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## Hindu Temple Will Be Celebrating Vasant Panchami and Saraswati Pooja

**On: Wednesday, February 1, 2017**

**Time: 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm**

*Come with your children for  
special Saraswati Mata Poojan  
and blessings for knowledge,  
music and art.*



**Wear Yellow color garments to  
celebrate Vasant Ritu and Worship  
Saraswati Mata. You are welcome to  
bring yellow foods and sweets to share!**

**Saraswati Poojan  
Bhajans, kirtan, Arti  
Followed by - Prasad & Priti Bhoj**

### Vasant Panchami

वसन्त पञ्चमी

*Vasant Panchami is the Hindu festival that  
initiates the arrival of spring. It is also a  
special glorious day of Saraswati Puja for  
her blessings for wisdom, knowledge,  
culture, music, and arts.*

*Traditionally during this festival children  
are taught to write their first words. This is  
also a special day for school and their  
accomplishments are celebrated and  
education and learning are encouraged  
with great reverence.*

**Volunteers, Sponsors, & Donations are welcome! Thank you for your support.**

**Please contact us for details:**

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