



Vana Calendar

JANUARY 2018
SHISHIRA

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1 <i>New Year Day</i>	2 ●	3	4 <i>Vana Day</i>	5 <i>Guru Gobind Singh</i>	6	7
8	9	10	11	12 <i>Medicine Buddha Puja</i>	13 <i>Lohri / Shiv Kumar Sharma</i>	14 <i>Children's Day</i>
15	16 ☾	17	18	19	20	21
22 <i>Vasant Ranchami</i>	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31 ●				

FEBRUARY 2018
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MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11 <i>Children's Day</i>
12	13 <i>Dhamwantari puja</i>	14 <i>Maha Shivratri</i>	15 ☾	16 <i>Losar / Chinese New Year</i>	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28				

MARCH 2018
VASANTA

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
			1 ● <i>Holika Dahan</i>	2 <i>Holi</i>	3	4
5	6	7 <i>Anniversary of Jamyang Khyentse Wangpo</i>	8	9 <i>Zakir Hussain</i>	10	11 <i>Children's Day</i>
12	13 <i>Medicine Buddha Puja</i>	14	15	16 <i>Private Teachings by Dzongsar Jamyang Khyentse Rinpoche</i>	17 ☾	18
19	20 ●	21 <i>Bismillah Khan</i>	22 <i>Urs of Khwaja Gharib Nawaz Moinuddin Chisty</i>	23	24	25 <i>Ram Navami</i>
26	27	28	29 <i>Lord Mahavir</i>	30	31 ●	

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APRIL 2018
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						1
2	3	4 <i>Anniversary of Chogyam Trungpa Rinpoche</i>	5	6	7 <i>Ravi Shanker</i>	8 <i>Kumar Gandharva / Children's Day</i>
9	10 <i>Kishori Amonkar</i>	11	12 <i>Narayan puja</i>	13	14 <i>Baisakhi</i>	15
16 ☾	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 <i>Dhanwantari Puja</i>	24	25	26	27	28	29 <i>Allarakha Kha</i>
30 <i>Buddha Purnima</i>						

MAY 2018
GRISHMA

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
	1 <i>Short Retreat with Dzongsar Jamyang Khyentse Rinpoche</i>	2 <i>Urs of Hazrat Lal Shahbaz Qalandar</i>	3	4	5	6
7 <i>Rabindranath Tagore</i>	8	9	10 <i>Phra Paisal Visalo</i>	11 <i>Medicine Baddha Puja</i>	12	13 <i>Children's Day</i>
14	15 ☾	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 ●	23	24	25	26	27
28	29 <i>Saga Dawa</i>	30	31			

JUNE 2018
GRISHMA

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10 <i>Short Retreat with June Crow - Kris Yao - Paravi Wongchirachai</i>
11	12	13 ☾	14	15	16	17 <i>Children's Day</i>
18 <i>Dzongsar Jamyang Khyentse Rinpoche</i>	19 <i>Short Retreat with Phra Paisal Visalo Anniversary of Dzongsar Khyentse Chokyi Lodro</i>	20	21 <i>Dhanwantari puja</i>	22	23	24
25	26	27 ●	28 ☉	29	30	
		<i>Sant Kabir</i>				

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JULY 2018
VARSHA

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
						1 <i>Short Retreat with June Crow Urs of Hazrat Amir Khusro / Hariprasad Chaurasiya</i>
2 <i>Short Retreat with June Crow</i>	3	4	5	6 <i>His Holiness The 14th Dalai Lama</i>	7	8 <i>Children's Day</i>
9 <i>Medicine Buddha puja</i>	10	11	12 <i>Urs of Baba Bulleh Shah</i>	13 ☾	14 <i>Chokhor Duchon</i>	15
16 <i>Chokhor Duchon</i>	17	18	19	20	21	22 <i>Anniversary of Guru Padmasambhava</i>
23	24	25	26	27 <i>Guru Purnima</i>	28	29
30	31					

AUGUST 2018
VARSHA

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11 ☾	12 <i>Children's Day</i>
13	14	15	16	17	18 <i>Dhanwantari puja</i>	19
20	21	22 <i>'Vajrakilaya grand puja begins *</i>	23	24 <i>Onam</i>	25	26 ● <i>Raksha Bandhan</i>
27	28	29	30	31		

SEPTEMBER 2018
SHARAD

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
					1 <i>Vajrakilaya grand puja ends *</i>	2 <i>Janmashtami</i>
3	4	5	6 <i>Medicine Buddha puja</i>	7 <i>His Holiness The 41st Sakya Trizin</i>	8	9 ☾ <i>Children's Day</i>
10	11	12	13 <i>Ganesh Chaturthi</i>	14	15 <i>Anniversary of Hazrat Baba Farid</i>	16
17 <i>Vishwakarma puja</i>	18	19 <i>Ganesh Visarjan</i>	20	21	22	23 ●
24 ● <i>Moon Festival</i>	25	26	27	28	29	30 <i>Anniversary of Dilgo Khyentse Rinpoche</i>

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OCTOBER 2018 SHARAD

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1	2 <i>Mahatma Gandhi</i>	3	4	5 <i>Dhanwantari puja</i>	6	7
8	9 <i>Amjad Ali Khan</i>	10 <i>Maha Navratri Begins</i>	11	12	13 <i>Nusrat Fateh Ali Khan</i>	14 <i>Children's Day</i>
15	16	17	18 <i>Maha Navratri Ends</i>	19 <i>Dussehra</i>	20	21
22	23	24 ●	25	26	27	28
29	30 <i>Lhabab Duchon</i>	31				

NOVEMBER 2018 HEMANTA

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
			1	2	3	4
5 <i>Dhanteras</i>	6 <i>Choti Diwali</i>	7 <i>Diwali</i>	8	9	10	11
12	13	14 <i>Children's Day</i>	15 <i>Medicine Buddha puja</i>	16	17	18 <i>Siddhartha Festival</i>
19 <i>His Holiness The 42nd Sakya Trizin</i>	20	21 <i>Urs of Mubarak of Khawaja Qutub-ud-deen Bakhtiyar Kaaki</i>	22	23 ● <i>Guru Nanak Dev</i>	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

DECEMBER 2018 HEMANTA

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
					1	2
3 <i>Dhanwantari puja</i>	4	5	6	7 ☾	8	9 <i>Children's Day</i>
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22 ●	23 ●
24 <i>Christmas Eve</i>	25 <i>Christmas / Jigme Khyentse Rinpoche / Anniversary of Dudjom Rinpoche</i>	26	27	28	29	30 <i>Anniversary of Chatal Sangye Dorje Rinpoche</i>
31 <i>New Year's Eve</i>						

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