

## Hindu Swayamsevak Sangh Australia (Inc)

## Australia – Canberra Chapter

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Name of Association

Dear

## RE: Celebration of Swami Vivekananda's 150th Birthday

We invite you to participate in the celebration of Swami Vivekananda's 150 birthday. The theme for the celebration is "**Hindu Unity day''.** 

Swami Vivekananda did monumental social work but his lasting influence will be owing to his uncompromising commitment to God realisation in this very life. He demonstrated, through his work, speeches, and writing, that God realisation is where all Hindus, nay all religions, unite and focusing on it will remove all which separates one from another. His message was that a single minded pursuit of God realisation is the only way to solve our worldly and other worldly problems.

Swami Vivekananda added a new method to many other methods for God realisation. His method was one of realising Narayan (God) through nar-seva (service of the people). Swami ji established the glory of Hindu Dharma and he was proud about our "Sanatan Hindu Dharma and Spiritual heritage". Swamiji said at Chennai immediately after his overseas trip that "Hindu Dharma" has all virtues to become Vishwa Dharma and next centuries will be for Vishwa Dharma. His dearest dream was to establish Bharat as "Jagadguru ".

We request you to speak on how Swami Vivekananda's ideas influence your association's aims, which may be spiritual, social, or community oriented.

A five minute talk from your association will be sufficient for the celebration. Please confirm your presence by 28 Feb 2012.

## Program details

Date: 17 March, 2012, Saturday

Venue: Hindu Temple and Cultural Centre, 81, Ratcliffe Crescent, Florey, ACT

Time: 4.00 pm to 6.00pm, followed by refreshment

If you need further information, please contact any one from the followings:

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Yours Sincerely

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