



FIRST TIME IN DALLAS

The 17th Arya Maha Sammelan of Arya Pratinidhi Sabha of America is being hosted by Greater Dallas Arya Samaj this year from July 19th to 22nd, 2007 at Richardson Hotel, Richardson TX 75081.

Those of you who have attended the annual Maha Sammelans held at different places in North America are familiar with the invigorating & rejuvenating experience of spending couple of days among like-minded folks. You are urged to be part of this unique gathering of people having great reverence for the Vedas & Rishi Dayanand.

The theme of this year's Arya Maha Sammelan is once again centered on Simplification and Communication of Vedic values to our next generations. We will be holding combined and parallel sessions/workshops of adults & youth during this event. Please encourage your youth to take an active part in the proceedings. The participants will have an opportunity to listen to distinguished speakers from all over the world and participate in Yoga, meditation, Yajna and cultural activities.

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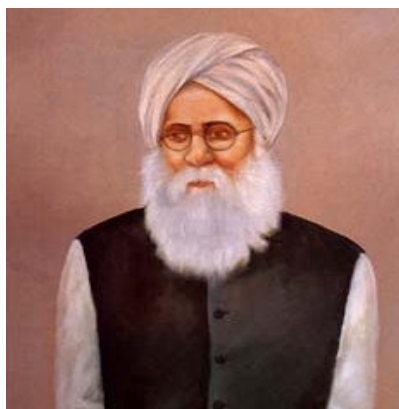
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Mahatma Hans Raj



Hans Raj was born in a small town, Bajwara, in district Hoshiarpur on April 1864. He lost his father before he was 12 and had to be looked after and educated by his elder brother who drew a meager salary of Rs. 40 per month. The family moved to Lahore where Hans Raj joined a missionary school.

He was incensed by the slighting references to Hindu pantheism, worship of idols and caste prejudices by a Christian teacher. [Read More...](#)

Holi Celebration at the Arya Samaj Greater Houston

The Arya Samaj Greater Houston (ASGH) celebrated Holi this year on Sunday March 11 with traditional gaiety and fun. The beautiful outdoor Yagya Shala and the surrounding lawns provided a perfect backdrop for the celebrations and the pleasant spring-like weather made the conditions idyllic for a traditional Holi.

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18th March 2007. (Sunday) Annual General Meeting. The following were elected to lead Arya Samaj Markham for the year 2007/08. Shri. Amar Erry-President, Shri. Sudershan Beri Vice-President. Shri. Shailesh Joshi Secretary [...Read More](#)

