



# Six Gam Patidar Samaj (SGPS)



Chicago, U.S.A.

## President's Message

*Diptesh Desai-President SGPS Chicago*

Greetings SGPS Members!

Hello and Kem Cho to all of our Six Gam people. With the arrival of summer and hot temperatures, we are all waiting for our most exciting event of the year- The Annual SGPS Picnic! We have planned several fun activities this year. Our Bowling event in March was a great success. It was one of our best Bowling events yet. The next big event is The Annual SGPS Picnic on July 13, 2014 at Busse Woods, Grove #24 in Elk Grove. I look forward to seeing you at this event with your family and friends,



I would like to take this opportunity and express my gratitude towards all the members, Board of Trustees and volunteers for their time and support in the SUCCESS of our joint venture with Manav Seva Mandir this year- The Gujarati play- Wife Bahu Cute Hoi- Jyvan Sudhi Mute Hoi- The event was a grand success and everyone enjoyed the Fun- filled comedy drama. Let's make our summer picnic as good as it had been for past few years! SGPS's primary mission is to provide a platform for all members to connect with each other and participate in various cultural activities, encourage our youth to participate at all levels, including summer Picnic, Garba and Diwali Dinner. I want to encourage you to participate in making our Samaj stronger and invite other Six Gam people to join us and become a strong and known voice in the greater Chicago land area.

I would like to thank Tushar Patel for providing his BEST service as a Treasurer for more than three years and still continuing as a BOT. I would also like to thank Nirav Amin for all his support and activities he has provided for more than an year as a Secretary.

Last but not least, I would like to WELCOME Tapan Desai, as our new Treasurer, Shaunak Patel as a new Secretary, and Kamlesh Patel as our new Joint Secretary for year 2014-15. I am hoping their addition to the Board of Directors will strengthen our team and their services will make our organization better!

Please free feel to contact me via phone or email at [desai29@yahoo.com](mailto:desai29@yahoo.com) or [info@sixgam.com](mailto:info@sixgam.com) with any suggestions you may have or if you want to volunteer for any of the services we offer

You are also encouraged to join us on Facebook; <https://www.facebook.com/groups/sixgam>. Also make sure to like our Facebook page; <https://www.facebook.com/sixgam>

## UPCOMING EVENTS

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
Picnic	Sunday, July 13, 2014	Busse Woods-Picnic Grove # 32, Elk Grove Village
Navratri Garba-1	Friday, Sept. 26, 2014	Hanover Park District, 1919 Walnut Avenue, Hanover Park
Navaratri Garba-2	TBD	TBD
Diwali Dinner	TBD	TBD

# SGPS Bowling Event 2014 Recap

*Tapan Desai*



**Six Gam Patidar**



**Samaj of Chicago**

invites you all to a

## **FAMILY PICNIC**

**Sunday, July 13, 2014**

**From 9:30 am - 6:00 pm**

**Busse Woods-Grove #24**

**Elk Grove Village , IL 60007**

**(Off Route 72/Higgins Road)**

**Entrance: \$8.00 for members**

**Guest/Non-members: \$10.00**

**Children under 5 FREE**



### **Fun Activities**

**Minute to Win it  
Moon Walk  
Musical Chair  
Cricket**

**Jump Rope  
Piñata  
Volleyball  
Tug of Wars**

***For more details please contact:***

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## Youth Section



**SGPS-Chicago would like to host an event/program for our single Young Adults that are 21 and up.** We would like to welcome all single young adults of our samaj (including their charotar patidar friends & families) interested in meeting each other at this unique event. We would like to hold this event to facilitate interaction of single adults with each other in a friendly environment.

**Please come forward and take a leadership role in hosting this event!**

SGPS wants to invite the young and dynamic adults to come and join us in organizing this event. Our SGPS committee members will help and provide 100 % support to conduct the entire event.

The event will be open to all single youths ages 21 and up. Contact any of our board members to get this new initiative started.

## CALLING ALL 6 GAM YOUTHS

Come Join Us!!

SGPS is looking for new ideas for day-to-day activity and also encourages young adults for joining new positions in the Six Gam Patidar Samaj.



## Scholarship 2014

Apply for Student Awards if you are Graduating from High School this year in 2014

**WHO CAN QUALIFY:** 2014 High School Graduate of the Six Gam Family, currently active (paid) member of the SGPS.

**AWARD CONSISTS OF:** (1) "Student of the Year" award consisting of a plaque and cash award of \$501, and (2) "Academic Excellence" award consisting of a plaque and cash award of \$251.

Please download the Student Award application from our SGPS website or contact:- Lina Patel:-(847) 312-8327 or Vanleela Amin: - (630) 495-473



## APPLICATION FOR THE STUDENT AWARD (SIX GAM PATIDAR SAMAJ-CHICAGO)

*APPLY ONLY IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED (OR ARE GOING TO RECEIVE) HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA, THIS YEAR*

NAME OF APPLICANT: \_\_\_\_\_

HEAD OF THE HOUSEHOLD: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

### II JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL DATA:

SCHOOL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADUATION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PRINCIPAL: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Please attach copy of transcript of grades received during Jr. High School years.

### III HIGH SCHOOL DATA:

SCHOOL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADUATION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PRINCIPAL: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

COMPOSITE GPA/TOTAL GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score: \_\_\_\_\_ SAT Score: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Please attach copy of transcript of grades received during High School years, along with copies of SAT and/or ACT scores.

### IV ACTIVITIES, AWARDS DURING (JUNIOR & HIGH) SCHOOL YEARS:

HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITY	# OF YEARS	AWARD/HONORS	OFFICE HELD

NOTE: Attach copies of all certificates/awards received. if more space required, please write on a separate sheet of paper. Specify "addendum item IV" and attach it.

### V EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: ( Activities performed within/outside school domain.)

ACTIVITY	NAME OF ORGANIZATION	AWARD/OFFICE HELD

NOTE: Attach copies of all certificates/awards received. if more space required, please list on a separate sheet of paper. Specify "addendum item IV" and attach it.



## Seniors Section



### હસતાં રહો

નદુ: 'લોકો કહે છે કે વૃદ્ધ સ્વભાવે વ્યક્ત સા લજ્જ સુખાર .'   
 : 'અટલતો હું એની છોકરી શોધું છું ? !'

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માલક : ' માટે અમારે વ્યક્તના જરૂર .'   
 : ' હું એને માટે છું. નોકરીમાં જ્યાર જ્યાં ખાદ્ય તુ ત્યાર ત્યાર   
 માટે જે ઠેરવવામાં .

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: ત્રણ અઠવાડવાયા મ મારા પત્ના કરા.   
 : અરે! એવું કેમ ?'   
 : એ ખોલવું .

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'તુ ન: લમણાઝાક કર છે. કૂતરાન તુ ક્યાર કચુ !' કલુ.   
 ' એ વચ્ચે ?' પત્ની એ ઉમેર્યું: ' જરૂર . માર તમારા કેટલા ર   
 પડવા .'

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રાકશ : ' , તારા પત્ના બહુ ઠાગણા .'   
 : ' , પિતાજી કહેતા કે મુસીબત જેટલા તટલુ સાડુ !

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#### 2014 Board of Directors

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## Membership Information

The SGPS membership year starts in January and end in December every year.

Annual family Membership ... \$30

Single Membership ..... \$15

Life Membership..... \$300



## Community/Organization Announcements



### Six Gam Membership Database

Has anyone from your family moved? Do you know any Six Gam members that are not getting the Newsletter? We need to make our database up-to-date, please provide us with your family members (children with age) details (address, phone number including cell number, email address etc), as we are in the process to build a matrimonial database along with our website. Please contact at [info@sixgam.com](mailto:info@sixgam.com) or you may contact Shaunak Patel at 224-430-3415 or any of our trustees

### Calling all Six Gam Young Professionals!

We are looking to start a 6 Gam networking group where 6 gam young professionals (ages 22 and above can get together and get to know one another. We would like to expand it to further activities but would first like to gauge any interest. If you are interested in meeting other 6 gam young professionals, please email Dikunj Desai at [dikunjdesai@att.net](mailto:dikunjdesai@att.net).

### Any Announcements?

Community news like wedding, birth, graduation, obituary notice, engagement, scholarship achievement etc are welcome, and we print them FREE of charge. For any announcement to be printed in the Six Gam News, Please provide all necessary information in full such as Name, Native Gam, and the event through our Website: [www.sixgam.com](http://www.sixgam.com) we will try to accommodate such information, time and space permitting basis. Please

### Sponsorship/Donation

Sponsorship for this event is highly appreciated. We welcome all sponsors for every SGPS event. Our Samaj is always looking for funding and additional donations to support Scholarship and various other causes. If you would like to donate money in memory of your loved ones or for any other reason, please contact any Board of Trustees For 2011, If you want to sponsor any of the following items:

- 1) The whole event
- 2) Student of the year award
- 3) Food Items/Dinner or snacks
- 4) Musical Group or Entertainment
- 5) Supplies i.e. paper products, decorations for the hall etc.
- 6) Hall rental
- 7) Any general donation/sponsorship
- 8) Raffle Prizes



