

**SAI RAM SISTERS AND BROTHERS OF
SRI SATHYA SAI BABA CENTRE OF CALGARY**

**SALUTATIONS AND HUMBLE PRANAMS AT THE
LOTUS FEET OF
BHAGAWAN SRI SATHYA SAI BABA**

WISH YOU ALL A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR 2017

Schedule for January 8, 2017 & Venue:

Hindu Mandir Calgary
2225 24th Avenue N.E.
Calgary T2E 8M2
[\(403\) 291-2551](tel:4032912551)

Bal Vikas: 2:00 – 3:45pm

Parents please ensure your children are available at the Centre by 2:00PM so that the final practice session can start on time.

Dynamic Parenting Workshops: 2:15 – 3:45pm

Dynamic Value Parenting (DVP) workshop. Participants please bring the DVP course manual that was provided to you.

Bhajans: 3:55 – 5:00pm

Arathi and Concluding Prayers

Announcements:

1. Food Bank Collection – Our Centre has started to collect items for the Calgary Food bank as there is a huge shortage of emergency items for children and adults. We kindly request the devotees to bring some non-perishable canned veggies, pasta, sauce, baby diapers, juice etc. We will setup a drop box to collect these items and will be dropped off at the Food bank regularly.

Upcoming Events:

Please mark your calendars for the following upcoming events at the Sri Sathya Sai Baba Centre of Calgary.

Event Name	Day and Date
Special House Bhajans	Mr. & Mrs. Kamal Tandon's residence on January 14, 2017 between 5PM- 6PM

As the Universe is constituted by the three attributes or *Gunas* (*Satwa*, *Rajas* and *Tamas*) and is permeated by them, the first stage in spiritual practice is to put an end to the Tamo Guna, which is characterised by foolish obstinacy (*moorkatwa*). When filled with inertia of this guna, the person exhibits dull intelligence and is inclined to indulge in meaningless questioning and argumentativeness. Instead, study every issue deeply and then draw conclusions. Only then your experience will be rewarding. The Tamasic person is incapable of perceiving the truth and cannot realise the Divine. Such a person will be caught in the endless cycle of birth and death. Avoid endless verbal debate over every trivial matter. Such controversies result in only provoking bitterness, instead of harmony. It will not serve you to realise the truth.

- *Divine Discourse, Jan 8, 1988.*

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Love All, Serve All - Help Ever, Hurt Never

There is only One Religion;
The Religion of Love.

There is only One Caste;
The Caste of Humanity.

There is only One Language;
The Language of the Heart.

There is only One God;
He is Omnipresent.