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SIC Membership: 2017-18

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Hello,

SIC soon turns 2 and that means it's time for our annual membership drive. We also welcome new families that have recently moved to Spokane and invite them to join SIC and participate in enriching our small vibrant Indian community. We had a memorable first year and we were able to capitalize on that momentum to organize more, bigger, and diverse events this year. Here is a quick recap of last year's highlights:

Overview (September 2016 - August 2017)

- Enjoyed 30% growth in number of participants and attendees for the 2016 Diwali festival as compared to the previous year
- Received $350 in donations as compared to $200 in the previous year
- Hosted AGM and Pongal/ Makar Sankranti celebrations
- Supported "Meet the Neighbors" initiative and Holi celebrations in coordination with Spokane Hindu Society (SHS)
- Organized first professional performing arts event (Baul music)
- Hosted super fun Independence day picnic
- Assisted numerous special interest groups and individuals in organizing and promoting various initiatives
- Fielded numerous inquiries from new families and provided guidance
- Developed SIC website to become a vital portal for connecting new families with Indian community

SIC Membership

The membership dues will remain same as last year for 2017-18.

Individual membership dues for year 2017-18 are as follows :

Before Diwali Festival:

- Adults (18 years and above): $30
- Children (5-18 Years): $15
- Kids (<5 Years): Free

After Diwali Festival:

- Adults (18 years and above): $15
- Children (5-18 Years): $7
- Kids (<5 Years): Free

It is important that you include member name, member type (Adult/Kid) and email ID while making payments.

Payments via PayPal to spokaneindiacommunity@gmail.com **using the "family and friends"** option or Mail check to Jayesh Modha at 1[redacted]6

Diwali festival is being planned for late October- early November time-frame and we are actively working towards finalizing the date and venue. Stay tuned for details. Please help out the organizers by paying membership **dues by 9/15/17** and not waiting until the last moment.

We encourage you to share this information with folks who may have recently moved to Spokane and are not yet on SIC mailing list. Thanks.

Regards,
Hrishikesh Joshi