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Advertisement Opportunity At BSNL

Contact - Trupti Joshi or Harshben Trivedi

Navratri 2019

Dates: 1 Oct to 7th Oct and 11th& 12th October Havan Bidding: Atham-6th October 2019

Please see attach flyer for further details and season pass forms.



Havan 2019

Date: 19th October 2019 at SKLP Community Centre

Yajman Bidding: on Atham day – 6th October 2019 at JFS School during Navratri fastival Ladu Making: Thursday 17th October 2019 at BSNL Hall from 10am For donation & further information contact Parul Jani: 07940584321.

Parent & Toddler Group

Another new initiative from BSNL.

BSNL are proud to announce the opening of a brand new weekly programme aimed at young parents, a parent and toddler group, starting from Sept.

These will be held every monday morning, from 10.00am to 11.30am, starting from 16th Sept. These will be held at the BSNL hall. There will be a £2 charge per parent.

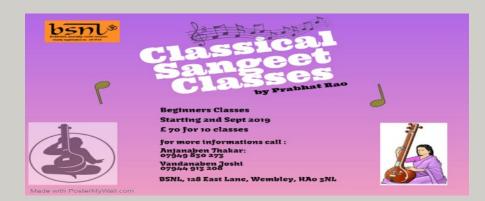
Light refreshments and tea/coffee will be provided. Baby food warming facilities are also available.

Register your interest with

Save this Date



Date - the evening of Sat 9th Nov 2019 -for our BSNL Diwali Celebration!!!









A few months ago Harshaben asked me to think of something that would interest the younger generations. With a husband, son and daughter that play Cricket and an English summer of Cricket- the event choice was easy! The difficulty was not knowing if there would be enough interest. At first the take up was very slow but then suddenly I was overwhelmed with enquires from youngsters, male and female, just very excited to take part! We held net training sessions in July and August to assess the players and the standard was very competitive! The players really enjoyed the practice, new friendships were formed whilst old ones were rekindled.

On Sunday 18th August the much awaited match day finally came but \dots it started raining .

There was concern from the players, caterers and supporters but we remained positive and laid out a yummy breakfast of jalebi, ganthia and pastries. Right on cue at midday the rain cleared and the sun shone upon us to allow us to start.

Ladoo Lovers won the toss and chose to bat first. After a very eventful innings with some amazing batting they put up a score of 203! Quite a challenge for any team but the Penda Pinchers where ready for it and after a delicious lunch the second innings began. However, all



the fresh pizzas and garam bhajias did not work in their favour and a few quick wickets were lost at the beginning. The team pulled together and made a great effort to recover well ending on a score of 112 all out. Once again there were sparks of brilliance from this team too.

The day ended on a high with both teams having had a fantastic day of cricket from talented male and female players of our community!

Ladoo Lovers were crowned the winners with individual match awards named as follows:

Best Bowler - Vinay Khetia Best Batsman - Anand Pancholi Best Fielder - Nikhil Chauhan Best Player - Sima Mehta

Thank you to all the volunteers who contributed to the day and the Trustees for supporting the event. Particular thanks to Rajiv Vyas (Umpire), Siddhartha (Sid) Pandya & Hitesh Patel (captains), Badresh Jani & Pramath Pandya (Scorers), in helping to run the game and Bijal Trivedi (Photographer) for beautifully capturing some great memories.

A heartfelt thank you t





Ksavi Makeup Class

Just as the summer comes to an end, it's not all blues, we have something to brighten up the impending Autumn!

After much success of our ladies makeup class, we've had lots of people get in touch with different members of the BSNL leadership team about when are we next doing more masterclasses.

So, if your interested and so that we can keep all the names together in one place, please either email or message Parul Jani

Email: p.jani@bsnl.org.uk Mobile No: 07940 584321

Yoga Classes

Yoga Classes are being run every Thursday morning at BSNL Hall Anyone interested to join this class, please inquire with Vinod Mehta- 07770 730202



Membership Update

Its that busy time of the year when quite a lot of things happen together.

Navratri, Havan, Diwali and of course, BSNL Membership renewals.

By now, if your membership needed renewing, you will have received a letter.

This will detail the amount payable and will ask you to check the details we hold for you and to provide consent to be contacted.

Please send it back as soon as possible with your renewal fee.

It is cheaper to do this online on our website as it will save you a whopping 25%.

Please navigate to ww.bsnl.org.uk and click on memberships on the top bar

Renewing at Navratri is not a good idea as this causes big queues at front desk and is a health and safety risk as the fire exits get blocked up.

Membep rates have changed, and are £10 per person. The family rates are no longer available.

Life memberships are still available at £251 per person.

Hitesh Purohit

BSNL Weekly Clubs

<u>Elder's Club</u> every Tuesday, Lots of fun events for our Respected Elders.

They had organised a 22day trip to India And Nepal, with 35 members, they had a Wonderful time.

For more information Contact Vinodbhai Mehta - 07770 730202

Men's Club Every Wednesday, Play cards Carrom, darts, or Table Tennis, or have a Laugh with the others.

Contact - Gunwantbhai - 07877 565747

Ladies Club Every Friday, Get together Like minded ladies and enjoy a Variety of Activities There is always something different Going on.

Contact - Anjanaben - 07949 830273







Achievements







Natubhai and Nirmalaben Bhatt's grandson (Rimal Bhatt) got top award for a fire safety mask design that gives the wearer an extra 15 minutes to get out of a smoke filled the building and also tracks the movement of the wearer. See the link below for more details.

https://www.dezeen.com/2019/07/18/fire-evacuation-breathing-apparatus-grenfell-fire-safety-rimal-bhatt-new-designer-award/



Congratulations to Sima Purohit, granddaughter of Vilasben and Rohitbhai Pandya and Ichhuben and Labhshankerbhai Purohit, for qualifying as a Pharmacist this month. This comes after her 4 year Masters degree from the University of Bath and 1 year of intense training in hospital



Full Name: Sakshi Amit Shastri Master of Pharmacy, First Class Honours Proud parents. AMIT & Roopa SHASTRI





Congratulations to Kishan Joshi Passing A levels and obtaing olavs in Cambridge



Chirag Purohit, son of Jay and Manisha Purohit graduated with a 2:1 in Sport and Exercise Science.

Wedding Congratulations



Congratulation to Newly Wedded Couple. Bhavesh Yagnik and Meera Yagnik



Congratulation to Newly Wedded Couple. Jaiminie & Bhavik Amin



BSNL Cricket Match Member's Comments



'I thought the event was a fantastic opportunity to get to know everyone as well as play my favourite sport. One thing in particular that excited me to take part is how they included women to play with the men which showed cricket is not only a gentlemen's game but also a gentlewomen's. Thank you so much!'

Krupa Jani(Penda Pinchers)

It was good to so much talent in our community, BSNL has some hidden gems.

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The day was an event that united people of all ages from the community in a game of cricket. Nets in the build up to the day had allowed everyone to get to know each other personally and these connections came through on the day. This took the form of encouragement from within the field, on the boundary, or, most importantly, sledging the opposition. Playing the game with a new group of people clearly reignited the passion of taking part for some and the spectators seemed to have a blast. I would love to do it again! 'Sachin Vyas(Lad b Lovers,

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'Well done. There was maximum feel good factor among members of all ages.' Bharti Vyas (Trustee)