

# VAISHNAVA CALENDAR 2018-2019

## (Gourabda 531 - 532)

Month	Date	Event	Breaking Fast
<b>Mar 2018</b>	Sat 3rd	Rathayatra and Festival of Jagannath Misra	----
	Tue 13th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	<b>Sun 25th</b>	<b>Sri Rama Navami</b>	<b>Fasting till Sunset</b>
	Tue 27th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	<b>Fri 30th</b>	<b>Their Lordships' 21st Brahmotsava celebrations begin (in Bangalore) - Dhvaja Arohana</b>	
<b>Apr 2018</b>	<b>Sun 8th</b>	<b>Brahma Ratha</b>	----
	<b>Tue 10th</b>	<b>Brahmotsava celebrations end (in Bangalore)- Dhvaja Avarohana</b>	----
	Thu 12th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	Sat 14th	Beginning of Salagrama & Tulasi Jala Dana	
	Wed 18th	Akshaya Tritiya	----
	Thu 26th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	<b>Sun 29th</b>	<b>Narasimha Chaturdashi: Appearance of Lord Narasimhadeva</b>	<b>Fasting till dusk</b>
	Fri 11th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	Fri 25th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
<b>Jun 2018</b>	Sun 10th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	Sat 23rd	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	<b>Mon 25th</b>	<b>Panihati Chida Dahi Utsava</b>	
<b>Jul 2018</b>	Mon 9th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	<b>Fri 13th</b>	<b>Srila Bhaktivinoda Thakura - Disappearance</b>	<b>Fasting till noon</b>
	<b>Fri 13th</b>	<b>Founding Day (As per the Founding Document: CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF ISKCON)</b>	
	<b>Sat 14th</b>	<b>Jagannatha Puri Ratha Yatra</b>	----
	Sun 22nd	Jagannatha Puri Bahuda Ratha Yatra	----
	Mon 23rd	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	<b>Fri 27th</b>	<b>First month of Chaturmasya begins. Fasting from Shak (green leafy vegetables) for one month</b>	----
<b>Aug 2018</b>	Wed 8th	Dvadasi (Fasting for Ekadasi vrata)	Next day after Sunrise
	Sun 13th	Jaladuta's Voyage of Compassion begins (as per Jaladuta Diary )	
	<b>Wed 22nd</b>	<b>Ekadashi</b>	<b>Next day after Sunrise</b>
	<b>Sun 26th</b>	<b>Balarama Jayanthi: Appearance of Lord Balarama</b> <b>Second month of Chaturmasya begins.</b> <b>Fasting from yogurt for one month.</b>	<b>Fasting till noon</b>
<b>Sept 2018</b>	<b>Mon 3rd</b>	<b>Sri Krishna Janmashtami: Appearance of Lord Sri Krishna</b>	<b>Fasting till midnight</b>
	<b>Tue 4th</b>	<b>Nandotsava</b> <b>Sri Vyasa Puja: Appearance of Srila Prabhupada</b>	<b>Fasting till noon</b>
	Thu 6th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	<b>Sun 9th</b>	<b>Srila Prabhupada's Vyasa Puja Smaranam</b>	
	<b>Mon 17th</b>	<b>Radhashtami: Appearance of Srimati Radharani</b>	<b>Fasting till noon</b>
	Tue 19th	Jaladuta's Voyage of Compassion ends (as per Jaladuta Diary )	

	Thu 20th	Ekadashi	Fasting till noon today in addition to regular Ekadashi fasting. Next day Feast after Sunrise
	Fri 21st	Vamana Jayanthi: Appearance of Lord Vamanadeva	Fasting observed the previous day till noon
	Sat 22nd	Srila Bhaktivinoda Thakura - Appearance	Fasting till noon
	Tue 25th	Acceptance of sannyasa by Srila Prabhupada Third month of Chaturmasya begins. Fasting from milk for one month.	----
<b>Oct 2018</b>	Fri 5th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	Fri 19th	Dussehra Festival (in Mysore)	----
	Sat 20th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	Wed 24th	Fourth month of Chaturmasya begins. Fasting from Urad dal for one month. <b>KARTHIKA MONTH BEGINS</b> <b>DEEPOTSAVA BEGINS (in Bangalore)</b>	----
<b>Nov 2018</b>	Sun 4th	Dvadasi (Fasting for Ekadasi vrata)	Next day after Sunrise
	Thu 8th	Govardhana Puja, Go Puja	----
	Sun 11th	Srila Prabhupada - Disappearance	Fasting till noon
	Mon 19th	Srila Gaura Kishora Dasa Babaji - Disappearance Ekadashi	Fasting till noon today in addition to regular Ekadashi fasting. Next day Feast after Sunrise
	Thu 23rd	Chaturmasya ends. <b>KARTHIKA MONTH ENDS</b> <b>DEEPOTSAVA ENDS (in Bangalore)</b>	----
	Fri 30th	Srila Prabhupada Diksha Diwasa	
<b>Dec 2018</b>	Sun 2nd	Srila Prabhupada Book Distribution Festival Inauguration	
	Mon 3rd	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	Tue 18th	<b>Vaikuntha Ekadashi (Check)</b>	
	Wed 19th	Mahadvadasi: (Fasting for Ekadasi vrata) Gita Jayanthi	Next day after Sunrise
	Wed 26th	Srila Bhaktisiddhanta Sarasvati Thakura - Disappearance	Fasting till noon

<b>Jan 2019</b>	Wed 2nd	Dvadasi (Fasting for Ekadasi vrata)	Next day after Sunrise
	Thu 17th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	Thu 31st	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
<b>Feb 2019</b>	<b>Tue 12th</b>	<b>Sri Advaita Acharya - Appearance</b>	<b>Fasting till noon</b>
	Sat 16th	Ekadashi	Fasting till noon today in addition to regular Ekadashi fasting. Next day Feast after Sunrise
	<b>Sun 17th</b>	<b>Sri Varahadeva - Appearance</b>	<b>Fasting observed the previous day till noon</b>
	<b>Mon 18th</b>	<b>Nityananda Trayodashi: Appearance of Sri Nityananda Prabhu</b>	<b>Fasting till noon</b>
	<b>Sun 24th</b>	<b>Srila Bhaktisiddhanta Sarasvati Thakura - Appearance</b>	<b>Fasting till noon</b>
<b>Mar 2019</b>	Sat 2nd	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	Sun 17th	Ekadashi	Next day after Sunrise
	<b>Thu 21st</b>	<b>Sri Gaura Poornima: Appearance of Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu</b>	<b>Fasting till Moonrise</b>

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**Other Important Dates and Events**

Month	Date	Event
<b>Mar 2018</b>	Fri 9th	Sri Srivasa Pandita -- Appearance
	Wed 14th	Sri Govinda Ghosh -- Disappearance
	Thu 22nd	Sri Ramanujacarya -- Appearance
	Sat 31st	Sri Vamsivadana Thakura -- Appearance Sri Syamananda Prabhu -- Appearance
<b>Apr 2018</b>	Sat 7th	Sri Abhirama Thakura -- Disappearance
	Tue 10th	Srila Vrndavana Dasa Thakura -- Disappearance
	Mon 16th	Sri Gadadhara Pandita -- Appearance
	Tue 24th	Srimati Sita Devi (consort of Lord Sri Rama) -- Appearance Sri Madhu Pandita -- Disappearance Srimati Jahnava Devi -- Appearance
	Sat 28th	Sri Jayananda Prabhu -- Disappearance
	Mon 30th	Sri Paramesvari Dasa Thakura -- Disappearance Sri Sri Radha-Ramana Devaji -- Appearance Sri Madhavendra Puri -- Appearance Sri Srinivasa Acarya -- Appearance
<b>May 2018</b>	Sat 5th	Sri Ramananda Raya -- Disappearance
	Sat 12th	Srila Vrndavana Dasa Thakura -- Appearance
	Fri 22nd	Sri Baladeva Vidyabhusana -- Disappearance Ganga Puja Srimati Gangamata Gosvami -- Appearance
<b>Jun 2018</b>	Thu 28th	Sri Mukunda Datta -- Disappearance Sri Sridhara Pandita -- Disappearance
	Fri 29th	Sri Syamananda Prabhu -- Disappearance
<b>Jul 2018</b>	Tue 3rd	Sri Vakresvara Pandita -- Appearance
	Sun 8th	Sri Srivasa Pandita -- Disappearance
	Fri 13th	Sri Gadadhara Pandita -- Disappearance
	Sat 14th	Sri Svarupa Damodara Gosvami -- Disappearance Sri Sivananda Sena -- Disappearance
	Wed 18th	Hera Pancami (4 days after Ratha Yatra) Sri Vakresvara Pandita -- Disappearance
	Fri 27th	Guru (Vyasa) Purnima Srila Sanatana Gosvami -- Disappearance
<b>Aug 2018</b>	Thu 2nd	Srila Gopala Bhatta Gosvami -- Disappearance
	Sun 5th	Srila Lokanatha Gosvami -- Disappearance
	Tue 14th	Sri Raghunandana Thakura -- Disappearance Sri Vamsidasa Babaji -- Disappearance

	Thu 23rd	Srila Rupa Gosvami -- Disappearance Sri Gauridasa Pandita -- Disappearance
<b>Sep 2018</b>	Tue 4th	Nandotsava
	Fri 14th	Srimati Sita Thakurani (Sri Advaita's consort) -- Appearance
	Fri 21st	Srila Jiva Gosvami -- Appearance
	Sun 23rd	Srila Haridasa Thakura -- Disappearance
<b>Oct 2018</b>	Fri 19th	Sri Madhvacarya -- Appearance
	Sun 21st	Srila Raghunatha Dasa Gosvami -- Disappearance Srila Raghunatha Bhatta Gosvami -- Disappearance Srila Krsnadasa Kaviraja Gosvami -- Disappearance
	Wed 24th	Sri Murari Gupta -- Disappearance
	Mon 29th	Srila Narottama Dasa Thakura -- Disappearance
<b>Nov 2018</b>	Thu 1st	Appearance of Radha Kunda, snana dana Bahulastami
	Fri 2nd	Sri Virabhadra -- Appearance
	Thu 8th	Sri Rasikananda -- Appearance
	Fri 9th	Sri Vasudeva Ghosh -- Disappearance
	Fri 16th	Gopastami, Gosthastami Sri Gadadhara Dasa Gosvami -- Disappearance Sri Dhananjaya Pandita -- Disappearance Sri Srinivasa Acarya -- Disappearance
	Thu 22nd	Sri Bhugarbha Gosvami -- Disappearance Sri Kasisvara Pandita -- Disappearance
	Fri 23rd	Sri Krsna Rasayatra Tulasi-Saligrama Vivaha (marriage) Sri Nimbarkacarya -- Appearance
<b>Dec 2018</b>	Mon 3rd	Sri Narahari Sarakara Thakura -- Disappearance
	Tue 4th	Sri Kaliya Krsnadasa -- Disappearance
	Wed 5th	Sri Saranga Thakura -- Disappearance
	Thu 13th	Odana sasthi
	Wed 19th	Advent of Srimad Bhagavad-gita

<b>Jan 2019</b>	Tue 1st	Sri Devananda Pandita -- Disappearance
	Thu 3rd	Sri Mahesa Pandita -- Disappearance Sri Uddharana Datta Thakura -- Disappearance
	Mon 7th	Sri Locana Dasa Thakura -- Appearance
	Wed 9th	Srila Jiva Gosvami -- Disappearance Sri Jagadisa Pandita -- Disappearance
	Fri 18th	Sri Jagadisa Pandita -- Appearance
	Fri 25th	Sri Ramacandra Kaviraja -- Disappearance Srila Gopala Bhatta Gosvami -- Appearance
	Sat 26th	Sri Jayadeva Gosvami -- Disappearance
	Sun 27th	Sri Locana Dasa Thakura -- Disappearance
<b>Feb 2019</b>	Sun 10th	Srimati Visnupriya Devi -- Appearance Sarasvati Puja Srila Visvanatha Cakravarti Thakura -- Disappearance Sri Pundarika Vidyanidhi -- Appearance Sri Raghunandana Thakura -- Appearance Srila Raghunatha Dasa Gosvami -- Appearance
	Thu 14th	Sri Madhvacarya -- Disappearance
	Fri 15th	Sri Ramanujacarya -- Disappearance
	Tue 19th	Sri Krsna Madhura Utsava Srila Narottama Dasa Thakura -- Appearance
	Sun 24th	Sri Purusottama Das Thakura -- Disappearance
<b>Mar 2019</b>	Sun 3rd	Sri Isvara Puri -- Disappearance
	Thu 7th	Srila Jagannatha Dasa Babaji -- Disappearance Sri Rasikananda -- Disappearance
	Sun 10th	Sri Purusottama Dasa Thakura -- Appearance
	Mon 18th	Sri Madhavendra Puri -- Disappearance
	Fri 9th	Sri Srivasa Pandita -- Appearance