

Welcome to the 2024 Southeast Gathering for Avatar Meher Baba

*“Don’t lose heart, but keep me in your heart.
Remember, I am always with you.”
- Meher Baba*

Registration in Lover's Lodge:

Thursday 4:00 - 6:00

Friday 9:00 - 9:30, 1:00 - 1:30, 5:30 - 6:00

Saturday - as needed, times will be posted at Registration Desk.

You will get an Auction number at registration. Don't lose it!

The Kid's Program, for ages 4 - 11

Begins Friday morning at 9:00, based in the "Activity Center" down by the stream, near the Retreat Village.

Will be facilitated by Laura Smith and Jeremy Tupperman.

(Parents please pick up kids promptly by the end of each scheduled session!)

Thursday, April 4

Times	Activities	Locations	
6:00	Dinner	Dining Hall	
7:15	Evening Arti - Mandali Hall Prayers and American Arti only please.	Mandali Hall	
7:30	Welcome to the SEG and to our Evening Program!	Mandali Hall	
7:40	Naosherwan Anzar will be sharing his perspective on "Living the New Life" (7:40-9:10)		
9:15	Jamie Newell musical presentation		
11:30	Lights Out! Sweet Dreams!		

Friday, April 5

7:00	Morning Arti	7:00 - 8:00	Mandali Hall	Kids Program
8:00	Breakfast	8:00 - 8:45	Dining Hall	<u>9:00 - 12:00</u>
9:15	Get Acquainted Games w/ Emma Branch McGill. Fun for all ages! Games will continue into the first Focus Group time. Feel free to leave or stay, as you wish. 9:15 - 9:45 (option to stay until 10:50)		Mandali Hall	Kids meet in Activity Center to plan for the day's activities. Wear shoes appropriate
9:50	Morning Focus Groups Two 60 minute sessions. Sign up for your focus groups of preference in the cafeteria at breakfast. Focus Group 1 9:50 -10:50 Focus Group 2 11:00 -12:00		Locations: See Focus Group Schedule	for outdoor activities. Parents Please Pick Up Kids Promptly at 12:00!
12:00	Lunch	12:00 - 1:00	Dining Hall	
1:00	Afternoon - Free Time! Volleyball, Hiking, 4-Square, Jamming, Porch Rocking, Napping OK, too! 1:00 - 3:00			
1:45	Heartland Center Presentation 1:45-2:40		Mandali Hall	<u>2:00 - 5:00</u> Kids meet at Activity Center
2:00	The New Silent Auction opens! Will close at 2:00 on Saturday Pursue the offerings displayed in the Bazaar Room and start your bidding!			
2:45	Musical Round Robin Bring an instrument, your voice, or just come to listen. 2:45 - 4:10		The Pandal	for afternoon activities. Parents Please Pick Up Kids
4:15	Naosherwan Anzar: In Search of Meher Baba's Ancestry in Iran. (4:15-5:15)		Mandali Hall	Promptly at 5:00!
6:00	Dinner	6:00 - 7:00	Dining Hall	
7:15	Evening Arti Prayers and Gujarati Arti only please.		Mandali Hall	
7:30	Welcome to the Evening Program!		Mandali Hall	
7:40	Jamie Newell concert 7:40-8:40			
8:50	Square Dance with Beverly!			
10:00	Rock & Roll Sock Hop! with DJ Zack Branch			
11:30	Lights Out! Sleep tight!			

Saturday, April 6

7:00	Morning Arti & Devotional Music 7:00 - 8:00	Mandali Hall	Kids Program
8:00	Breakfast 8:00 - 8:45	Dining Hall	
	<p>Jap: continuous repetition of Baba's Name signing up commits you to constantly say His Name out loud for an hour. If you sign up, please be there for your hour. If no one comes in at the end of your hour, don't worry! Feel free to leave. Someone will be along to take up the Jap after a while.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Jap starts 7:00 AM Saturday ends 7:00 AM Sunday</p>	<p>Jap Room is in Basement Room at rear of Ezad Pad</p> <p>(Refer to Camp Map & posted signs)</p>	<p>9:15 - 12:00</p> <p>Kids meet in Activity Center to plan for the day's activities. Wear shoes appropriate</p>
9:30	<p>Morning Focus Groups Two 70 minute sessions. Sign up for your preference in the cafeteria at breakfast.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Focus Group 1 9:30-10:40 Focus Group 2 10:50- 12:00</p>	<p>Locations:</p> <p>See Focus Group Schedule</p>	<p>Parents please don't be late! Please pick up kids promptly before 12:00.</p>
12:00	Lunch 12:00 - 1:00	Dining Hall	
1:00	<p>Afternoon - Free Time! Volleyball, Hiking, Square, Jamming, Porch Rocking. Napping OK, too!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1:00 - 3:00</p>		<p>2:00 - 5:00 Kids meet at Activity Center</p>
1:45	<p>Jon Meyer shares tales of the Mandali 1:45-2:45</p>	Mandali Hall	
3:00	<p>Auction Come! Have Fun! Find a treasure! Help raise money in our Beloved's Cause!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">3:00 - 5:30</p>	Lover's Lodge	<p>Parents Please Pick Up Kids Promptly at 5:00!</p>
6:00	Dinner 6:00 - 7:00	Dining Hall	
7:15	<p>Evening Arti Prayers and Australian Arti only please.</p>	Mandali Hall	
7:30	Welcome to the Evening Program	Mandali Hall	
7:50	Naosherwan Anzar continues his presentation of Living the New Life (7:50-9:20)		
9:30	Walk to the Dhuni		
9:45	<p>Lighting of the Dhuni! Give it up to Baba ! And sing to Baba together under the stars!</p>	<p>Lower Campus (Near Retreat Village)</p>	
11:30	Lights Out! Sleep in the Beyond Beyond!		

Sunday, April 7

Times	Activity	Locations
7:00	Morning Arti & Devotional Music 7:00 - 8:00	Mandali Hall
8:00	Breakfast 8:00 - 8:45	Dining Hall
8:30	SEG Workerwalla Meeting New Volunteers Welcome! 8:30 - 9:30	Back of Dining Hall
9:45	Talent Show!!! Too much fun!!!	Mandali Hall
11:15	Announcements & Parting Words from our Special Guests Naosherwan, Jamie, Jon	Mandali Hall
11:50	Begin the Beguine! Moment of Silence with Baba!	Mandali Hall
12:00	Lunch 12:00 - 1:00	Dining Hall

Notes on Departure: Camp Mikell has asked that we please be prompt in our departure. Bundle your linens, tidy up, and be out of your cabin and on the road by 2pm at the latest. Double check to be sure you collected all your belongings from your cabin.

Many Thanks to all Southeast Gathering Volunteers!

If you'd like to get involved in the Southeast Gathering, come to the Workerwalla meeting Sunday morning at 8:30 AM in the back of the Dining Hall. We're looking for enthusiastic new participants with new ideas to plan and put on the 2024 Southeast Gathering. Could this apply to you? If yes, this is your chance to start contributing -- and it's a great way to remember Baba throughout the year. Or - contact any of the SEG Committee members to volunteer.. You will be glad you did!

Happy Trails to You!

See you at SEG 2025!

Avatar Meher Baba Ki Jai!