

SAVITRI BHAVAN

November 2018

Exhibitions

Meditations on Savitri

The series of 472 paintings created by the Mother with Huta from 1961-67 is now on display in the newly extended picture gallery

Sri Aurobindo: A life sketch in photographs

In the upper corridor

Glimpses of the Mother: photographs and texts

In the Square Hall

Films

Mondays 6:30pm

Nov. 5: ***Four Great Aspects of The Mother – Maheshwari, Mahakali, Mahalakshmi, Mahasaraswati***

In this film The Mother reads the texts from “The Mother - Chapter 6” by Sri Aurobindo. Duration: 52min.

Nov. 12: ***The Yoga of the Earth*** – extracts from the first Canto of Sri Aurobindo’s *Savitri* read by The Mother with her comments, illustrated with paintings by Huta and accompanied by Mother’s own organ music. Duration: 32min.

Nov. 19: ***The Mother – Glimpses of Her Life*** with recordings of The Mother’s and Sunil’s compositions.

Duration: 18min. Followed by ***A New Birth*** – Film by Sri Aurobindo Ashram-Delhi Branch. Duration: 23min.

Nov. 26: ***Sri Aurobindo and The Mother: A New Yoga for Earth and Man***

A video-talk by Dr.Alok Pandey in Greenville, South Carolina, USA in 2016. Duration: 58min.

Full Moon Gathering

Thursday, November 22 7.15-8.15pm in front of Sri Aurobindo’s statue

Complete SAVITRI Reading from November 14 to 18

On Wednesday, Nov.14 to Friday, Nov. 16 the reading of SAVITRI will start at 9am and continue until 12:30noon.

Then there will be a pause and will start again at 2:30pm and will close around 7:00pm.

On Saturday, Nov.17 and Sunday, Nov. 18 the reading will start at 9am, but will continue throughout the day.

If you like to participate, please inform us the day or days and time you want to read. Also you are most welcome to join for part or the whole of this SAVITRI reading or ‘parayan’ and its organization. Please write to savitri-reading-parayan@auroville.org.in

Regular Activities

Sundays 10.30–12 noon: *Savitri* Study Circle

Mondays, Tuesdays 3-4pm: *Psychic Awakening*, led by Dr.Jai Singh

Mondays 4.45-6.15pm: *Meditations with Hymns of the Rig Veda translated by Sri Aurobindo*, led by Nishtha

Tuesdays 9am-12 noon: *Introduction to Integral Yoga*, led by Ashesh Joshi

Tuesdays, Fridays, Saturdays 4-5pm: *L’Agenda de Mère*: listening to recordings with Gangalakshmi

Tuesdays 4.45-5.45pm: *Mudra-chi*, led by Anandi

Tuesdays 5-6pm: *Let us learn Savitri Together (in Tamil)*, led by Buvana

Tuesdays 5.45-7.15pm: OM Choir (*see details below*)

Wednesdays 5-6pm: *Essays on the Gita*, led by Shraddhavan

Thursdays 4-5pm: *The English of Savitri*, led by Shraddhavan

Fridays 3-4pm: *Exploring the Bhagavad Gita*, led by Dr.Jai Singh

Saturdays 5-6.30pm: *Satsang*, led by Ashesh Joshi

OM Choir

The voice that chants to the creator Fire,

The symbolled OM, the great assenting Word (Savitri p.310)

In 1961 the Mother gave the *adesh* to Narad to bring down a new music. She said that one must go far above words and bring down the pure Music. Mother told us to sit in a circle and have no preconceptions as to what we would sing but to be silent and let the music descend into us. The OM Choir aspires to bring down the New Music for the New World in a collective body. We sing only OM, the creative and effectuating Word, after starting with warming-up and voice exercises given by Narad.

Exhibitions, Main Building and Office are open Monday to Saturday 9-5

The Digital Library can be accessed on request Monday to Saturday 9-4

Everyone is welcome