



## RAMAKRISHNA MISSION SEVASHRAMA

Swami Vivekananda Path, Bela, Muzaffarpur – 842 002, Bihar

1st January, 2025 (Wednesday)

Commemorating 140<sup>th</sup> **Kalpa Taru Utsav** 

## Dear Friends,

Wish you a happy new year! You would be glad to know that on the First day of the year, known as Kalpa Taru Day in Ramakrishna Mission tradition we are going to inaugurate newly constructed Shrine Gate and Sarada Sanskritic Manch and hold a devotees' conference. You are most cordially invited to attend the program and partake prasada with us.

Yours in the Lord

Secretary

Swami Bhavatmananda

Special Puja, Home 08.00 AM
Bhajan, Meditation 10.00 AM
Inauguration of the Shrine Gate and Sarada Sanskritik Manch 11.00 AM

In the midst of Vedic Chanting and Deep Prajjawalan

## <u>Meeting at Sarada Sanskritic Manch: 11.00 AM – 01.00 PM</u>

President of the Occasion: Prof. Ripusudan Srivastava, Former V.C., BNMU

Special Guest: Inauguration of Ramakrishna Mandir Dwar -

Swami Martrajnananda, Belur Math

Chief Guest Inauguration of Sarada Sanskritic Manch -

Sri Sarvanan M., IAS

Divisional Commissioner, Tirhut Division, Muzaffarpur

Vedic Chanting, Deep Prajjwalan, Opening Song

Presidential Address

Welcome Address Thanks Giving

Address by the Chief Guest Closing Song

Talk by the Special Guest on "Kalpa Taru Sri Ramakrishna"

Prasad Distribution

\*Sri Ramakrishna Considered 'God Realization' the ultimate aim of life. On the first day of the year 1886 at Cossipur Garden House Sri Ramakrishna felt much better after a long time of illness and came out of his room and went to the garden where Girish Chandra Ghose, the famous dramatist and some devotees gathered soon around him in awe and reverence. Hearing some eulogistic words of Girish Chandra Ghose Sri Ramakrishna stood motionless in divine ecstasy and blessed him and other devotees by touching them and exhorting them to get awakened spiritually with the following words of benediction — Tomader Chaitanya Hok (May you attain to the state of Consciousness! / Tum sabon ko Chaitanya ki prapti ho!) and each one of them got awakened and had vision of their desired deities. Sri Ramakrishna left his mortal coil on 16 August, 1886 but the first day of the year 1886 and onwards was considered as "Wish Fulfilling Day" and Sri Ramakrishna as a "Wish Fulfilling Tree (Kalpa Taru)" by devotees.