SRI SELVA VINAYAKAR KOYIL (GANESHA TEMPLE) BRISBANE (South Maclean)



Newsletter September 2025

Dear Sri Selva Vinayaka devotees,

Hindu Ahlaya Sangam Qld Inc (HASQ) cordially invites you to Sri Selva Vinayakar Temple Brisbane (South Maclean) for September 2025 Month Festivals.

Pirathosha Viratham on Friday 05 & 19-09-2025	
Nadesar Abishekam on Satuday 06-09-2025	
Vishnu Sahasra Nama Paarayanam /Sathya Narayana Pooja/ Powrnami- on Sunday 07-09-2025	
Sankatahara Chathurthi on Thursday 11-09-2025	
Sri Krishna Jayanthy on Sunday 14-09-2025	
Puratasi Sani Viratham on Saturday 20 & 27-09-2025	
Sri Ayyapa Swamy Abishekam on Saturday 20-09-2025	
Lalitha Sahasra Nama Sthothram Parayanam on Sunday 21-09-2025	
Navarathri Viratham starts on Monday 22-09-2025	
Monthly Chathurthi Viratham on Thursday 25-09-2025	
Saraswathy Poojai Starts on Monday 29-09-2025	

Pirathosha Viratham on 05 & 19-09-2025



Prathosha Viratham is one of the most important viratha among the Virathas performed to Lord Shiva. Pirathosha Viratham comes twice a month (Lunar). Shukla Paksha and Krishna Paksha, the evening of the Thirayodasi (13th moon day) between 4:30-6:00pm. Devotees worship Lord Shiva at this significant time. If the Pirathosham happened on Saturdays called Sani Pirathosham."

Pradosham is when Lord Siva drank the poison and saved all beings of the world from destruction. It is believed that when Siva descends into the earth plane into the consciousness of people and gives them spiritual awareness. Thus, pradosham liberates a person from an unconscious mind to a conscious and aware mind.

At Sri Serlvavinayakar Temple special Pooja, Lingotbava Stotram & Thiravya Abishekam are performed at Lord Shiva (Amirthagadeswarar)'s Sannithy at 5.00pm

Nadesar Abishegam on 06-09-2025



Hydration time for Lord Nataraja is only 6 times a year. The yogis and siddhas look forward to this time so that they can take advantage of connecting with Nataraja. The time has been sacred for the energy of Shiva to come into the earth plane

Program	Time
Nadesar Abishekam	7:30am
Regular Pooja	9:00am
Vasanthamandapa pooja	9:30am

Vishnu Sahasra Nama Parayanam Chanting on 07-09-2025



Program	Time
Abishekam for Narayanar	10:00am
Sahasra Nama Parayanam, Manthra Pushpam and Hanuman Challisa	10:30am
Special Pooja Mangalam and Maha Aarthi at Maha Vishnu Sannithi	11:00am

Powrnami /Sathya Narayana Pooja on 07-09-2025



Lord Satyanarayan is a manifestation of Shri Vishnu, who is also known as Narayan, the one who symbolises eternal truth. The word "Satya" means Truth and "Narayana" means The Highest Being. Together they mean "The highest being who is the embodiment of truth". Hindus perform **Sri Satyanarayan Vrat & Pooja** for getting blessings of health, wealth, prosperity and relief from troubles and sickness. It can also be performed to get success in business or career and during social functions like marriages.

Note: Devotees can contact temple priest in advance to perform the Poojai at our Temple

Sri Krishna Jayanthi on 14-09-2025



Lord Krishna was born on the "Rohini" nakshatram (star) on Ashtami day. The festival Sri Krishna Jayanthi is also known as Gokulashtami and Janmashtami.

Krishna is Lord Vishnu's eighth avatar (incarnaion) on Earth. He is the Lord's most glorious incarnation

Program	Time
Homam and Abishekam Lord Maha Vishnu Sannithi	5:30pm
Regular Pooja	7:00pm
Alankara Seva Deeparathana followed by regular pooja at Vasantha mandapam	7:15pm

Sankatahara Chathurthy on 11-09-2025



Chathurthi (Krishna Paksha) which comes after Full moon day called Sankatahara Chathurthi. For Lord Sri Selva Vinayakar a special Homam and Abishekam are conducted at the sannithy at 5.30pm. It is believed that the person who does Sankatahara Chathurthi poojai will get relieved from all their worries and troubles.

Special Homam and Abishekam for Lord Sri Selva Vinayakar are performed at 5.30pm

Purataasi Sani Virathaam on 20 & 27-09-2025



Most devotees observe a partial fast on Puratasi Saturdays – only a single meal is eaten on the day. Devotees also offer Ghee (Nei Vilaku) Lamp or Sesame oil (Ellu ennai) Lamp to Lord Sani in the month Puratasi.

Temple Program

Programme	Time
Navakraha Homam & Abishekam	7.30am
Kolaru Pathikam Padithal	8.30am
Regular Poojai Followed by Navakraha Poojai	9.00am
Annathanam (Free Lunch)	10:00am

Devotees can worship Lord Saturn with lighting of "Sesame oil Lamps" on these Saturdays between 9.00am to 1.00pm and 5.00pm to 8.30pm.

Sesame oil lamps can be purchased from temple for \$5.00 per set.

Sri Ayyapa Swamy Abishekam on 20-09-2025



Special Puja/Abishekam will be performed to Sri Ayyappa Swamy on the first five days of every Hindu calendar month. These poojas are usually named after each Zodiac (Rasi) sign. This month puja called "Kumbha" Masa Abishekam".

Ayyapa Swamy is the epitome of dharma, truth, and righteousness and is often called upon to obliterate evil. He fulfills all good, honest wishes and desires of the devotees and grants good health to the worshipper and their loved ones.

Swamy Ayyappa also bestows prosperity and success upon the devotees and controls the malefic effects of Shani (Saturn).

HASQ cordially invites all devotees to come and participate in this special Abishekam and get the blessing of Sri Ayyappa Swamy. Thiraviya Abishekam will be performed at Sri Ayyappa Swamy Sannithy at 10am.

Lalitha Sahasra Nama Stotram Chanting on 21-09-2025



Lalitha Sahasranamam (1000 names of Goddess Lalithambikai Devi) is a secret and very sacred text or mantra in Hindu religion. This mantra has been revealed to mankind through the discussion between lord Hayagriva and the great saga Agasthya.

Program	Time
Regular Pooja	9.00am
Sri Lalitha Sahasra namam & Mahishasuramardhini Stotram Parayanam	10.00am
Special Deepa Arathanai to Goddess Lalithambikai.	11.00am

Navarathri viratham starts on 22-09-2025.



Significance of Navaratri

The Navarathri festival celebrates the worship of Goddesses DURGA, LAKSHMI and SARASWATHI. All three Goddesses are the incarnations of Goddess SHAKTHI

- The first three days are dedicated to the worship of Goddess DURGA (the Goddess of power and strength)
- Next three days of the festival is dedicated to Goddess LAKSHMI (the Goddess of wealth and

- prosperity).
- The last three days of the festival is dedicated to Goddess SARASWATHI (the Goddess of knowledge and wisdom)
- On the ninth day Hindus have a special prayer for Goddess SARASWATHI at home and educational places like schools and institutions.
- The festival comes to an end on the tenth day which is Vjayathashmi or Dussehra, Festival

Navarathri at Selvavinayakar Temple

Morning Program	Time
Special Abishekam to Goddess Abirami	7.30am
Regular Pooja & Vasantha mandapa Pooja	9.00am
Evening Program	Time
Special Abishekam to Goddess Abirami	5.30pm
Regular Pooja & Vasantha mandapa Pooja	7.00pm
Prasatham	After the Poojai

Cultural programs are organised during Navathri festival. Please refer the separate letter from the temple committee.

Monthly Chathurthy Viratham 25-09-2025



Chathurthi (Sukla patksha) which comes after new moon day called Chathurthi.

Ganesha Mantra

"Vakratunda Mahaakaaya Suryakoti Samaprabhaa Nirvighnam Kurumedeva Sarvakaaryeshu Sarvadaa".

Translation:

"O Lord Ganesha of large body, curved trunk, with the brilliance of a million suns Please make all my work free of obstacles, always."

Program	Time
Abishekam for Lord Sri Selva Vinayakar	5:00pm
Regular Puja	6:30pm
Vasantha mandapa Alankara Pooja and Circumprocession of Lord Selva Vinayakar (inner sanctum)	7:00pm

Saraswathy Poojai starts on 29-09-2025.

Mahaa Navami Saraswathy Poojai on 1-10-2025

Vijaya Thasami & Manampoo 2-10-2025



Program	Time
Vidyarampam (Eadu Thodakal)	10:00am-11:30am
Abishekam for Goddess Abirami	5.00pm
Regular Pooja	6:30pm
Vasantha mandapa pooja, Circumprocession of Goddess Ambal (inner and outer sanctum), Vaalai Vettu(Cutting of Banana tree)	6:30pm onwards
Anna Thaanam (Free Dinner)	After the Pooja



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