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Greetings from the Executive Committee and the Volunteers of the Gujarati Samaj of Baltimore.

We completed last year with the record breaking four nights of the Navratri Garba Program (with various artists) and our Diwali event music concert by Parth & Sanjay Oza.

We also recognized **Bhanuben Patel**, **Kumudben Patel**, **Jagrutiben Patel**, **Chetnaben Mehta and Rekhaben Patel** for their outstanding volunteer work for GSB. We would like to thank and welcome everyone who became a life member.

We held our Annual General Body Meeting on December 10, 2016 and reviewed our preliminary unaudited financial results for past year along with the plans for future events (please see 2017 events calendar). The Treasurer's Report for 2016, available on file, provides comparative analysis for the past two years. For the twelve-month period ending December 31, 2016, the event related receipts exceeded the disbursements by \$16,417 and for the last two years combined, the Samaj receipts exceeded disbursements by \$42,088.

We are starting our 2017 series of exceptional programs with a hilarious Gujarati drama "PATEL NE ROKE ANE BHAGWAN TOKE" on Sunday, April 9, 2017 at 4:00 PM at New Town High School. As always, we aim to bring high quality programs at very reasonable prices. Details are provided elsewhere in this Newsletter. We are very thankful to you for your support, encouragement and appreciation for our programs and events for many years. Please do not miss attending this very entertaining and hilarious Gujarati drama full of talented and famous artists. We are looking forward to seeing you there. You can buy your tickets on-line at gsbaltimore.org now or please mail you check to Gujarati Samaj of Baltimore, P.O. BOX 687, OWINGS MILLS, MD 21117.

For more details, please visit our website for updates and please provide your email address, so we can keep you informed. We are working on getting information out to you faster. In order for us to do that, please ensure that your email address is the most up to date.

For advertisements, please contact Raj (Bunty) Patel and for event sponsorship you may contact any one of the Board members or send us an email at **contact@gsbaltimore.org**. I would like to extend a big thanks to our all community members who participated in all events and also GSB Board members & volunteers for making our events successful.

Our 2017 calendar of events is listed on the last page of this Newsletter. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend most of these events. For latest information on our events and other useful information, please visit our website gsbaltimore.org regularly. We are very thankful to Vakulkumar More for setting up and maintaining our e-mail system, On-line booking, Website, photography services at our events and uploading pictures and videos to our website. I also would like to thank our community, sponsors, our committee members and volunteers for their hard work and support to make all our events successful. Thank you and I look forward to seeing you soon.

Manisha Bhatt - Gujarati Samaj of Baltimore President

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Drama "PATEL NE ROKE ANE BHAGWAN TOKE"

April 9, 2017 at New Town High School, Owing Mills, MD 21117

Time: 4:00PM to 7:00 PM



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(Patel Ne Roke Ene Bhagwan Toke)

Sunday - April 9, 2017 - Drama: 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Light Dinner: 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM

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Place: New Town High School

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Please buy tickets online at www.gsbaltimore.org

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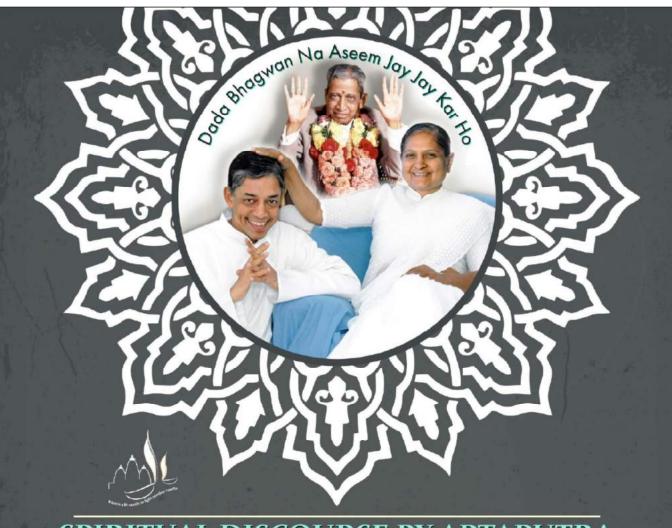
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Drama "PATEL NE ROKE ANE BHAGWAN TOKE"	Sunday, April 9, 2017
Picnic @ Centennial Park East Pavilion H	Sunday, July 30th, 2017
Navratri Program @ Meadowbrook Athletic Complex	Saturday, September 16, 2017
Navratri Program @ Meadowbrook Athletic Complex	Saturday, September 23, 2017
Navratri Program @ Meadowbrook Athletic Complex	Saturday, September 30, 2017
Navratri Program @ Meadowbrook Athletic Complex	Saturday, October 7, 2017
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Diwali Dinner & Music Program	TBA
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