagar hall in Jadan** completely changed (OSASP), Construction of **Ganeshji Temple** and **Samadhi Shrines** dedicated to Parampara near Mataji's Temple started in June 2017 will be ready soon, Complete **shifting of air electric line** to the underground, Expansion of **road connecting Swastika and Bhakti Sagar**, Construction of parking facilities near Swastika building, **Road connecting school gate and residential area** in Jadan was completed in June 2018, **highway entrance and bus stations ❸** for Om Ashram under construction, **Upgrading Ayurvedic Hospital accommodation facilities** with flooring works and new kitchens, Starting construction of **apartments for teachers, doctors and other future ashram staff** in June 2018



UN NON-VIOLENCE DAY

WORLDWIDE

October 2, 2017



Vishwaguru was invited by the **Pujya Mahatma Gandhi Commemoration Committee (PMGBCC)** to participate in the commemoration for Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday and observance of International Day of Non-Violence, in Wellington, New Zealand, during his World Peace Tour.

In many more countries around the world the International Day of Non-Violence was observed on 2nd October in joint commemorations by members of Yoga in Daily Life and Sri Swami Madhavananda World Peace Council.

- ❶ New Zealand, ❷ Slovenia, ❸ Croatia, ❹ Austria, ❺ Serbia



WORLD PEACE COUNCIL CONFERENCE

UN HEADQUARTERS, NEW YORK

March 7, 2018



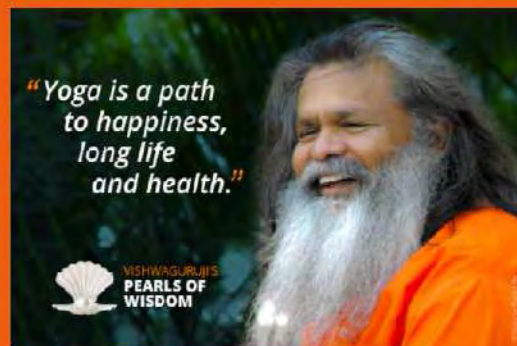
International Conference **YOGA – AND WORLD PEACE**

in cooperation with the International Day of Yoga Committee at the United Nations, and United Nations Staff Recreation Council (UNSRC) / Enlightenment Society (SEAT)

There were sessions, both streamed by live webcast on Facebook and www.swamiji.tv.

1st Panel at **UN Headquarters New York**: March 7; 10.00am - 1.00pm (NY time).

2nd Panel at **Shiv Shakti Peeth Hindu Temple, NY**: in the evening of March 7; 6.00pm - 8.30pm (NY time).



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