

April 2025 Newsletter

Perth Meditation Group Ltd

"Addressing his remark to a group of disciples, the Master said, "I know that if I had nothing, in you all I have friends who would do everything for me. And you know that I would do the same for you. We are looking at God in each other. That is the most beautiful relationship."

- Paramahansa Yogananda

Devotees are reminded to please arrive on time for services, do not enter the Temple during prayers or readings and please minimize noise and movement so as not to disturb others. If you are unwell, please meditate at home.

Special Events in April

Sun 6th Apr from 8:00 – 11:00 am

Three-hour meditation service with chanting on the hour.

Tue 8th Apr

Social after the service. Please bring vegetarian finger food and/or drink to share.

Sat 12th Apr from 9:00am-noon

Major Busy Bee for Temple cleaning and gardening. Please bring vegetarian food and/or a drink to share for a share lunch.

Fri 18th Good Friday 3hr Meditation Service from Noon-3:00pm Evening Meditation Cancelled

Sun 27th Apr from 8:00 – 11:00am

Meditation and Screening Service. Arrival times for meditation are 8am, 9am and between 9:20-9:30am for the screening. *Please invite a friend and bring vegetarian food and/or drink to share after the service.*

News from Mother Centre

World Convocation - **22nd – 28th June**
Registration for this year's Convocation is now [open](#). Learn more and [register](#).

Paramahansa Yogananda on the wish to give us "[A Glimpse of God](#)".

The Value of [Group Meditation](#).

Disciples Reminisce about Paramahansa Yogananda. Click on their photo to [read more](#).

This month's guided meditation:
Anchoring Yourself in [Calmness](#).

Group News

2025 Convocation – We will be running a daily program of Convocation at the Temple this year from Mon 23rd to Sat 28th June. Volunteers are needed to operate the AV and to open and close the Temple between 10am and 1.30pm each day. There will be a shared lunch on Saturday 28th June so please bring vegetarian food and/or a drink. A program will become available closer to the time. We also remind you that, in preparation for Convocation, the movie "Awake" will be screened at the Temple on Sunday May 25th from 9.30am. All are welcome.

Retreat Coordinator – The CC is pleased to announce that Jay Ram has volunteered to be our Retreat Coordinator. We offer him our support and encouragement in this endeavour and look forward to joining him on retreat in Shoalwater from 10-12 Oct.

Major Busy Bee – Our next garden and Temple cleaning major busy bee will be held on 12th April from 9am-noon. This is a great opportunity to meet fellow devotees, have some fun and enjoy a yummy lunch. Please bring vegetarian food or a drink to share. Please note that Temple cleaning on Tuesday 1 April and Sunday 20 April is cancelled.

Coordinating Committee News

We are grateful for a very generous donation of commercial cleaning of our bathrooms every 3 months.

The CC wishes everyone a safe and blessed Easter holiday. We look forward to seeing you at our special services.

NEXT MONTH

Sun 4th May – 3hr Meditation Service 8-11am

Tue 6th May – Chapel and courtyard cleaning before Service from 5:45pm

Sat 10th May – Sri Yukteswar Birthday Commemoration 7-9pm

Sun 18th May – Chapel and courtyard cleaning after Service from 11am

Sun 25th May – Screening "Awake" 9.30-11am