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Editorial:

The month of April was once again very busy. The clean up work was undertaken, and the property is looking great. The members are from all walks of life, but when they come together for such a wonderful cause, its very much appreciated as they sacrifice their time, and provide the much needed help. Such an opportunity is given by God to very few people, and people are blessed when they do things for others in providing such help. Happy reading.

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Members cleaning up the back yard at QVCC

The members were busy cleaning up the property during Easter weekend. Due to recent rain the grass had overgrown and it needed attention. The members who participated in clean-up on Friday 3rd: Mr Jitendra Deo, Mrs Shanjeshni Deo, Ravneel Deo, Soneel Deo, Mr Mul Chand, Mrs Suman Chand, Keshav Chand, Kunal Chand, Krishan Chand, Mr Vijendra Ray, Dr Sukhvir Singh, Mr Sandeep Singh, Mr Navin, Mr Arunesh Prasad, Mr Rakesh Singh, Mr Sukarm Singh and Mr Ravindra Deo. The following members provided morning tea, lunch and moral support : Pt Devendra Pathik, Mrs Sushila Pathik, Mr Hari Chand, Mrs Veera Chand, Mr & Mrs Mul Chand family, Mrs Nirmala Ray and aunty (Mul Bhai's mum). The Sabha is very thankful for wonderful work the members have put in to make the place look great.

The following members came on Saturday 4th to clean up: Mr Dhurup Deo and Mr Vijendra Ray. Members also came on Monday 6th to spray weedicide. Mr Jitendra Deo, Mr Rakesh Singh, Mr Ajith Singh, Mr Sandeep Singh, Dr Sukhvir Singh, Mr Vijendra Ray, and Mrs Nirmala Ray. Mrs Latchmi Singh provided lunch for helpers.



The Sabha has bought a tractor with slasher and other farming equipment. It will be used for variety of work at the centre, such as mowing and vegetable farming.

Mr & Mrs Ajith Singh Family performed weekly Satsangh at QVCC on Sunday 5th April



Mr & Mrs Rakesh Singh family performed the Yaj at QVCC Yajshalla on April 12. The Satsangh was very well attended and Pta Usha Rai Arya Ratna performed the Yaj. The guest speaker was Professor Palliwal, who spoke on Dharam and its qualities. The Sabha is grateful to such scholars who give us direction in life. The value of Satsangh is increase with such peoples vision, and they urge members and attendees for better outcome from life. The refreshment was provided by the family.

Mr & Mrs Rakesh Singh Family at weekly Satsangh at QVCC on Sunday 12th April

Mr & Mrs Rakesh Malhotra Family performed weekly Satsangh at QVCC on Sunday 19th April



Mr & Mrs Arunesh Prasad performed the Yaj at QVCC Yajshalla on April 26. Mrs Veera Chand was Purohita for the Yaj. The Sabha is very much obligated to train more people to become Purohit or Purohita, and Satsangh like this gives us the opportunity to learn and gain that valuable experience. Pta Usha Rai and Pta Ramkali Singh are always happy to provide that training, and anyone interested can contact them. The refreshment was provided by the family.

Mr & Mrs Arunesh Prasad at weekly Satsangh at QVCC on Sunday 26th April



Members and well wishers participating in the weekly Satsangh. The Sabha is looking forward for more people to come and be part of this growing family. The attendees can take with them something which can help them to better their lives. With guest speakers and members sharing knowledge leads to better understanding of culture.

Havan Yaj at Queensland Vedic Cultural Centre– 198 Learoyd Rd, Willawong, Qld

Queensland Vedic Cultural Centre, is getting used more frequently now, and Dr Sukhvir Singh and Avnish have started teaching Yoga Classes at the centre every Saturday from 7am to 8.30am. If you want to attend or want more information please contact Dr Sukhvir Singh on 3194 1686 or 0421 897 157. The classes are free of charge, and it's a community service provided by the Sabha.

The Sabha is grateful to the following donors. The donations keep the centre operating as there are costs involved in maintaining the property as well other fees and charges which are charged by councils and government. The plans are underway now to start Development Approval process for the property. Sabha needs the support of members and general public to complete this proposed project.

	MARCH 2015		
01/03/2015	1345 Yaj Donation	Mr & Mrs S.P Singh & Family	\$100.00
08/03/2015	1346 Yaj Donation	Mr & Mrs Davendra Pathik	\$50.00
15/03/2015	1347 Donation	Mr & Mrs Rajesh Verma	\$95.00
22/03/2015	1348 Yaj Donation	Mr & Mrs Samsher Deshwal	\$78.00
22/03/2015	1349 Donation	Mr & Mrs Ravindra Deo	\$20.00
29/03/2015	1350 Yaj Donation	Mr. & Mrs. Danny Singh	\$150.00
		TOTAL:	\$493.00
	APRIL 2015		
05/04/2015	0601 Yaj Donation	Mr & Mrs Ajit & Family	\$120.00
12/04/2015	0602 Donation	Mr Gyandra	\$30.00
12/04/2015	0603 Yaj Donation	Mr & Mrs Rakesh Singh & Family	\$81.00
25/04/2015	0604 Donation	Mr & Mrs Sunil Dutt	\$100.00
26/04/2015	0605 Donation QVCC	Tirath Achal & Family	\$1001.00
19/04/2015	0606 Donation	Mr Baldeo Sharma	\$101.00
26/04/2015	0607 Yaj Donation	Mr & Mrs Rakesh Malhotra	\$253.00
26/04/2015	0608 Donation – Clean up support	Mr Lalta Prasad	\$30.00
26/04/2015	0609 Yaj Donation	Mr & Mrs Arunesh Prasad	\$105.00
26/04/2015	0610 Donation Ved Prachaar	Mr & Mrs Rajesh Chand & Family	\$100.00
		TOTAL:	\$1921.00

WHY VEDA ALONE? *(continued from last issue)*

According to Indian traditions, based on astronomical data, the Vedas were revealed 1,97,29,490,95 (1995 A.D.) years ago.

The calculation, corroborated by the 'Samkalpa' almost invariably read out by our priests at the commencement of every Yajna. Works on modern science almost corroborate this oriental view about the age of the earth. Compare the following:

Some good evidence that the real age of the earth is 2 or 3 thousand million years, has been arrived at by the study of uranium and an isotope lead (into which it irretrievably changes) in the layers of rocks.

Recent archaeological discoveries have carried the origin of man to millions of years back. And the Vedic research, as it advances, carries the antiquity of the Vedas ever further and yet further in the past. Latest theories tend to affirm that the Vedas are not only the oldest record of humanity but co-eval with man.

The weight of scientific evidence is all against an infinitely, expended past, but the past which we formerly reckoned as six thousand years cannot be shorter than 1800 million years, and may be far longer.

In the "Outline of Modern Knowledge" by William Rose we read: "Our globe must be about two thousand million years old."

H.G. Wells (An Outline of History) said: "Astronomers and mathematicians give us 200 million years as the age of the earth as a body separate from the Sun."

It is regrettable that, ignoring all this latest scientific evidence corroborating the age of the earth and man inhabiting it, our teachers and leaders still continue to persist in their old, wrong and damaging views about their ancient and glorious heritage.

The Four Vedas - The Vedas have been traditionally four from the very beginning. The whole of Sanskrit (Vedic as well as classical) literature proclaims with own voice that the Vedas are four and names them all separately. Western scholars like Bloomfield's, misled perhaps by the popular phrase 'Trayi-Vidya' hold the view that Atharva Veda was a later addition, as it was composed much later than the other three.

The Rigveda is admittedly the oldest book in the library of the world. If the Atharva Veda were a later production, how could it be included in the Rigveda which was an earlier production? The fact is that the expression 'Trayi' actually denotes Veda's subjects put forth in three different styles - Viz. Knowledge, action and devotion, offered respectively in poetry, style and song.

The Rigveda deals with theories and experiments, while the process of preparing re-agents and apparatus is recorded in the Yajurveda. Yajna is a Vedic expression for what we call experimentation. The directions, that the Mantras embody are, therefore, such as will enable us to perform scientific experiments which, when accomplished, communicate to us knowledge of the Laws of Nature. The Atharva Veda is also popularly known as Bhasajya Veda, as it mainly deals with the science of medicine. Deliberation of magic, witchcraft etc. in the Atharva Veda is misnomer-humbug.

Havan Yaj dates at Queensland Vedic Cultural Centre 198 Learoyd Road Willawong 4110.

Time: starting at 2 pm and finishing at 4pm.

May Dates:

May 3rd; May 8th; May 17th; May 25th; May 31st