

Sri Sri Jagadguru Shankaracharya Mahasamsthanam, Dakshinamnaya Sri Sharada Peetham, Sringeri - 577139





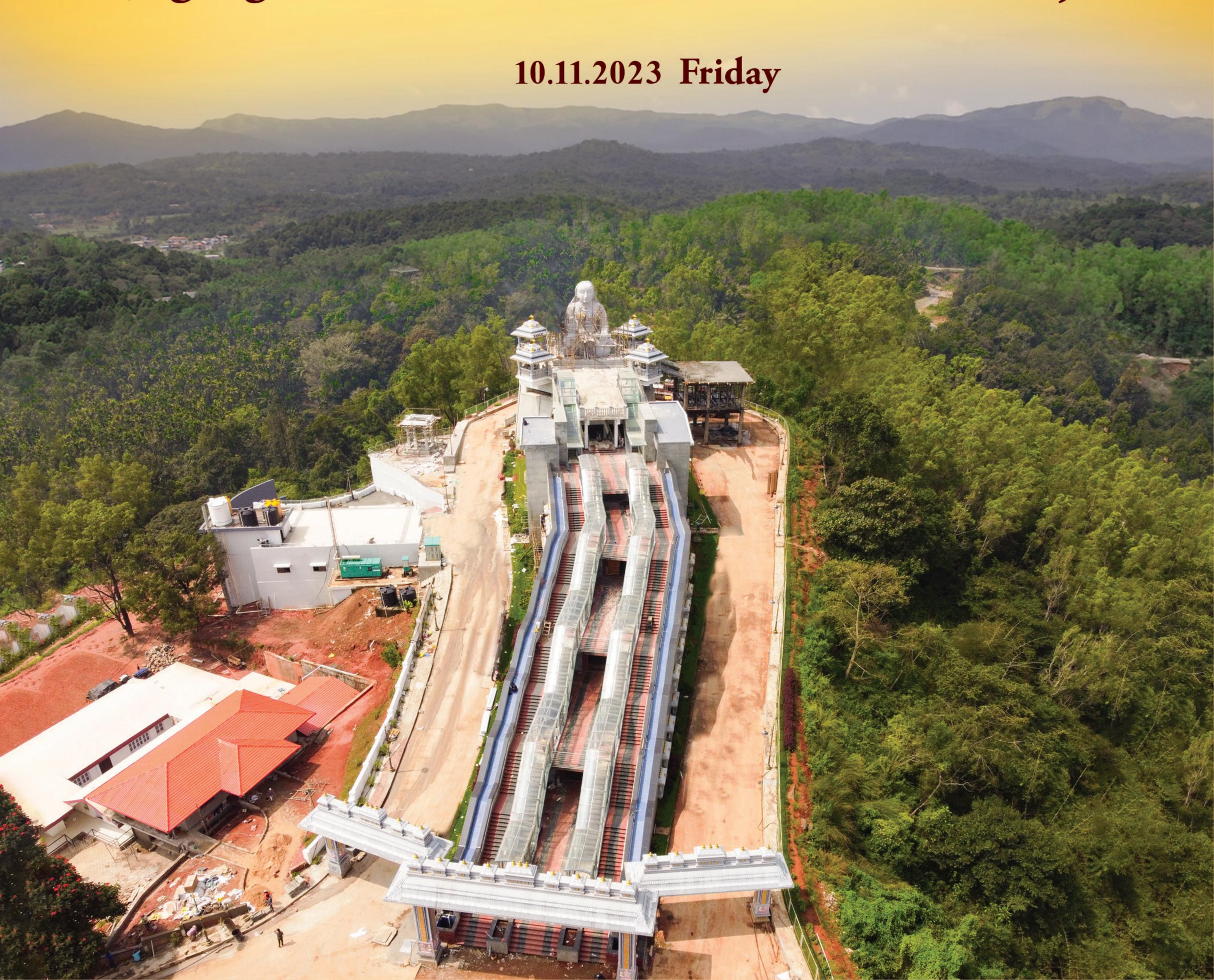








Sannyasa Sweekara Swarna Mahotsava of Jagadguru Sri Sri Bharati Tirtha Mahaswamiji



Dear Devotees,

Jagadguru Sri Adi Shankaracharya, the incarnation of Bhagavan Parashiva, descended on this sacred land of Bharata twelve centuries ago. He protected the Sanatana Vaidika Dharma and established the Upanishadic conclusion of Advaita. He penned a number of works including the Prasthana-traya-bhashyas. He undertook Digvijaya Yatras across the country defeating scholars of opposing schools of thought. He established four Amnaya Peethams for the sustained propagation of Sanatana Dharma and the Advaita Tattva. Amongst these Peethams, the Dakshinamnaya Sri Sharada Peetham at Sringeri shines to this day with an unbroken Guru Parampara decorated by illustrious, learned and austere Acharyas such as Sri Sureshwaracharya, Sri Vidyatirtha and Sri Vidyaranya.

Presently, the Peetham is adorned by the 36th Acharya, **Jagadguru Shankaracharya Sri Sri Bharati Tirtha Mahaswamiji**, who is a repository of various noble qualities, has unparalleled scholarship in the Shastras and showers causeless affection on disciples. The Mahaswamiji embraced Sannyasa on 11-11-1974 (Ananda Samvatsara Ashwayuja Krishna Dvadashi). Ever since, the Mahaswamiji has ceaselessly engaged over the past 50 years in many activities for the spread of Sanatana Vaidika Dharma, and is revered widely across the globe. **Jagadguru Sri Sri Vidhushekhara Bharati Sannidhanam** (the Peetham's successor-designate and 37th Acharya) has resolved that the Swarna Mahotsava (golden jubilee celebrations) of the Mahaswamiji's Sannyasa Sweekara be celebrated for a year from the current Ashwayuja Masa to the next (Oct/Nov 2023 to Oct 2024) with the observation of various Vedic rituals, Dharmic activities, cultural events and charitable activities.

Many years ago, Jagadguru Sri Sri Bharati Tirtha Mahaswamiji wishing to highlight the greatness of Sri Shankara Bhagavatpada took the sacred Sankalpa to consecrate, on a hillock in Sringeri, a beautiful 32 foot granite statue of Sri Shankara Bhagavatpada surrounded by figures of His four primary disciples including Sri Sureshwaracharya (the first Acharya of Sringeri). Accordingly with the Mahaswamiji's Anugraha as the principal support, the statue has been readied with great effort. Likewise, a statue has also been made ready for the 12th Sringeri Acharya, Jagadguru Sri Vidyaranya who is well-known for having founded the Vijayanagara empire and for having penned many great works including the commentaries of the four Vedas. The hillock will also feature a museum, state-of-the-art auditorium and an amphitheatre. During this auspicious Swarna Mahotsava, all these will be inaugurated on **Ashwayuja Krishna Dvadashi (10-11-2023)**, the sacred Tithi of the Mahaswamiji's Sannyasa Sweekara. As part of the Mahotsava and the inauguration, many Dharmic activities for the welfare of mankind including Ati Rudra Mahayajna and Sahasra Chandi Mahayajna are taking place during the Ashwayuja Krishna Paksha.

All Astikas are requested to enthusiastically participate in this rare and sacred event and become a recipient of the Grace of Bhagavati Sri Sharadamba, Bhagavan Sri Chandramoulishwara and the Jagadguru Mahaswamijis.

1.11.2023 Sringeri Padmashri Awardee
Guruseva Dhurina
Dr. V. R. Gowrishankar
Administrator & CEO

Dharmic Activities (Phase I) pertaining to Sannyasa Sweekara Swarna Mahotsava of Jagadguru Sri Sri Bharati Tirtha Mahaswamiji

Programme

3.11.2023 Friday	Ashwayuja Krishna Shashthi - Rakshoghna Homa (at night)
4.11.2023 Saturday	Saptami - Morning - Vastu Puja Homa, Chatus-shasthi-yogini Adityaadi Navagraha Chatus-shashthi Bhairava Puja Homa
5.11.2023 Sunday	Ashtami - Narasimha Homa
6.11.2023 Monday	Navami - Sharabha Salva Homa
7.11.2023 Tuesday	Dashami - Pratikriya Shoolini Durga Homa
8.11.2023 Wednesday	Dashami - Panchakshari Homa
9.11.2023 Thursday	Ekadashi - Puja at Sri Adi Shankaracharya temple by the Jagadguru Mahaswamiji Medha Dakshinamurti Homa, Anjaneya Homa, Consecration of Anjaneya Swami Murti (near Sri Shankara Bhagavatpada's statue) Puja, Neerajana
6.11.2023 to 10.11.2023	Parayana of Prasthana Traya Bhashyas of Sri Shankara Bhagavatpada
10.11.2023 Friday	Dvadashi - Morning - 10 am onwards during the Dhanur Lagna Inauguration of the statue of Sri Shankara Bhagavatpada Archana, followed by inauguration of the statues of Sri Sureshwaracharya, Sri Padmapadacharya, Sri Hastamalakacharya, Sri Totakacharya and Sri Vidyaranya
Noon 12:00P.M	Poornahutis of Atirudra Mahayajna and Sahasrachandi Mahayajna
Eve 5:30 P.M	Guru Vandana Sabha Anugraha Bhashanam of the Jagadguru Mahaswamiji Felicitation of Seva Kartas Vrikasharopana - Activation of planting of 50,000 saplings

Panchayatana Devataradhana

Shiva Aradhana

30.10.2023 Monday	Ashwayuja Krishna Dviteeya - Atirudra Mahayajna Sankalpa
10.11.2023 Friday	Dvadashi - Atirudra Mahayajna Poornahuti

Ambika Aradhana

6.11.2023 Monday	Ashwayuja Krishna Navami - Sahasrachandi Sankalpa
10-11-2023 Friday	Dvadashi - Sahasrachandi Poornahuti

Mahaganapati Aradhana

Sahasra Modaka Homa, Sahasra Avritti Ganapati Atharvasheersha Parayana Poorvaka Mahabhisheka, Sahasra Narikela Homa & Laksha Modaka Ganapati Homa (during Vardhanti in April 2024)

Surya Aradhana

10.2.2024 16.2.2024	Magha Shuddha Pratipat - Magha Shuddha Saptami -
	Tryrucha-kalpa Poorvaka Surya Namaskara, Sahasra Avritti Aruna Prashna Parayana,Mahasaura Parayana & Aditya Hridaya Parayana,
	Saura Ashtakshari Japa & Homa, Sahasranama Archana, Poornahuti, Rathotsava

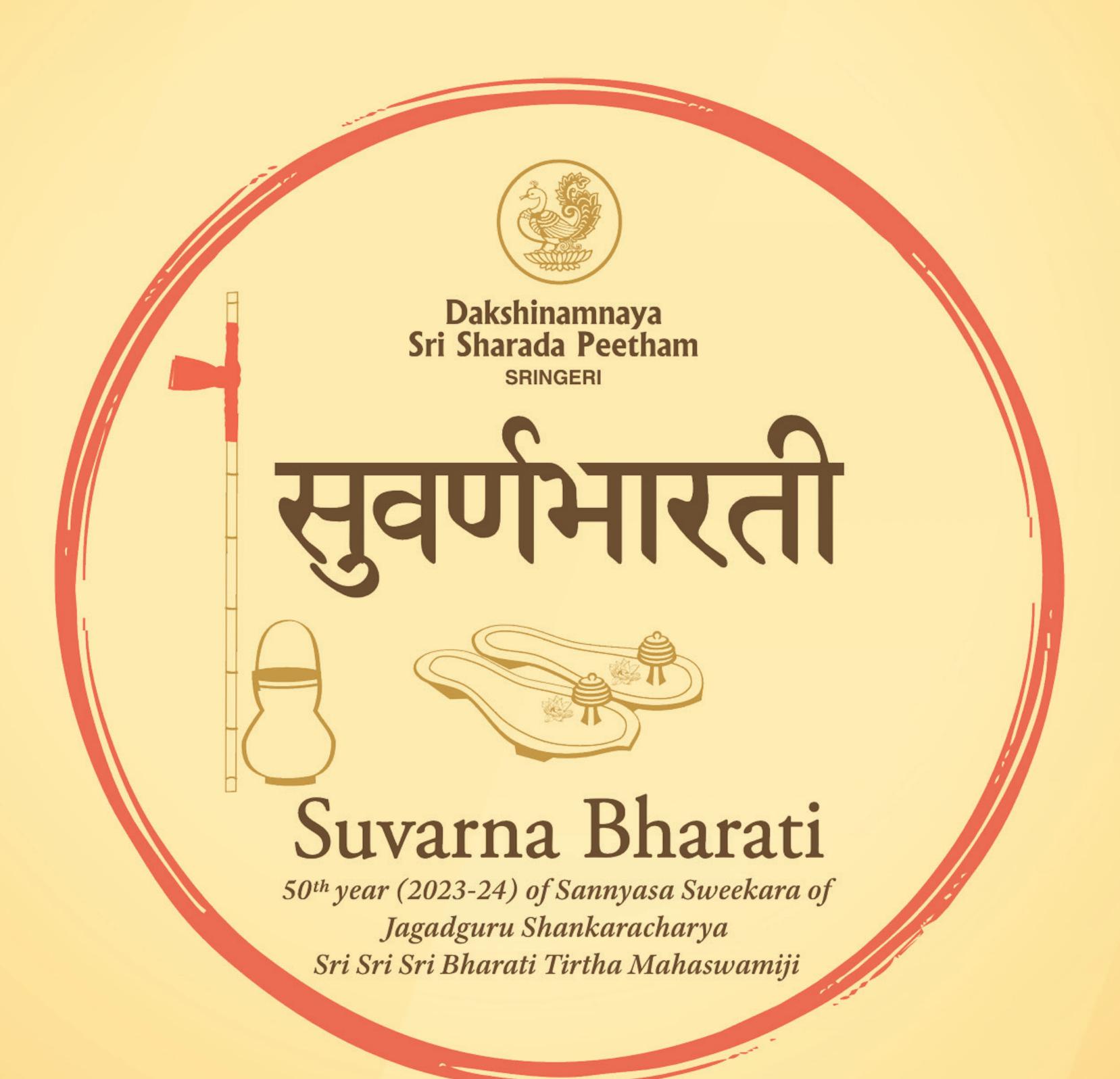
Mahavishnu Aradhana

(During the month of Margashirsha between 13.12.2023 and 11.1.2024)

Margashirsha Shukla Panchami - Shravana Nakshatra - Hayagriva Mantrajapa Homa
Margashirsha Shukla Ekadashi (Vaikuntha Ekadashi) - Narayana Ashtakshari Homa, Parama Purusha Aradhana
Margashirsha Shukla Ekadashi upari Dvadashi - Lakshmi Narayana Hridaya Homa
Margashirsha Shukla Chaturdashi - Rohini Nakhatra - Gopalakrishna Mantra Japa & Homa
Margashirsha Poornima - Dattatreya Jayanti - Dattatreya Japa & Homa
Margashirsha Krishna Dviteeya - Punarvasu Nakshatra - Rama Taraka Japa & Homa
Margashirsha Krishna Dashami - Narasimha Japa & Homa, Ayutakshari Japa
Margashirsha Krishna Dashami - Sudarshana Mantra Japa & Homa

Other Special Events

- Shrauta Sammelan (29-31 Dec 2023) (Margashirsha Krishna Dviteeya, Triteeya, Chaturthi)
- * Pauranika Sammelan (In Kannada, Telugu, Tamil and Hindi languages)
- * Totakashtaka Pathana (Group recitation by school students)
- **Sammelan of Representatives from Kshetras visited by Jagadguru Sri Shankaracharya**
- **器 Shilpa Sammelan**





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