



## BENGALI ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA INC. PO BOX 1332, Glen Waverley 3150

AGM DATE	AGM VENUE	EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS	FUNCTIONS/VENUE/NOTES	SPECIAL COMMENTS
Ad Hoc Committee formed in October 1983 during Bijoya @ Our Lady of the Way Church Hall, Kingsbury		<b><u>Ad Hoc Committee</u></b> Mr. Kamal Dutta Dr. Srikanto Bandyopadhyay Dr. Asim Das Mr. Atma Bikas Sinha Mr. Anjan Roy Mrs. Jayashree Banerjee Mr. Pankaj Bannerjee Mr. Parimal Mukherjee Mr. Mouli Nath Ganguly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Saraswati Puja, Pankaj Banerjee's residence.</li> <li>4/8/1984: Rabindra Jayanti, Princess Hill School, Carlton</li> <li>6/10/1984: Bijoya Sammelani &amp; first AGM, Pascoe Vale Hall</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Suggestions were put forward in February 1983 to form an association for Bengali speaking people in Victoria</li> <li>1st Rabindra Jayanti by BAV</li> <li>Srikanta B, Asim Das, Kamal Datta &amp; Atma Bikash Sinha designated to draw up the draft constitution</li> <li>Draft Constitution passed on 6/10/84</li> </ul>
6/10/1984	Pascoe Vale Hall	<b><u>1<sup>st</sup> Official Committee formed AGM' 84</u></b> Dr. Jahar Sinha: President Mr. Kamal Dutta: Vice President Mr. Anupam Choudhury: Secretary Mr. Kalyan Bannerjee: Treasurer Dr. Srikanto Bandyopadhyay: Liaison Mrs. Aradhna Ganguly Mr. Atma Bikash Sinha Mr. Parimal Mukherjee Mr. Pankaj Bannerjee (co-opted)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>23/12/1984: BBQ &amp; Sports Day</li> <li>26/1/1985: Saraswati Puja, Pascoe Vale Hall</li> <li>9/6/1985: Rabindra Jayanti, Princess Hill School, Carlton</li> <li>21/6/1985: Contract Bridge Tournament: Praharan Migrant Centre</li> <li>30/6/1985: Manas Goswami, World Tour on Bicycle Reception</li> <li>16/2/1985: 2<sup>nd</sup> term of Bengali Language &amp; Cultural School (BLCS) starts at the Migrant Resource Centre, 575 Elizabeth Street, Melbourne.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>23-30/6/1985: <b>Manas Goswami</b>, Cyclist on World Tour,</li> <li>\$700 grant from Ethnic Affairs Commission</li> <li>BLCS recognised by Commonwealth Schools Commission (CSC).</li> <li>BLCS receives grants of \$264 from CSC &amp; \$1700 from Ministerial Advisory Committee on Migrant and Multicultural Education.</li> </ul>
26/10/1985	Pascoe	Dr. Jahar Sinha: President	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>26/10/1985: Bijoya Sammelani &amp; AGM, Pascoe Vale Hall</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BAV Cricket team formed</li> </ul>



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	Vale Hall	<p>Dr. Srikanta Bandyopadhyay: Secretary          Mr. Kalyan Bannerjee: Treasurer          Mr. Mouli Ganguly: Cultural Secretary          Dr. Asim Kumar Das: Sports Secretary</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dec. 1985 BBQ &amp; Sports Day At Monash University</li> <li>• Saraswati Puja</li> <li>• 19/10/1986 Kenaram Becharam Natak directed by Mouli Ganguly</li> <li>• 1/6/1986: Rabindra Jayanti, Princess Hill School, Carlton</li> <li>• 19/10/1986: Bijoya Sammelani &amp; AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$500 grant form Victorian Ethnic Affairs</li> <li>• \$2000 grant from Australia Council</li> <li>• Tabla classes by Debapriya Bhattacharya</li> <li>• Self Defence classes by Amit Dutt</li> </ul>
19/10/1986	Princess Hill School, Carlton	<p>Dr. Satinath Bhattacharya: President          Mr. Kalyan Bannerjee: Vice President          Dr. Asim Kumar Das: Secretary          Mr. Manik Lal Chakraborty: Treasurer          Mr. Amit Dutt: Sports Secretary          Mr. Atma Bikash Sinha          Mr. Nihar Chakraborty          Mr. Anjan Ray          Dr. Srikanta Bandyopadhyay: Liaison</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 7/2/1987: Saraswati Puja</li> <li>• 15/3/1987: BBQ &amp; Sports Day, Monash University</li> <li>• 9/5/1987: Rabindra Jayanti, Princess Hill School, Carlton</li> <li>• 11/10/1987: Mamata Shankar Troupe, Alexander Theatre</li> <li>• 23/1/1988: AGM, Ashwood Hall.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New Saraswati Protima by Atma Bikash Sinha</li> <li>• <b>Mamata Shankar</b> Group (19 members) Concert in October 1987</li> <li>• BAV Cricket team reaches the final of VISA tournament.</li> <li>• Bengali School secedes from BAV</li> </ul>
23/1/1988	Ashwood Hall	<b>File Missing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 23/1/1988: Saraswati Puja, Ashwood Hall</li> <li>• May 1988: Mrs. Sumitra Sen Concert &amp; Rabindra Jayanti, Toorak College</li> <li>• Chhutir Phande (Pik Bhot) Natak directed by Pulak Mukherjee</li> <li>• 23/10/1988: AGM &amp; Bijoya Sammelani @ Princess Hill High School, Carlton</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Sumitra Sen performs</b></li> <li>• \$600 grant from Ethnic Affairs</li> </ul>



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23/10/1988	Princess Hill School, Carlton	<p>Dr. Ajoy Poddar: President</p> <p>Dr. Asim Das: Vice President &amp; Sports</p> <p>Mr. Kamal Dutta: Secretary (resigned 7/10/1989)</p> <p>Mr. Baidyanath Basu: Treasurer</p> <p>Mr. Pulak Mukherjee: Cultural Secretary</p> <p>Mr. Himadri Deb, Puja Convenor</p> <p>Mr. Somnath Sarkar (Acting Secretary)</p> <p>Mr. Manik Chakraborty</p> <p>Mr. Anup Roy</p> <p>Mrs Mitu Ghatak co-opted on 7/10/1989</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 11/2/1989: Saraswati Puja, Ashwood Hall,</li> <li>• 19/3/1989: BBQ &amp; Sports Day, Monash University</li> <li>• 13/5/1989: Rabindra Jayanti &amp; Shyama Dance Drama directed by Sudeshna Bhattacharya, Uniting Church, hartwell</li> <li>• <b>7/10/1989: First Durga Puja</b> held at Mt. Waverley Secondary College. Dr. Pratish Bandopadhyay conducted the puja. Anuradha Das &amp; Mitu Ghatak Kitchen control</li> <li>• 21/10/1989 AGM &amp; Bijoya Sammelani @ Ashwood Hall</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion about Durga Puja starts on 23/10/1988</li> <li>• BAV becomes inaugural member of the recently founded FIAV</li> <li>• Durga Protima brought in from Calcutta August by Asim Das</li> <li>• BAV Cricket team runners up in VISA Tournament.</li> <li>• Association donates \$400 to Mr. Naresh Roy whose daughter Bula had a heart surgery.</li> <li>• <b>AGM resolves that financial year of BAV be changed to "from 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December".</b></li> </ul>
21/10/1989	Ashwood Hall	<p>Dr. Ajoy Poddar: President</p> <p>Dr. Asim Das: Vice President &amp; Puja</p> <p>Mr. Somnath Sarkar, Secretary</p> <p>Mr. Baidyanath basu: Treasurer</p> <p>Ms. Sunanda Chowdhury, Cultural</p> <p>Ms. Shyamali Larsen, Puja (resigned in July).</p> <p>Mrs. Sudipta Chakravarty</p> <p>Mr. Parag Chakraborty, Sports</p> <p>Mr. Biswajit (Micky) Mitra,</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3/2/1990: Saraswati Puja, Mt. Waverley Secondary College. Folk dance with live music directed by Sunanda Choudhury.</li> <li>• 25/3/1990: BBQ &amp; Sports Day, Monash University</li> <li>• 19/5/1990: Rabindra Jayanti (Gilti Alekhya directed by Ruma Majumdar), &amp; Shapmochan Dance Drama directed by Sunanda Choudhury @ Carwatha Community Centre</li> <li>• 21/7/1990: Snow Trip to Mt. Buller</li> <li>• 29-30/09/1990: Durga Puja, Mt. Waverley Secondary College</li> <li>• 13/10/1990: Bijoya Sammelani &amp; Bengali Drama Madhureno directed by Mouloi Ganguly at Carwatha</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PO Box 348 Chadstone rented</li> <li>• Survey for multiple day Durga Puja done. 2 days &amp; weekend</li> <li>• \$500 grant from Ethnic Affairs</li> <li>• BAV registered as an Incorporated Association on 28<sup>th</sup> June 1990</li> </ul>



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8/12/1990  (Committee 1/1/1991 to 30/6/1991)	Ashwood Hall	Mr. Bimal Maity, President Mr. Parag Chakraborty, Secretary Mr. Manik Dey: Treasurer Mr. Amit Raha Ms. Sunanda Choudhury Mr. Biswajit Mitra Mr. Dilip Chakraborty Mrs. Sudipta Chakravarty	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>20/1/1991: Saraswati Puja</li> <li>25/5/1991: Rabindra Jayanti (Puja) &amp; Suchitra Mitra Collingwood College Theatre.</li> <li>8/2/1991: Special General Meeting as the entire Executive Committee resigned due to lack of interest &amp; active participation by the community.</li> <li>The new committee as mentioned below to continue until June 1992.</li> <li>20/7/1991 AGM @ Ashwood Hall</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Proposal to alter financial year from July 1 to 30<sup>th</sup> June</li> <li>Suchitra Mitra sings</li> <li>The present committee ends on 30/6/1991</li> <li>BAV Cricket team in finals again but losing to Gujarati Association</li> <li>Bengali Language accepted as a Second Language in VCE due to efforts by Bimal Maity.</li> </ul>
20/7/1991 (SGM held on 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb 1991). The AGM requested the committee formed in the SGM to continue until 30 <sup>th</sup> June 1992.	Ashwood Hall	Dr. Asim Das: President Mr. Sudip Chakravarty: Vice President Mr. Sibu Ghatak: Secretary Mr. Alok Chakravarti, Treasurer Mr. Pulak Mukherjee, Cultural Mr. Sankar Ghosh Ms. Sunanda Choudhury Mr. Himadri Deb Mr. Ratan Saha	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>28/9/1991: Social Evening, Ashwood Hall</li> <li>19/10/1991: Durga Puja @ Carwatha Community Centre</li> <li>8/2/1991: Saraswati Puja, Mt. Waverley High School &amp; Special general Meeting</li> <li>7/3/1992: BBQ &amp; Sports Day, Monash University</li> <li>16/5/1992: Bengali Natak (Rakta Karabi directed by Pulak Mukherjee) Plus Dwijen Mukherjee &amp; Ritu Guha @ Chandler Community Centre</li> <li>18/7/1992: AGM, Ashwood Hall</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dwijen Mukherjee &amp; Ritu Guha perform</li> <li>Bijoya held with Durga Puja on 19<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1991</li> <li>\$500 grant from Ethnic Affairs</li> <li>Dr. Ajoy Poddar continuing as Chairman of FIAV Overseas Qualifications Committee</li> </ul>
18/7/1992	Ashwood Hall	Ms. Shyamali Larsen: President Mr. Biswanth Banerjee: Vice President Mr. Ujjal Mojumder: Secretary Dr. Amitabha Majumdar: Treasure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3/10/1992: Durga Puja, Mt. Waverley High School</li> <li>19/12/1992: Jalsa, variety programs, Phoenix Theatre</li> <li>30/1/1993: Saraswati Puja, Mt. Waverley High School</li> <li>13/3/1993: BBQ &amp; Sports Day, Caulfield Park</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Various amendments to constitution</li> <li>New BAV logo adopted after competition. The winner was Melissa Ghatak.</li> </ul>



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		<p>Mr. Arindam Banerjee: Cultural          Mr. Rajib Datta: Sports          Ms. Sunanda Choudhuri (later withdrew)          Mrs. Shubhra Mukherjee (co-opted later)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>17/6/1993: Annual General Meeting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rabindra Jayanti was cancelled due to the passing away of Dr. Atindra Mojumder on March 6.</li> <li>Storage facility hired at Milgate Road, Oakleigh</li> </ul>
17/6/1993	Ashwood Hall	<p>Mr. Partha Majumder: President          Mrs. Seema Gupta: Vice President          Mr. Amitava Goswami, Secretary          Mrs. Sangeeta Mozumdar: Treasurer          Mrs. Supriya Desai: Cultural          Mrs. Rukmini Bose Rahman: Cultural</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>18/9/1993: Jhankar variety program, Ashwood Hall.</li> <li>15/10/1993: Mahalya at Rotunda, Monash University</li> <li>23/10/1993: Durga Puja, Mt. Waverley Secondary College</li> <li>19/2/1994: Saraswati Puja, Mt. Waverley Secondary College</li> <li>26/3/1994: Anjali, a multicultural program, Monash High School, Duerdin Street, Clayton.</li> <li>14/5/1994: Rabindra Jayanti &amp; Chitragada Dance drama Monash Secondary College, Clayton.</li> <li>9/7/1994: AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Moorabbin City Secondary College offers Bengali classes</li> <li>Chitragada direct by Sunanda Choudhuri with Live music.</li> </ul>
9/7/1994	Ashwood Hall	<p>Ms. Sunanda Choudhuri: President          Dr. Amitabha Majumdar, Secretary          Mr. Nilkamal Nayak, Treasurer          Mr. Suman Chakraborty, Food          Mr. Shubroto Bhattacharjee, moved to Sydney.          Mrs. Shukla Dey</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>15/10/1994: Durga Puja, Mt. Waverley Secondary College</li> <li>26/11/1994: Diwali, Ashwood Hall &amp; Reserve</li> <li>28/1/1995: Hip Hop Night, Monash Uniting Church, Clayton</li> <li>4/2/1995: Saraswati Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>15/7/1995: Kobi Sandhya &amp; Tasher Desh Dance Drama directed by Sunanda Choudhury, Phoenix Theatre, Burwood.</li> <li>22/7/1995: AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diwali celebrated for the first time with fireworks display.</li> <li>\$500 grant from Ethnic Affairs</li> </ul>



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20/7/1996	Ashwood Hall	Ms. Malindi Banerjee, President Mr. Rajib Datta, Vice President Ms. Tanushree Barua, Secretary Mr. Swapan Chakraborty, Treasurer Mrs. Pramita Banerjee (later resigned)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>19-20/10/1996: Durga Puja, Mechanics Hall, Oakleigh</li> <li>30/11/1996: Diwali, Ashwood Hall &amp; reserve</li> <li>31/12/1996: New Year's Eve Party, Glenhuntly Function</li> <li>15/2/1997: Saraswati Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>23/2/1997: Melbourne-Calcutta Exhibition Tram by Roberto D'Andrea</li> <li>31/5/1997: Kobi Jayanti, Carwatha Community Centre</li> <li>AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>AGM Dinner free</li> <li>YRC presents cultural program during Durga Puja</li> <li>Durga Puja gets extensive coverage on SBS TV</li> </ul>
??/7/1997	Ashwood Hall	Mr. Sudip Chakravarti, President Mr. Sagnik Mookerjee, Secretary Mr. Alok Chakravarti, Treasurer Mr. Biswanath Ghosh Mr. Himadri Deb	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Durga Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>Diwali, Ashwood Hall</li> <li>31/1-1/2/1998, Saraswati Puja,</li> <li>Kobi Jayanti</li> <li>18/7/1998: AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Survey re. Durga Puja, 70% said over 2 days OK.</li> <li><b>R. Biswas</b> on bicycle</li> <li>New Durga &amp; Saraswati Protima brought in by Biswanath Ghosh</li> </ul>



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		<p>Mrs. Monika Bhattacharya Mrs. Shatabdi Chattopadhyay Mr. Parag Chakraborti</p>		
18/7/1998	Ashwood Hall	<p>Dr. Pratish Bandopadhyay, President Dr. Asim Das, Vice President &amp; Treasurer Mr. Tarun Bhattacharya, Secretary Mr. Sankar Ghosh, Treasurer (interstate) Ms. Sunanda Choudhury, Mr. Abhishek Gupta, Cultural Mr. Biswajit Mitra, Youth Mr. Sandeep Pathak (moved to Sydney)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 26/10/1998: Workshop on future BAV direction</li> <li>• 26-27/10/1998: Durga Puja, Wellington Secondary College. Matri Shakti dance drama by the youths</li> <li>• 14/11/1998: Ganer Ashor with <b>Indrani Mukherjee &amp; Mehjabeen Mehmood</b>, Carwatha Community Centre</li> <li>• 23/1/1999: Sarawati Puja, Wellington Secondary College with children's play "Buddhu Bhutum".</li> <li>• 11/3/1999: Participation in Moomba Parade</li> <li>• 13/3/1999: Jhankar, Phoenix Theatre</li> <li>• 21/3/1999: Sitar recital &amp; Kathak Dance, Monash Uniting Church.</li> <li>• 22/5/1999: Ballavpurer Rupkatha Natak directed by Mouli Ganguly, Phoenix Theatre.</li> <li>• 17/7/1999: AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Workshop held before Durga Puja: BAV Goal.</li> <li>• Web Page via Bert Naik</li> <li>• Adda organised at Monash Uniting Church but failed due to lack of support</li> <li>• Bengali Books @ Mt. Waverley Library</li> <li>• \$1000 grant from VMC</li> <li>• <b>Sitar: Pt. Panchanan Sardar, Kathak: Ms. Chirasmita Chakraborty &amp; Tabla: Anthony Das</b></li> <li>• Sankalan'99 launched at the AGM'99</li> </ul>
17/7/1999	Moorleigh Community Centre	<p>Mr. Abhijit (Ronnie) Bose, President Mr. Tuhin Dey, Vice President Mrs. Sunanda Choudhury, Secretary Dr. Sankar Bhattacharya, Treasurer Mr. Sabyasachi Bhattacharya, Cultural Dr. Rakesh Desai Mrs. Manorama Palit</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 16-17/10/1999: Durga Puja, Glendal primary School, Glen Waverley</li> <li>• 12/2/2000: Sarasawti Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>• 4/3/2000: Jhankar, Phoenix Theatre, Dinner included in ticket price</li> <li>• 26/6/2000: Kobi Jayanti, Wesley College, Glen Waverley</li> <li>• 29/7/2000: AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$1000 grant from VMC</li> <li>• Bengali Section in Mt. Waverley Library officially opened.</li> </ul>



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29/7/2000	Ashwood Hall	Dr. Asim Das, President Mrs. Aradhna Ganguly, Jt. VP Mr. Abhishek Gupta, Jt. VP Mr. Tarun Bhattacharya, Secretary Mr. Indranath Modak, Treasurer Mrs. Sudeshna Bhattacharya, Cultural	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8/10/2000: Durga Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>21/1/2001: BBQ &amp; Sports @ Monash University</li> <li>3/2/2001: Saraswati Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>24/3/2001: Jhankar, South Oakleigh Secondary College</li> <li>26/5/2001: Kobi Jayanti, Bichitra &amp; Sanghamitra &amp; Abhirup, South Oakleigh Secondary College</li> <li>28/7/2001: AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$1000 grant from Monash City Council for Bengali Book</li> <li>Sharad Arghya magazine, D'Puja</li> <li><b>Mrs. Sanghamitra Gupta &amp; Mr. Abhirup Guhathakurta visit</b></li> <li>Prof. Amartya Sen visits</li> <li>\$1500 grant from VMC</li> </ul>
28/7/2001	Ashwood Hall	Mr. Abhishek Gupta, President Mr. Gautam Datta, Vice President Mr. Subhasis Chowdhury, Secretary Mr. Brojendra Howladar, Treasure Mrs. Supriya Desai, Cultural	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>12-13/10/2001: Durga Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>Picnic</li> <li>26-27/1/2002: Sports &amp; BBQ, Monash University</li> <li>17/02/2002: Saraswati Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>25/5/2002: Sajano Bagan Natak directed by Tarun Bhattacharya, Renaissance Theatre, Kew</li> <li>30/6/2002: Jhankar, Karralyka Centre, Ringwood</li> <li>22/7/2002: AGM, Ashwood Hall</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Web page (<a href="http://www.bavwebsite.org">www.bavwebsite.org</a>) launced by Subhasis Choudhury, then maintained by Debasis Banerjee.</li> <li>BAV Infrastructure Survey results published</li> <li>\$1500 grant from VMC</li> <li>Sound System purchased</li> </ul>
22/7/2002	Ashwood Hall	Dr. Pratish Bandopadhyay, President Ms. Manita Ray, Vice President Mrs. Anusuya Bhattacharya, Secretary Dr. Pratiti Bandopadhyay, Asst. Secretary Mr. Narayan Banerjee, Treasurer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Durga Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>Saraswati Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>BBQ &amp; Sports, Monash University</li> <li>Clean Up Day</li> <li>AGM,</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chhandashi Bandopadhyay as Webmaster</li> </ul>





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		Mr. Anjan Chakravarti, Asst. Treasurer Mrs. Aparna Bhattacharya, Cultural Mr. Debasis Banerjee, Asst. Cultural		
2003	Ashwood Hall	Dr. Sanakar Bhattacharya, President Dr. Himangshu Gangopadhyay, VP Ms. Sunanda Choudhury, Secretary Mr. Srijoy De, Treasurer Mr. Subir De, Asst. Treasurer Mrs. Bharati Chakraborty, Cultural Mrs. Manorama Palit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4-5/10/2003, Durga Puja, Wellington SC</li> <li>26/1/2004, Saraswati Puja, Wellington SC, Selfish Giant natak by Sunanda Choudhury</li> <li>24/4/2004, "Fifty-Fifty" Natak directed by Tarun Bhattacharya, Carwatha Community Centre</li> <li>Clean Up Day</li> <li>5/6/2004: Geeti Sandhya, Wesley College, St Kilda</li> <li>AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mrs. Rama Mandal, Mr. Biplab Mandal &amp; Mr. Durbadal Chatterjee perform</li> </ul>
14/7/2004	Ashwood Hall	Mr. Jyoti Bhattacharya, President Dr. Krishanu Choudhury, Vice President Mr. Partha Bhattacharya, Secretary Mr. Debabrata Saha, Treasurer Mrs. Anindita Bera, Cultural	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>23-24/10/2004, Durga Puja, Wellington SC</li> <li>30/10/2004, Bijoya Sammelani, Burwood Uniting Church</li> <li>13/2/2005, Saraswati Puja, Wellington SC</li> <li>15/4/2005, Srikanto Acharya, Renaissance Theatre</li> <li>29/5/2005, Balmiki Protibha Tagore Dance Drama</li> <li>23/7/2005: AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Srikanto Acharya visits</li> <li>\$2500 VMC grant</li> <li>\$500 donated to Tsunami Appeal</li> </ul>
23/7/2005	Ashwood Hall	Mr. Tarun Bhattacharya, President Mr. Manik Chakraborty, Vice President Mr. Arindam Choudhury, Secretary Mr. Ranjan Gupta, Treasurer Mrs. Sarmita Gupta, Asst. Treasurer Mrs. Dalia Chakraborty, Cultural	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Durga Puja, Carwatha Community Centre</li> <li>Saraswati Puja</li> <li>May 2006: The Burglar play by Youths</li> <li>Kobi Jayanti?</li> <li>AGM</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New Durga Protima (Panch Chala) brought by Jyoti Bhattacharya &amp; Prafulla Ray</li> <li></li> </ul>



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		Mr. Supriyo Sinha Mr. Siddhartha Banerjee, (resigned) Mr. Amitava Das		
??/7/2006	Ashwood Hall	Mr. Gautam Datta, President Mr. Atish Bagchi, Vice President Mr. Somnath Gupta, Secretary Mr. Rajan Chanda, Treasurer Mrs. Anindita Mitra, Jt. Cultural Mrs. Sreemoyee Chandra, Jt. Cultural Mr. Debasis Roy (moved to Canberra)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Durga Puja</li> <li>• Bijoya Sammelani</li> <li>• Saraswati Puja</li> <li>• Sameside Natak directed by Mouli Ganguly, Forest Hill College</li> <li>• Lopamudra Mitra, Karralyka Centre, Ringwood</li> <li>•</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lopamudra Mitra visits</li> <li>• Silver Jubilee Committee headed by Asim Das formed on 21/7/2007 to celebrate BAV's 25 years in 2009</li> </ul>
21/7/2007	Ashwood Hall	Mrs. Chhandashi Bandopadhyay, President & Webmaster Mr. Gautam Datta, Vice President Mr. Aranab Chandra, Secretary Mr. Ranjan Gupta, Treasurer Mrs. Manorama Palit, Cultural Mrs. Anindita Mitra, Cultural (moved to Sydney) Mr. Dulal Saha Mrs. Sudipta Chakravarti Mr. Manik Chakraborty Mr. Gautam Basak (co-opted in Oct)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 20-21/10/2007:Durga Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>• 27/10/2007:Bijoya Sammelani, Mulgrave Community Centre</li> <li>• ?/10/2007:Odissi dance by Mrs. Madhumati Sengupta, Chandler Community Centre</li> <li>• 16/2/2008:Saraswati Puja, Wellington Secondary College</li> <li>• 15/3/2008: A Tribute to Mothers directed by Seema Gupta, Forest Hill College</li> <li>• ?/3/2008: Multicultural Festival at Moorleigh Centre</li> <li>• 21/6/2008: Free Bibhrat Natak directed by Juin Majumdar &amp; Gandagol Teleplay by Micky Mitra, Forest Hill College</li> <li>• 19/7/2008:AGM, Ashwood Hall</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$3000 grant VMC for next year's Durgapuja</li> <li>• \$4000 grant VMC for 2 year's Administration costs</li> <li>• \$5000 for Bengali History Book</li> <li>• \$1000 grant VMC for Natak</li> <li>• Mrs. Madhumati Sengupta</li> </ul>



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19/7/2008	Ashwood Hall	<p>Dr. Asim Das, President (resigned in May 2009 due to ill health)</p> <p>Mrs. Aparna Ray, Vice President</p> <p>Mr. Siddhartha Banerjee, Secretary &amp; Webmaster</p> <p>Mr. Kingshuk Barman, Treasurer</p> <p>Mrs. Ishita Paul, Cultural</p> <p>Mr. Gautam Basak (left due to personal commitment)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4-5/10/2008: Durga Puja, Serbian Sports Centre, Keysborough. The previous did not book hall. The present committee had difficult time finding a suitable hall. But due to the effort by Biswajit Paul we found Serbian Centre.</li> <li>• 19/12/2008: Summer Sizzle, Glen Waverley Community Centre</li> <li>• 31/1/2009: Saraswati Puja, Brandon Park Community Centre</li> <li>• 3-4/4/2009 The scheduled Silver Jubilee function at Hungarian Community Centre postponed due to Bush Fire.</li> <li>• 14/6/2009: Nachiketa Concert. Alexander Theatre, Monash University</li> <li>• 18/7/2009: Silver Jubilee Function, South Oakleigh Secondary College</li> <li>• 25/7/2009: AGM, Mulgrave Community Centre</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$2000 grant Monash City Council for S.Puja</li> <li>• \$30000 grant received from Melbourne City Council in March 2009 for TransFusion program held on 26-27 Nov 2009 at North Melb Town hall, a significant effort by Dr. Asim Das with assistance from Mouli Ganguly, Tarun Bhattacharya, Graham Pitts, Wolf Heidecker &amp; Jill Morgan (Multicultural Arts Victoria).</li> <li>• \$1200 grant VMC for TransFusion in April 2009</li> <li>• \$600 grant VMC for Multicultural play in June 2009</li> <li>• <b>Nachiketa visits</b></li> <li>• BAV donated \$5000 to Victorian Bushfire Appeal.</li> <li>• Mouli Ganguly &amp; Debasis Banerjee take over the Silver Jubilee &amp; TransFusion programs from Asim Das</li> <li>• New Website launched: Webmaster, Siddhartha Banerjee <a href="http://www.bavwebsite.org.au">www.bavwebsite.org.au</a></li> </ul>
25/7/2009	Mulgrave Community Centre,	<p>Mr. Debasis Banerjee, President</p> <p>Mr. Apartim De, Vice President</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 26-27/09/2009: Durga Puja, Serbian Sports Centre</li> <li>• 23/1/2010: Saraswati Puja, Brandon Park Community</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chandni Sen Sinha: Webmaster</li> </ul>



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	Wellington Road	Mr. Gautam Basak, Secretary Mr. Suber De, Treasurer Ms. Susmita Basu, Cultural Mrs. Chandni Sen Sinha, Asstt. Cultural & Webmaster Mr. Kigshuk Barman, Public Officer	Centre • 18/7/2009: Silver Jubilee Celebration, South Oakleigh Secondary College • 26-29/11/2009: Transfusion, North Melbourne Town Hall directed by Graham Pitts, Wolf Heidecker & Moulinath Ganguly. • Dr. Bipul Saha visits & presents Poetry in motion at Glen Waverley Neighbourhood House • 30/07/2010: AGM at Mulgrave Community Centre	
30/7/2010	Mulgrave Community Centre, Wellington Road	Mr. Tarun Bhattacharya, President Mrs. Sarbani Bala, Vice President Mr. Biswadeep Nag, Secretary Mr. Victor Bhowmick, Treasurer & Public Officer Mr. Prabal Chakravarty, Cultural & WEB Mr. Anindya Das, Events Coordinator Ms. Devjani Paul, Events Coordinator Mr. Anindya Banerjee, Youth Coordinator	• Special General Meeting @Huntingdale Hall • 16-17/10/2010 Durga Puja, Serbian Sports Centre • 12/2/2011 Saraswati Puja @ Glen Waverley Community Centre. Sukumar Ray's: Satpatra, Hingshutider Gaan and Khai Khai & Abaak Jalpass staged by children. • 19/3/2011 Cultural Program held at Forest Hill Secondary College including Tagore dance drama Bhanu Sigher Padavali followed by songs (backing track) by Anantara Choudhury d/o late Salil Choudhury. • 30/4/2011 AGM held at Glen Waverley Community Centre	• Special General Meeting held @ 4pm on 3 Oct. 2010 @ Huntingdale Hall to pass Redrawn Treasurer's report 2010 & Change Financial year ending on 31 March. • Antara Choudhury sings. • \$2000 grant from VMC ?
30/4/2011	Glen Waverley Community Centre	Mr. Manik Chakraborty – resigned due to personal commitment Mr. Tapas Ghosh – resigned due to ill health Mr. Arnab Baral – resigned due to personal commitment. Mrs. Tapashi Mukherjee, President Mr. Abhirup Mukherji, Secretary	• 2/6/2011 At a meeting called @8pm @ Tarun's place to resolve the issues, Manik, Tapas & Arnab resigned from the committee due to personal commitment even though Tarun & Asim indicated to mentor the committee. Seema Gupta, Saugat Dey, Krishna Ch. Dutta, Abhijit Khan & Tapashi Mukherjee joined the committee in meeting held at Asim Das' residence in August. • 1-2/10/2011 Durga Puja, Serbian Sports Centre, Keysborough	• In the AGM on 15th April 2012 Asim Das proposed that BAV rejoin FIAV (Federation of Indian Association in Victoria). FIAV was represented Vasan Srinivasan, Mrs. Krishna Arora & Subramaniam.



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		<p>Mr. Joy Mukherji, Treasurer  Mrs. Seema Gupta: Cultural  Saugat Dey: Public Officer  Abhijit Khan.  Krishna Ch Dutta.  Dr. Asim Das: Mentor  Mr. Tarun Bhattacharya: Mentor</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 28/01/2012 Saraswati Puja, Glen Waverley Community Centre</li> <li>• 25/03/2011 Jhankar, Drum Theatre, Dandenong</li> <li>• 15/04/2012 AGM, Mt Waverley Community Centre</li> </ul>	
15/04/2012	Mt. Waverley Community Centre	<p>Dr. Sajal Palit – President  Mr. Prabal Chakravarty - Vice President  Dr. Mita Bhattacharya - General Secretary  Mr. Chiranjib Guha - Treasurer  Mrs. Pallabi Basak - Cultural Secretary  Mr. Saugat Dey - Public Officer  Mrs. Esha Banerjee - Asstt. General Secretary  Ms. Anushka Banerjee - Asstt. Cultural Secretary</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sajal Palit/Gautam Basak/Chiranjib/Saugat elected in AGM</li> <li>• Rest co-opted a week later. Pallavi replaced Gautam.</li> <li>• Kobi Jayanti held at Mt. Waverley Community Centre on Sunday 20th May at 5.30pm.</li> <li>• Haimanti Shukla sings at Kel Watson Theatre, Forest Hill College on Sunday 1st July @ 6.30pm. Boxed dinner included in ticket price</li> <li>• Durga Puja held on 1st &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> October at Serbian Community Centre, Keysborough.</li> <li>• BBQ/Sports day on 27th January at Batesford Park, Chadstone. A cricket match between the Seniors &amp; the juniors was enjoyed by all.</li> <li>• Indrani Dutta &amp; her Opera troupe (8 performers) performed on 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb. at Alexander Theatre.</li> <li>• Saraswati Puja held on 16th Feb. at Glen Waverley Community Centre.</li> <li>• AGM &amp; Pahela Baisakh held @6.30pm on 20th April at Clayton Hall, Clayton</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Haimanti Shukla sings</li> <li>• With Dr. Asim Das' initiative, BAV rejoins FIAV.</li> <li>• Indrani Dutta Opera Troupe visits.</li> <li>• Monash City Grant</li> </ul>



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20/4/2013	Clayton Hall, Clayton Road.	<p>Dr Sajal Palit – President</p> <p>Mr Prabal Chakravarty - Vice President</p> <p>Dr Anindya Banerjee - General Secretary</p> <p>Mr Chiranjib Guha - Treasurer</p> <p>Mrs Kritika Basu - Assistant Treasurer</p> <p>Mrs Madhurima Nag - Cultural Secretary</p> <p>Mr Dipanjan Ghosh - Joint Cultural Secretary</p> <p>Dr Debadi Chakrabarty - Public Officer</p> <p>Mrs Lopamudra Dey - Joint Public Officer</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AGM &amp; Pahela Baisakh held @6.30pm on 20th April at Clayton Hall, Clayton</li> <li>• Sit In demonstration against atrocities on Hindus in Bangladesh 10am @ Federation Square</li> <li>• Kobi Jayanati @Glen Waverley Community Centre, 6pm Saturday 1 June 2013</li> <li>• Children's Afternoon at Mt waverley Community Centre @1pm on 24 August 2013. Free event</li> <li>• SGM held on 1 June 2013 followed by Kobi Jayanti at 6pm at Glen Waverley Community Centre, SGM outcome :             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Terms increased to 2 years from previous 1 year.</li> <li>○ Max. no. Of committee members increased from 9 to 11</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Independence Day celebration at 6pm at Mulgrave Community Centre on 24 August 2013. Free event</li> <li>• Inaugural Senior Citizens' function held at 6pm-9pm on 22 September 2013 at Glen Waverley Community Centre followed by dinner. Just over 60 members attended. Free event.</li> <li>• 12-13 October 2013, Durga Puja @ Gloria Pyke Netball Centre, Dandenong.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BAV Senior Citizens' Club(BSCCV) formed on 1 September 2013 with following committee members :             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Dr Sajal Palit, Convenor</li> <li>○ Dr. Pratish Bandopadhyay, General Secretary</li> <li>○ Mr. Bejoy Ambali, Cultural Secretary</li> <li>○ Dr. Asim Das</li> <li>○ Mr. Kalyan Banerjee</li> <li>○ Dr. Profulla Roy</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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