



SOUTH MADRAS CULTURAL ASSOCIATION (SMCA) & SMCA CHARITABLE TRUST

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48th
शारदीय
दुर्गासत्र **Sharodotsav '26**
16th October to 21st October 2026

Sri Sri Durga Puja Timing - 2026



Sharodotsav Venue

Mantra Garden,
No. 5, Nandanam Extension,
First Main Road, Chennai,
Tamil Nadu, 600035



MAHA PANCHAMI 15th October 2026 Thursday

Anandamela 7:00 PM

MAHA SHASHTHI 16th October 2026 Friday

Sri Sri Durga Devi Kalparambha & Shashthi Bihita Puja (at CLUB PREMISES) 07:30 AM

Sri Sri Durga Devi Bodhan, Amantran & Adhivas 05:45 PM

Inauguration followed by Cultural Programmes 07:00 PM onwards

MAHA SAPTAMI 17th October 2026 Saturday

Sri Sri Durga Devi Navapatrika Snan, Sthapana & Saptami Puja, Sri Sri Chandi Puja & Path 07:00 AM

Pushpanjali 10:30 AM

Morning Cultural / Fun Competitions 11:00 AM onwards

Sandhya Aarati 06:30 PM

Cultural Programmes 07:00 PM onwards

MAHASHTAMI 18th October 2026 Sunday

Sri Sri Durga Devi Mahashtami Puja, Sri Sri Chandi Puja & Path 07:00 AM

Pushpanjali 10:30 AM

Morning Cultural / Fun Competitions 11:00 AM onwards

Sandhya Aarati 06:30 PM

Cultural Programmes 07:00 PM onwards

SANDHI PUJA & PUSH PANJALI 19th October 2026 Monday

Sandhi Puja 07:26 AM to 08:14 AM

Vishesh (ODHIK) Puja, Sri Sri Chandi Puja & Path 10:00 AM

Morning Cultural / Fun Competitions 11:00 AM onwards

Pushpanjali 12:00 NOON

Sandhya Aarati 06:30 PM

Cultural Programmes 07:00 PM onwards

MAHA NAVAMI 20th October 2026 Tuesday

Sri Sri Durga Devi Mahanavami Puja, 05:30 AM

Pushpanjali 07:45 AM

Homam & Purnahuti 08:15 AM to 09:31 AM

Morning Cultural / Fun Competitions 11:00 AM onwards

Sandhya Aarati 06:30 PM

Cultural Programmes 07:00 PM onwards

VIJAYA DASHAMI 21st October 2026 Wednesday

Sri Sri Durga Devi Dashami Puja 08:00 AM

Darpan Visarjan 10:30 AM

Sindur Utsav 12:00 NOON

Immersion 04:30 PM

Shantijal 07:30 PM

Durga Puja Prasad and Bhog on 17th October to 20th October 2026 at 11:00 am and 1:30 pm respectively

LAKSHMI PUJA 25th October 2026 SUNDAY 07:30 PM

KALI PUJA 8th November 2026 SUNDAY 07:30 PM

SARASWATI PUJA 11th February 2027 THURSDAY 11:00 AM