## October is ...

# HINDU HERITAGE MONTH



# Be a part of the Global Celebration of our shared Cultural Heritage

Any organization or individual who believes in the Dharmic tradition of Bharat is welcome to participate

#### For more information:

Website: www.HinduMonth.Org Email: info@HinduMonth.Org

# Brief list of partner organizations...





























































# What is Hindu Heritage Month?



- Every year, October celebrated as the Hindu Heritage Month
- Any organization, group or individual, anywhere in the world, that believes in Dharmic tradition can participate

### Why?



- Promote unity
- Educate others about our rich heritage
- Discuss issues of concern

#### **How to Celebrate?**

#### • Open architecture

Each group decides how and when in October to celebrate

#### Themes

- o **Traditions**: Bindi, Tilak, Om, Swastika, Traditional Attire
- Values: Inclusiveness/Pluralism, Reverence for Knowledge, Strong Family Structure, Ahimsa (people, nature), Seva

#### Example of Events

- Festivals: Navratri, Durga Puja, Vijaya Dashmi, Deepawali etc.
- Seva: Clean parks, Blood Drive, Organ Donation Drive, Walk-A-Thans to promote Ahimsa towards Nature (Ecofriendliness)
- **Advocacy**: Seminars/Webinars on issues of concern
- Networking: Engage with political machinery, hold joint events with sister organizations

#### **How to Participate?**

- Register as partner
  - Register as partner (no cost) at <u>www.Hindumonth.Org</u>
- Register your event(s) when ready
- Hold your event(s); Hindu Heritage Month logo must be displayed during the event
- Upload event photos and videos on the website

#### What Ties it Together?

- Common website for all global partners
- Common event calendar
- Common logo for all events
- Photos and videos from all events on one site



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