

## Cultural Program

### **Emcee** – Rupa Chakraborty

Rupa Chakraborty is a mother of two kids, as well as the loving wife of Avijit Chakraborty. She graduated from Calcutta University with a Master's Degree in English Literature. Known as "Gouri", she lives in the 4s Ranch Community. She loves to read books, listen to classical music and also enjoys going for walks on the beach with her family. She also has fun taking part in plays, due to her intriguing ability to assume the role of another. Because of her fun-loving character, she loves to work around and with young children. And of course, she will be your EMCEE for tonight.

**Trivia Contest:** Hosted by Nandan Das; **Team 1** (Ritwick Patnaik, Shraman Ray Chaudhuri, Proma Dewanjee); **Team 2** (Sarah Bhattacharjee, Robi Chandra Bhattacharjee, Neil Chandra Bhattacharjee); **Team 3** (Sumana Mahata, Anita Dev, Ritobrita Mishra); **Team 4** (Sayan Chatterjee, Aurpon Gupta, Charulata Sinha); **Team 5** (Ritwik Bandyopadhyay, Promit Dey, Sayan Ray Chaudhuri).

**Talent Show:** Dhruv Sengupta (keyboard), Ahana Chakraborty (flute), Sayan Chatterjee (piano), Mayukh Raha (piano), Sattwik Chakraborty (piano), Sayan Ray Chaudhuri (piano), Angan Samaddar (recitation), Ritam Mishra (recitation), Tisha Choudhury (magic show), Rohit De (song), Anushree Chaudhuri (song), Aritra Bhattacharjee (song), Soham Ganguly (song), Srijan Chakraborty (song), Ritobrita Mishra (dance).

**Saraswati Bandana:** Directed by Jayati Marshall. Participants are Anita Dev (vocal), Sumana Mahata (vocal & harmonium), Anand Marshall (vocal & harmonium), Charulata Sinha (vocal), Nikhil Srikumar (Tabla).

**Children's folk dance:** Directed by Swapna Deb Roy. Participants are Karina Piu, Oishi Bhattacharya, Rini Khatuya, Adrita Chakraborty, Anjali Bose, Dayita Ray, Prisha Maiti, Prisha Mitra, Raika Ghosh, Arshia Deb Roy, Arshiya Sen, Shreyasmi Dolui, Mishti Sengupta, Risha Guha.

**Bengali Play:** Aatmohotyaa Upokaarita – a play by Jyotishman Chattopadhyay; directed by Amarnath Gupta.

*Satyajit* – detective, partner of Probe Detective Agency – Ranjan Raha  
*Banalata* – detective – Sumana Chakraborty  
*Parasar* – agent – Amarnath Gupta  
*Madan* – servant, assistant for Probe Detective Agency – Sourav Kundu  
*Prajnaparamita* – poet, Satyajit's girlfriend – Soma Mishra  
*Umesh* – police sergeant – Bhaskar Chowdhury  
*Abani* – local councilor – Purnendu Chakraborty  
*Kanai* – onion merchant – Banikumar Maiti

Aatmohotyaa Upokaarita, or the benefits of suicide, is a spoof on Bengali Crime Thriller Literature. Satyajit and Banalata are friends and partners of the Probe Detective Agency. Unfortunately, the agency is now a failing business because it has not received a single case in the past six months. Desperate and deeply frustrated, Satyajit decides to commit suicide. Banalata, his friend and partner of ten years, is frustrated too, but can't support Satyajit's decision to commit suicide. They recruit Parasar, a solve-it-all agent, to suggest ways to recover but all attempts fail and Parasar undertakes to arrange Satyajit's suicide. Will Satyajit take his own life? Can the agency be saved?

## Saraswati Puja

Jan 28, 2012



Silver Jubilee

# Welcome

**Beginning balance as on**

**01-31-2011                      \$23,828.13**

Event	Revenue	Expense
Saraswati Pujo	\$13,205.00	\$7,183.22
Picnic	\$1,692.06	\$1,442.62
Krishti	\$2,061.19	\$7,445.47
Durga Pujo	\$19,417.59	\$22,301.45
Qualcomm matching	\$3,100.00	
Motorola matching	\$300.00	
Interest	\$16.01	
Ronald McDonald House		\$281.00
SHIELD		\$264.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$39,791.85</b>	<b>\$38,917.76</b>
Net Gain in 2011	\$874.09	

Anuradha Mitra Donation    \$5,776.60

Amount donated                \$2,000.00

**Balance                            \$3,776.60**

Checking                         \$10,125.90

Savings                            \$8,535.92

Surplus Fund                    \$6,700.00

Emergency Fund                \$3,117.00

**Ending balance as on**

**12-31-2011                      \$28,478.82**



## Morning

09:00-11:30 AM                Pujo  
11:30-12:00 PM                Anjali

## Afternoon

12:00-12:30 PM                Hathey Khori  
12:30-02:00 PM                Lunch  
04:00-05:00 PM                Sandhya Arati  
04:30-05:30 PM                Snacks

## Evening

05:30-05:35 PM                Welcome by MC  
05:35-06:20 PM                Trivia Contest  
06:20-07:10 PM                Talent Show  
07:10-07:30 PM                Saraswati Bandana  
07:30-07:40 PM                EC Communication  
07:45-08:15 PM                Folk Dance  
08:15-09:00 PM                Dinner  
09:00-10:10 PM                Bengali Play  
10:10-10:30 PM                Clean-up