151ST INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

A New Dawn: Awakening to Harmony in a Changing World

Wednesday, 30 December 2026

8.30 AM — General Council of the TS · Library, Conference Hall
(For members of the General Council only)

3.00 PM — Order of the Round Table · Headquarters Hall

"Bread and Salt Ceremony"

Delegates can watch the Ceremony and are requested to be seated by 2.45 PM

4.00 PM — Council of Order of the Round Table · Headquarters Hall

5.00 PM — Inauguration of the Indian Canteen · Bhojanasala

Thursday, 31 December 2026

6.00 AM — Bharata Samaj Puja · Bharata Samaj Temple

8.30 AM — Ceremony · Adyar Theatre

Opening of the 151st International Convention

Lighting the Lamp, Prayers of the Religions, Universal Prayer, Greetings
Invocation and opening by the International President. Group photo

9.30 AM — Talk Report · Adyar Theatre

Presidential Address

Report of the Theosophical Society worldwide for 2025-26

Tim Boyd, International President, TS Adyar

11.00 AM — Inauguration of Exhibitions · Headquarters building

"A Journey into Theosophical History through Modern Indian Art, Clairvoyant Paintings and Carlo Adolfo Schlatter"

Blavatsky Museum of Arts

"Donna Willard-Moore: Adyar Paintings"

Art Conservation Laboratory

11.40 AM — Opening of the Stalls · Near Enquiry Office

OES and BMAD Stalls

Olcott Education Society, Besant Memorial Animal Dispensary

2.00 PM — Inauguration of Exhibitions · Adyar Theatre

"Gems of Theosophical History" Rarely Seen Treasures from the Lives of the First Three Presidents

Adyar Library and Surendra Narayan Archives

3.00 PM Reception · Near Admin building

Reception

Snacks, tea, coffee. Performances by Olcott School children

5.00 PM Besant Lecture · Adyar Theatre

"The Architecture of Harmony: From Inner Awakening to Collective Change"

Hasina Kharbhih, Aspen Fellow /Ashoka Fellow/ Fullbright Scholar

7.45 PM Ceremony · Headquarters Hall

Ritual of the Mystic Star

Delegates can watch the Ceremony and are requested to be seated by 7.35 PM

Friday, 1 January 2027

6.00 AM Bharata Samaj Puja · Bharata Samaj Temple
6.00 AM Yoga, K. S. Prem Kumar · Blavatsky Bungalow, down
6.00 AM Morning Meditation with walk · Guided
6.30 AM Prime, Pedro Oliveira · Liberal Catholic Church

8.30 AM Lecture · Adyar Theatre

"11 Years of changes at the Adyar Campus 2015-2025"

Discussion after talk with Tim Boyd

Michiel Haas, Em.Prof., Dr, Sir, TS Netherlands

10.00 AM Indian Section Convention — I · Adyar Theatre

"Inaugural Address"

Tim Boyd, International President

"State of The Indian Section Address"

Pradeep Gohil, National President, TS India

"Treasurer's Report"

V. Narayanan, Treasurer, TS India

1.30 PM Cultural Performances · Adjacent Main Gate

Visit to Social Welfare Centre (SWC)

Cultural Activities by SWC and VTC (Vocational Training Centre)

1.00 PM TOS India Executive Committee Meeting · Headquarters Hall
(For TOS India Executive members only)

1.30 – 3 PM Exhibitions are open

3.00 PM World Federation of Young Theosophists (WFYT) · Adyar Theatre

"Co-Creating the New Dawn: Humanity's Role in Planetary Healing"
Smitapragyan Patro, TS India

"Harmony Without Sameness"
Kiran Apsunde, TS Ireland

"Only Questions"
Iris Schep, TS The Netherlands

"Harmonizing with Reality: A Flight of Two Wings"
Ximena Flores Ramos, TS Guatemala/Russia

5.00 PM Public Lecture · Adyar Theatre

"Awakening to Theosophy as Divine Wisdom"
Pedro Oliveira, TS Australia

7.45 PM Bharatanatyam Dance · Adyar Theatre

"Prabhāta (प्रभात)" (Dawn)
Bhavajan Kumar, Bharatanatyam Artiste

Saturday, 2 January 2027

6.00 AM Bharata Samaj Puja · Bharata Samaj Temple
6.00 AM Yoga, K. S. Prem Kumar · Blavatsky Bungalow, down
6.00 AM Morning Meditation with walk · Guided
6.30 AM Prime, Pedro Oliveira · Liberal Catholic Church

8.30 AM Ceremony · Bharata Samaj Temple

Devotional Meeting
Showcase Bharat Samaj puja kit
Chandrika Mehta, TS India

10.00 AM Theosophical Order of Service (TOS) · Adyar Theatre

"Nature's Sacred Trust: Bridging the Animal and Devic Kingdoms Through Healing Meditation"
Rozi Ulich, Vice-President of TS America

"Biodiversity Leads to Stability of Nature"
Sivaprasad Kothakota, National Director, TOS India

"Nature's Harmony - A World at Peace"
Nancy Secrest, TOS International Secretary, TS Adyar

11.00 AM Group Discussion on TOS topics · Adyar Theatre
Discussions based on the morning talks

1.30 PM Cultural Performances · Besant Gardens

Visit to Olcott Memorial Higher Secondary School

Cultural Activities by Students of OMHSS

1:00 PM TOS India Annual General Body Meeting · Headquarters Hall

1.30 PM Bharata Samaj Association, General Body meeting · Bharata Samaj Temple

1.30 – 3 PM Exhibitions are open

3.00 PM WORKSHOPS – Choose one that interests you

(1) Unwind: An Immersion in Sound and Resonance

Venue: Blavatsky Bungalow Down

Sunithi Ramesh, Sound Therapist, India

(2) Chanting workshop: Learn a Mantra to chant

Venue: Headquarters Hall

Jaishree Kannan, TS India

(3) Archival and Library Research Tools for Theosophists

Venue: Adyar Library, Conference Hall

Alex Audziayuk, Archivist and Rare Books Curator, TS America

5.00 PM Public Lecture · Adyar Theatre

"Beyond the Algorithmic Noise: Awakening to Inner Harmony in a Changing World."

Charlton Jules "Chally" Romero, General Secretary, TS Philippines

7.45 PM Film on H. P. Blavatsky · Adyar Theatre

"Prophecy: The Madame Blavatsky Legend"

Ignacio Oliva, Director of the Film, TS Spain

Sunday, 3 January 2027

6.00 AM Bharata Samaj Puja · Bharata Samaj Temple

6.00 AM Yoga, K. S. Prem Kumar · Blavatsky Bungalow, down

6.00 AM Morning Meditation with walk · Guided

6.30 AM Prime, Pedro Oliveira · Liberal Catholic Church

8.30 AM Symposium "Awakening to Harmony" · Adyar Theatre

"Honoring the Selfless Self"

Vimal Balachander, TS India

"Chaos or Cosmic Design? Finding Harmony Amid Global Upheaval"

Vinay Patri, Madras Theosophical Federation

"Rooted Within, Connected Beyond"

Catalina Isaza-Cantor, International Lecturer, Secretary of the School of the Wisdom

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10.00 AM Indian Section Convention — II · Adyar Theatre
"Awakening to Oneness-A New Vision for Humanity"

"From Separation to Brotherhood"
Brother Kalla Venkata Kishore Teja

"The Role of Meditation and Self-Knowledge in Awakening the Oneness of Life"
Sister Kailasba C. Rathod

"The Future Evolution of Human Consciousness"
Brother Niraj Kumar

"The Unity of All Life: The Theosophical Perspective"
Sister Deepika Choudhary

"Building a Culture of Peace Through Awareness of Oneness"
Brother Nandkumar Narayanrao Raut

1.30 PM Art Exhibition · Adyar Library building

Guided Tour of the joint Library and Archives Exhibition
Alex Audziayuk, Assistant Archivist and Rare Books Curator, TS America

1.30 PM Nature · Besant Gardens

Visit to Blue Green Centre at the Olcott School area

1.30 PM Indian Section Executive Committee Meeting · Library Conference Hall
(For members of the EC only)

1.30 – 3 PM Exhibitions are open

3.00 PM Theosophy and Art · Adyar Theatre

"From Art History to Adyar: A Conversation with Donna Willard-Moore"
Donna Willard Moore, TS New Zealand, Resident Artist at Adyar
Chair: Elif Kamisli, Exhibition Maker, TS Turkey

5.00 PM Theosophy-Science Lecture · Adyar Theatre

"Bio-Happiness — Our Future on This Planet"
Soumya Swaminathan, WHO's Deputy Director-General, Chief Scientist

7.45 PM Film · Adyar Theatre

"The Odyssey of a Soul"
Film by Vinay Kumar Patri and Dr. P.L.N. Prasad, TS India

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Monday, 4 January 2027

6.00 AM Bharata Samaj Puja · Bharata Samaj Temple

6.00 AM Yoga, K. S. Prem Kumar · Blavatsky Bungalow, down

6.00 AM Morning Meditation with walk · Guided

6.30 AM Prime, Pedro Oliveira · Liberal Catholic Church

8.30 AM Short Talks · Adyar Theatre

"A New Dawn – Awake and Observe"

Marja Artamaa, International Secretary, TS Adyar

"Look. Listen. Feel. Intuit."

Shikhar Agnihotri, International Vice-President, TS Adyar

10.00 AM Conversation · Adyar Theatre

Questions and Answers

Chair: Tim Boyd, International President, TS Adyar

11.15 AM Guided Meditation · Adyar Theatre

Global Meditation

Catalina Isaza-Cantor and Shikhar Agnihotri, Residents at Adyar

1.30 PM Cultural Performances · Besant Gardens

Visit to Adyar Theosophical Academy (ATA

'WONDERSCAPE' - Showcasing student-led explorations

1.30 – 3 PM Exhibitions are open

3.00 PM Ceremony · Headquarters Hall

Admission of New Members

Tim Boyd, International President, TS Adyar

5.00 PM Towards Closing · Adyar Theatre

Vote of Thanks

Shikhar Agnihotri, IVP, Convention Officer

5.30 PM President's Lecture · Adyar Theatre

"Topic"

Tim Boyd, International President, TS Adyar

Program Ends

Tuesday, 5 January 2027

6.00 AM Bharata Samaj Puja · Bharata Samaj Temple

6.30 AM Breakfast

12 Noon Lunch included in the package

EXHIBITIONS

Blavatsky Museum of Arts
Venue: Headquarter building

"A Journey into Theosophical History through Modern Indian Art, Clairvoyant Paintings and Carlo Adolfo Schlatter"

Museum collection and new restorations

Art Exhibition at the Art Conservation Laboratory
Venue: Headquarter building

"Donna Willard-Moore: Adyar Paintings"

Donna Willard Moore
New Zealand, Resident Artist at Adyar

Adyar Library and Surendra Narayan Archives
Venue: Library building

"GEMS OF THEOSOPHICAL HISTORY"

Rarely Seen Treasures from the Lives of the First Three Presidents

MORNING WAKE-UPS

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VISITS

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2 January

1.30 PM Cultural Performances · Besant Gardens

Visit to Olcott Memorial Higher Secondary School

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3 January

1.30 PM Nature · Besant Gardens

Visit to Blue Green Centre at the Olcott School area

4 January

1.30 PM Cultural Performances · Besant Gardens

Visit to Adyar Theosophical Academy (ATA

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