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Sri Aurobindo Ashram – Madhuban

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QGEA1e5pAWY>

*A Study Camp in the Himalayan Centre of
at Madhuban
Talla Ramgarh, Uttarakhand*

धर्म का मार्ग ; मनु या आधुनिकता ***Dharma Today: Manu or Modernity***

By

Prof: BHARAT GUPT

April 28th till 4th May, 2012, MEDIUM : HINDI

A seven-day discourse is offered to investigate all the issues that arise in our lives today in making dharmic choices

The lectures-interactions will provide a detailed exposition of all the principles of MANUSMRITI in its twelve chapters and their contrast with the modern values shall be discussed while also making comments on the strength and limitations of both the systems.

It is customary nowadays to say that the Indian Constitution is the Modern Smriti. Limitations and validity of such claim shall be examined in terms of modern moral and legal codes.

Session timing: 9am-12pm and 4pm-6pm.

Inaugural session on first day, APRIL 28 will be at 4-6 pm
Course will end on 4th MAY at 10 am.

Lecture Hall



THE CAMP SITE:

Sri Aurobindo Ashram – Talla Ramgarh



1. Madhuban is situated at a height of 5000 ft above a picturesque village in the Kumaon range of the Himalayas. Madhuban is the place where the beekeeping association of India took birth more than 50 years ago. The property was offered to the Ashram by a devotee in 2003 and is still in the process of being developed. The entire valley of Talla Ramgarh is a basin of fruit orchards and can best be enjoyed during the fruit season in July and August, which happens also to be the rainy season. Madhuban campsite is situated on a fruit orchard of about 30 acres and is one of the extensions of Sri Aurobindo Ashram – Delhi Branch.

For a video clip see/; <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QGEA1e5pAWY>

Also see :

<https://www.slideshare.net/AjayKhanduri/sri-aurobindo-ashram-talla-ramgarh>

2. **LODGING:** fifteen double and four single rooms with bath and toilet attached, are available with complete bedding. We also have three 6-bedded dormitories in case of pressure on the camps. The seats will be allotted on a **First come, first served** basis, and people applying late will have to take dormitory accommodation.
3. **Only shared accommodation is available.**

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ROOMS

4. **People with high blood pressure and other diseases, who have problems with high altitude and / or living at the first and second floors, and also those needing special facilities, food or care, should not apply.** Any medical expenses will have to be borne by the participants themselves. There are hardly any medical facilities at the TallaRamgarh village.
5. **Please note:** Smoking and consumption of *gutka* are not permitted on the Ashram campus. Use of alcoholic drinks and drugs is **STRICTLY** forbidden during the entire period of the camp.

To REGISTER all applicants shall contact and seek the permission of Prof Bharat Gupt at bharatgupt10@gmail.com or at 9810077914 by whatsapp. Please enclose a short biodata.

After a written permission on email to you from Prof Gupt, it is also necessary to pay in advance the boarding lodging contribution of Rs Eight Thousand only (Rs 8000/-; per participant) for 7 days directly to SRI AUROBINDO ASHRAM – DELHI BRANCH with the donor's name, address and pan number (mandatory). A Form is given below.

CAMPACTIVITIES:

- * Daily Meditation and Yoga, Pranayam and 'keep-fit' sessions.
- * Walks and treks through magnificent mountain forests and enchanting scenic splendor.

For all bookings and information, please contact the camp organizer of the particular camp only.

IF STAY AT DELHI IF NEEDED IN TRANSIT: Participants will themselves bear their expenses for stay in Delhi. Arrangements can be made at Sri Aurobindo Ashram - Delhi Branch ONLY THROUGH THE WEBSITE: www.sriaurobindoashram.net/visitors

IMPORTANT (Please note carefully):

*** Please apply only if you are looking for a serious study and spiritual retreat.**

* Book IMMEDIATELY to avoid disappointment due to heavy rush and limited seats.

HOW TO APPLY

Email or WhatsApp for permission to Prof Gupt, and after his written email consent please fill in the form below and attach your donation and forward to the Camp convenor at Sri Aurobindo Ashram – Delhi Branch, Sri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi, 110016. Please mention the Madhuban **Camp of Prof Bharat GUPT** when you send your donation with details. On acceptance we shall send further details, and kit list. You are requested **not to start your journey without** receiving a **proper acceptance letter** from us.

MAKE YOUR TRAIN OR BUS BOOKINGS IN ADVANCE.

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SRI AUROBINDO ASHRAM DELHI BRANCH TRUST

BANK ACCOUNTS DETAILS FOR MONEY TRANSFER IN **INDIA**

Sri Aurobindo Ashram Delhi Branch Trust SB-Account No. 90030110002667

Sri Aurobindo Marg , New Delhi – 110016

Email: contact@aurobindoonline.in

PAN NO. AAATS4031K

Name of Bank

UCO Bank

Branch Code – 9003

Sri Aurobindo Ashram Extension Counter

IFS Code – UCBA0009003

Sri Aurobindo Marg,

MICR Code – 110028999

New Delhi-110016

IMPORTANT NOTE

HOW TO REACH SRI AUROBINDO ASHRAM, MADHUBAN TALLA RAMGARH, DIST-NAINITAL, UTTARAKHAND

Contact numbers: Madhuban: 05942-281215, Subhash: 09627153534,

How to reach Campsite:

1. **By A/C Delux bus:** Leaving from Anand Vihar bus terminal. Reporting time around 9:00 pm for overnight buses. Otherwise there are many buses - A/C and non A/C - leaving throughout the day.
2. **by train:** Ranikhet Express leaving Old Delhi railway station at 10:05 pm, reaching Kathgodam at around 5.00 am the next morning.
3. **by train:** Uttaranchal Sampark Kranti Express leaving Old Delhi railway station at 4:00 pm, reaching Kathgodam at around 10:00 pm the same day.
4. **by train:** Shatabdi leaving New Delhi railway station at 06:00 am, reaching Kathgodam at around 11:50 am the same day. There is no Shatabdi on Thursdays.
4. **by train:** People from the north eastern states W.B., Bihar, Jharkhand, Orissa etc. can change trains at Lucknow for Kathgodam by 1) Broad Gauge 3019 Bagh Express or 2) Metre Gauge 5308 Nainital Express to Lal Kuan.

NB: Please consult “Trains at a Glance” for options and timings.

If you hire a full taxi from Kathgodam, it should cost you between Rs. 1000/- to Rs. 1250/- up to Madhuban Sri Aurobindo Ashram, Talla Ramgarh. If you are more than five people in a group, you can hire a Tata Sumo or a Qualis which will take 8 to 10 persons depending on your luggage. This should cost you around Rs.1400/- to 1600/- up to Madhuban Sri Aurobindo Ashram, Talla Ramgarh.

If it is the tourist season the taxis will try to squeeze out as much money as possible. You will have to bargain.

The following are our taxi contacts but we take no responsibility.

Taxi Madan : - 9837243640

Taxi Javed : - 09758631565