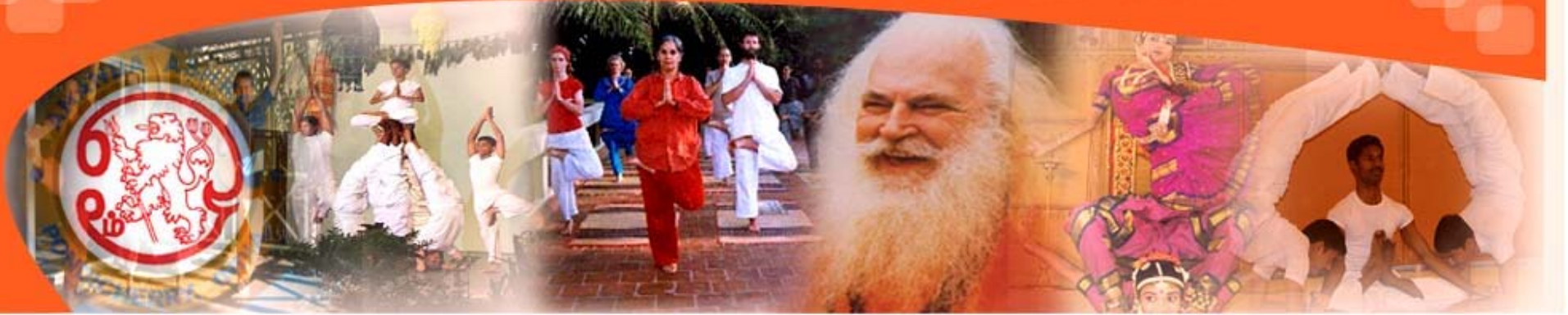




GITANANDA YOGA ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA INC



## Annual General Meeting of Gitananda Association of Australia and New Zealand

**Date:** Monday 9th September 2013

**Time:** 5:00pm

**Venue:** ICYER, Ananda Ashram, Puducherry, India

### Gitananda 2013 Committee Members Present

- Dr. Ananda Balayogi Bhavanani;
- 4 New Zealand members and
- 6 Australian members.

**Apologies from:** Devidasan, Ann-Marie

Agenda Item	Action to be taken/Outcome	Committee Member Responsible
1. <b>Current committee members</b>	The only change to the committee will be that Gargi and Max will co-share the role of secretary.	Website Host
2. <b>Financials</b>	<p><b>Australia:</b> As of 9<sup>th</sup> September 2013, the current balance = \$AU 5,441.40</p> <p><b>New Zealand:</b> As of 9<sup>th</sup> September 2013, the current balance = \$NZ 1340.00</p> <p>The Association now has the initial funds necessary for deposits and airfare for the next visit.</p>	Devidasan
3. <b>Dr. Ananda's Visas</b>	Visas for New Zealand and Australia will be arranged by Ann-Marie and Murali respectively.	Murali & Ann-Marie
4. <b>Membership</b>	<p>Only half of our member have paid their 2012-2013 membership fees. Therefore, membership fees will be collected BI-ANNUALLY.</p> <p>Fees will be due on the 1st April 2014 and will cover a 24 month period from April 2014 to April 2016.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$60 for Associate members.</li> <li>• \$100 for Accredited Gitananda Trained Teachers (those who have done the 6 month intensive course).</li> </ul>	Murali, Max & Gargi
5. <b>Outstanding Costs</b>	Current charges for the <a href="http://www.gitananda-australia.org">www.gitananda-australia.org</a> website are <b>\$AU 221</b> .	Murali

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| 6. <b>Newsletter</b>                 | Canadian member Jennifer Dany Aubé designed and produced an outstanding quarterly, online, newsletter for the benefit of all Gitananda members internationally.   | Jennifer, Max & Gargi |
|                                      | Please keep your contacts details up-to-date by emailing the secretaries at <a href="mailto:gitananda.secretary@gmail.com">gitananda.secretary@gmail.com</a>  |                       |
| 7. <b>Yoga Life Magazine</b>         | Subscriptions for Yoga Life can be paid via PayPal system (Yognat 2001) see: <a href="http://www.theyogatutor.com/icyer-books/yoga-life-international">http://www.theyogatutor.com/icyer-books/yoga-life-international</a>                                      | Murali                |
|                                      | or Members may continue to send subscriptions or donations to Murali (payable to "Gitananda Yoga") if they prefer.  |                       |
| 8. <b>Gitananda Yoga Retreat, NZ</b> | Plans for the 2014 New Zealand retreat are being finalised. Early bird tickets end 30th October. The title will be based around STRESS. Tickets for the retreat will still include the membership for 2014-2015. However, 2015-2016 will still need to be paid. | Murali and Ann-Marie  |
| 9. <b>DVD's</b>                      | Dr. Ananda would like all members who have purchased his DVD's to write a small review for the website to help promote them. He also encouraged members to view the YouTube video clips of the DVD's and "LIKE" them or write an online comment.                | All Members           |

**The meeting concluded:** 5pm.

Minutes typed up by Gargi 23rd October 2013



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