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200th Shaheedi Diwas of  
**Akali Baba Phula Singh Ji**

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*Poullah Singh nahongh  
général des Akalis fanatiques Sikhs*

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*A painting of Akali  
Baba Phula Singh Ji  
housed in the Guimet  
Museum, Paris.*

### Dedication

This calendar is dedicated to the 200th Shaheedi Divas of Akali Baba Phula Singh Ji, who attained Shaheedi on 14th March 1823 in the Battle of Naushehra. The esteemed historian Giani Isher Singh Ji Nara has beautifully written:

"Just like a lotus flower remains untouched by the murky waters, such was Akali Phula Singh Ji, precious to all, he walked a unique path. He recognised begging as impermissible and only ate that which he earned, he remained content in the will of Vaheguru. He protected the Gurdwaras without any greed and entered the battlefield with happiness on his face. He worshipped none but Akaal, such was Akali Phula Singh, the Sikh of Dasmesh!"

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
	<b>1</b> 14 <sup>th</sup> March <b>NS</b> <b>Khalsa New Year</b> <b>200th Shaheedi Divas</b> Akali Baba Phula Singh Ji ▶ Sangrand	<b>2</b> 15 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>3</b> 16 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>4</b> 17 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>5</b> 18 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>6</b> 19 <sup>th</sup> March <b>Gurgadhi</b> Sri Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji
<b>7</b> 20 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>8</b> 21 <sup>st</sup> March  Massia ○	<b>9</b> 22 <sup>nd</sup> March  <b>Gurgadhi</b> Sri Guru Amar Das Ji	<b>10</b> 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	<b>11</b> 24 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>12</b> 25 <sup>th</sup> March <b>Jothi Joth</b> Sri Guru Angad Dev Ji <b>Shaheedi</b> Bhai Subegh Singh Ji & Bhai Shahbaz Singh Ji	<b>13</b> 26 <sup>th</sup> March  <b>Jothi Joth</b> Sri Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji
<b>14</b> 27 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>15</b> 28 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>16</b> 29 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>17</b> 30 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>18</b> 31 <sup>st</sup> March	<b>19</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> April	<b>20</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> April
<b>21</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	<b>22</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>23</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> April <b>Jothi Joth</b> Sri Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji <b>Gurgadhi</b> Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji	<b>24</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> April Puranmashi ●	<b>25</b> 7 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>26</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>27</b> 9 <sup>th</sup> April
<b>28</b> 10 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>29</b> 11 <sup>th</sup> April <b>NS</b> <b>Parkash Purab</b> Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji	<b>30</b> 12 <sup>th</sup> April <b>NS</b> <b>Parkash Purab</b> Sri Guru Arjan Dev Ji	<b>31</b> 13 <sup>th</sup> April <b>Shaheedi Saka</b> 1978 (Amritsar)			





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*A fresco of Akali  
Baba Naina Singh Ji  
from Gurdwara  
Baba Atal Ji, Sri  
Amritsar Sahib.*

### **Akali Baba Naina Singh Ji**

Akali Baba Naina Singh Ji was the 5th Jathedar of Budha Dal and was known as a wise leader and a fierce warrior. According to some sources, Baba Ji's full name was Baba Narayan Singh Ji. Baba Ji also did seva of many Gurdwara Sahibs such as Sri Anandpur Sahib and Sri Damdama Sahib, which was carried on by Akali Phula Singh Ji. As Baba Ji mainly stayed at Sri Taran Taaran Sahib, there is a Bunga in the Parkarma dedicated to them. Here Baba Ji would prepare Langar for the Sangat alongside the seva of the Gurdwara Sahib. Their Samadhi (place of cremation) is situated on the Parkarma of Sri Bibeksar Sahib (Sri Amritsar Sahib).

(Source: Mahan Kosh & Ankhila Jarnail, Dr H.B. Singh)



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				1 14 <sup>th</sup> April NS Khalsa Sajna Divas Vaisakhi Sangrand	2 15 <sup>th</sup> April	3 16 <sup>th</sup> April
4 17 <sup>th</sup> April	5 18 <sup>th</sup> April	6 19 <sup>th</sup> April	7 20 <sup>th</sup> April Massia ○	8 21 <sup>st</sup> April NS Parkash Purab Sri Guru Angad Dev Ji Janam Bhagat Dhanna Ji	9 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	10 23 <sup>rd</sup> April
11 24 <sup>th</sup> April	12 25 <sup>th</sup> April	13 26 <sup>th</sup> April	14 27 <sup>th</sup> April	15 28 <sup>th</sup> April	16 29 <sup>th</sup> April	17 30 <sup>th</sup> April
18 1 <sup>st</sup> May	19 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	20 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	21 4 <sup>th</sup> May NS Parkash Purab Sri Guru Amardas Ji Shaheedi Jorr Mela Sri Mukatsar Sahib (Chaali Mukte)	22 5 <sup>th</sup> May 300th Janam Dihara Sardar Jassa Singh Ramgarhia Puranmashi ●	23 6 <sup>th</sup> May	24 7 <sup>th</sup> May
25 8 <sup>th</sup> May	26 9 <sup>th</sup> May	27 10 <sup>th</sup> May Barsi Baba Cheth Singh Ji 96 Krori Budha Dal	28 11 <sup>th</sup> May	29 12 <sup>th</sup> May	30 13 <sup>th</sup> May Gurgadhi Sri Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji	31 14 <sup>th</sup> May



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*An old painting of  
Akali Baba Phula  
Singh Ji in his earlier  
years.*

### Early life

Akali Phula Singh Ji was born in 1761 in the house of Bhai Isher Singh Ji of Misl Nishanchian & Mata Har Kaur Ji, in the village of Sheehan. Bhai Isher Singh Ji attained Shaheedi when Akali Ji was only 9 months old, in the Vadda Ghalughara (1762). Not long after Mata Ji also passed away. Before passing away, Mata Ji offered the two-year-old Akali Ji to Baba Naina Singh Ji. Baba Ji accepted the child as he knew Bhai Isher Singh Ji very well. Akali Ji grew up under the tutelage of Gursikhs such as Baba Naina Singh Ji & Giani Surat Singh Ji, learning Gurmat Vidhya, Farsi, Shastar Vidhya and Raajneeti in Sri Amritsar Sahib. At the age of ten, Akali Ji had memorised Nitnem, Akaal Ustat, 33 Swaiyeh and other Baania.

(Source: Akali Phula Singh Ji, Baba Prem Singh Ji Hoti)



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1 15 <sup>th</sup> May	2 16 <sup>th</sup> May	3 17 <sup>th</sup> May	4 18 <sup>th</sup> May	5 19 <sup>th</sup> May	6 20 <sup>th</sup> May	7 21 <sup>st</sup> May
► Sangrand		Historic Chotta Ghallughara		Massia ○		
8 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	9 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	10 24 <sup>th</sup> May	11 25 <sup>th</sup> May	12 26 <sup>th</sup> May	13 27 <sup>th</sup> May	14 28 <sup>th</sup> May
Historic Shaheedi Saka Sri Paunta Sahib	Shaheedi Sri Guru Arjan Dev Ji Barsi Sant Kirpal Singh Ji Satogali					
15 29 <sup>th</sup> May	16 30 <sup>th</sup> May	17 31 <sup>st</sup> May	18 1 <sup>st</sup> June	19 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	20 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	21 4 <sup>th</sup> June
			Shaheedi Ghallughara 1984 (OPERATION BLUE STAR)			
				Janam Sant Jarnail Singh Ji Bhindranwale		Janam Bhagat Kabir Ji Puranmashi ●
22 5 <sup>th</sup> June	23 6 <sup>th</sup> June	24 7 <sup>th</sup> June	25 8 <sup>th</sup> June	26 9 <sup>th</sup> June	27 10 <sup>th</sup> June	28 11 <sup>th</sup> June
Parkash Sri Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji						
29 12 <sup>th</sup> June	30 13 <sup>th</sup> June	31 14 <sup>th</sup> June				



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*An early photograph  
of Sachkhand Sri  
Harmandir Sahib, Sri  
Amritsar Sahib.*

### **Panthic Seva of Gurdwara Sahibs**

In 1800, witnessing the neglect in the seva of Gurdwara Sahibs around Sri Amritsar Sahib, Akali Ji started the Seva of stopping any mismanagement. In a short period, Akali Ji became responsible for the maintenance of most of the Gurdwara Sahibs around Sri Amritsar Sahib and corrected any negligence. Akali Ji with masses of Sikh Sangat initiated the Kaar Seva of the Sarovar of Sachkhand Sri Harmandir Sahib. Later, Akali Ji also performed the Seva of Sri Mukatsar Sahib, Sri Anandpur Sahib, and Sri Damdama Sahib. A Gurdwara Sahib in Sri Amritsar Sahib (Burj Akali Phula Singh Ji) is dedicated to their memory. This land was given as a Jagir to Akali Ji and was known as 'Nihungan di Chauni'.





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5 19 <sup>th</sup> June	6 20 <sup>th</sup> June	7 21 <sup>st</sup> June	8 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	9 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	10 24 <sup>th</sup> June	11 25 <sup>th</sup> June
						<b>Shaheedi</b> Baba Banda Singh Bahadur Ji
12 26 <sup>th</sup> June	13 27 <sup>th</sup> June	14 28 <sup>th</sup> June	15 29 <sup>th</sup> June <b>NS</b>	16 30 <sup>th</sup> June	17 1 <sup>st</sup> July	18 2 <sup>nd</sup> July
<b>Barsi</b> Sant Baba Joginder Singh Ji Moni		<b>Historic</b> Miri Piri Diwas	<b>Barsi</b> Sant Giani Gurbachan Singh Ji Bhindranwale  <b>Barsi</b> Maharaja Ranjit Singh Ji			
19 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	20 4 <sup>th</sup> July	21 5 <sup>th</sup> July	22 6 <sup>th</sup> July	23 7 <sup>th</sup> July	24 8 <sup>th</sup> July	25 9 <sup>th</sup> July
Puranmashi ●						<b>Shaheedi</b> Bhai Mani Singh Ji
26 10 <sup>th</sup> July	27 11 <sup>th</sup> July <b>NS</b>	28 12 <sup>th</sup> July	29 13 <sup>th</sup> July	30 14 <sup>th</sup> July	31 15 <sup>th</sup> July	
	<b>Parkash</b> Sri Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji					





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*A painting depicting  
Maharaja Ranjit Singh  
Ji sitting with Maharaja  
Sher Singh Ji, Sardar  
Hari Singh Ji Nalwa,  
Akali Phula Singh Ji  
and Giani Sant  
Singh Ji.*

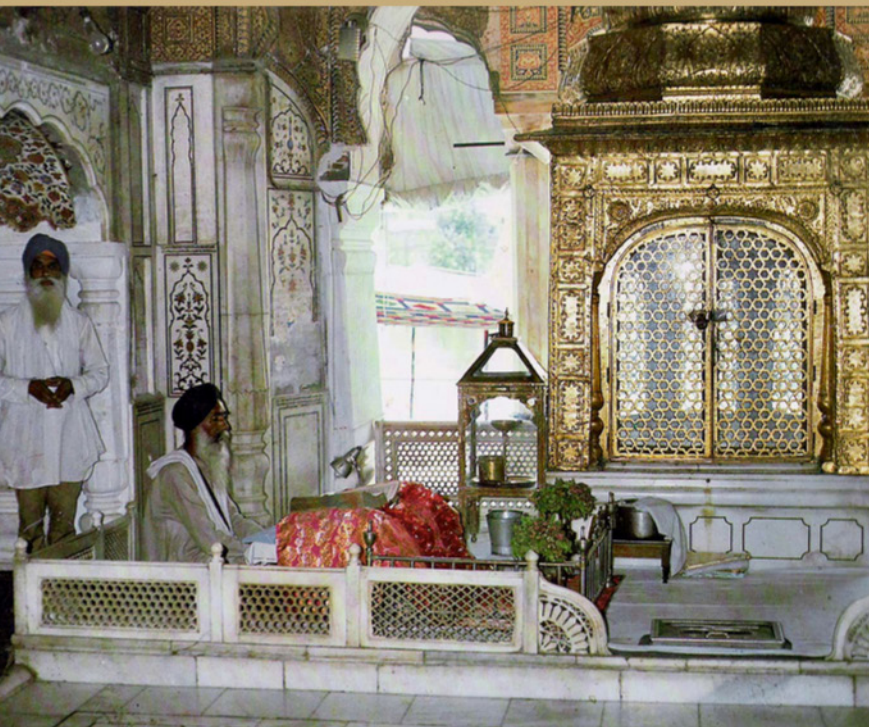
### Meeting Maharaja Ranjit Singh

In December 1802, Maharaja Ranjit Singh entered Amritsar to bring it under his rule. At the time, Amritsar was under the rule of the Bhangi Misl, who were prepared to fight the Maharaja. Bibi Sukhan, the wife of Sardar Gulab Singh got ready to fight, and a skirmish went on for four days. A great storm struck Amritsar on the fifth day. Bibi Sukhan escaped, and the Maharaja took control. At this time Akali Ji expressed to both parties the great sin of Sikhs spilling each other's blood. Akali Ji told the Maharaja to order his troops not to plunder Amritsar as it was 'Guru Ki Nagri'. The Maharaja agreed and a great bond of affection grew between Akali Ji and the Maharaja.



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						<b>1</b> 16 <sup>th</sup> July <b>Shaheedi</b> Bhai Taru Singh Ji ▶ Sangrand
<b>2</b> 17 <sup>th</sup> July  Massia ○	<b>3</b> 18 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>4</b> 19 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>5</b> 20 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>6</b> 21 <sup>st</sup> July	<b>7</b> 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	<b>8</b> 23 <sup>rd</sup> July
<b>9</b> 24 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>10</b> 25 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>11</b> 26 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>12</b> 27 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>13</b> 28 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>14</b> 29 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>15</b> 30 <sup>th</sup> July
<b>16</b> 31 <sup>st</sup> July  <b>Shaheedi</b> Sardar Udham Singh Ji	<b>17</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> August  Puranmashi ●	<b>18</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> August	<b>19</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> August	<b>20</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> August  <b>Barsi</b> Sant Nidhan Singh Ji Langar Sahib	<b>21</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> August  <b>Barsi</b> Bhagat Puran Singh Ji Pingalwara	<b>22</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> August
<b>23</b> 7 <sup>th</sup> August  <b>Sampooranta Divas</b> Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji	<b>24</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>25</b> 9 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>26</b> 10 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>27</b> 11 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>28</b> 12 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>29</b> 13 <sup>th</sup> August
<b>30</b> 14 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>31</b> 15 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>32</b> 16 <sup>th</sup> August  Massia ○				



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*The interior of Sri Akal  
Takhat Sahib, 1970s.*

### **Jathedar of Sri Akal Takhat Sahib & Budha Dal**

As the leader of the Khalsa Panth, Akali Ji served as the Jathedar of Sri Akal Takhat Sahib as well as leading the Budha Dal as their 6th Jathedar. Akali Ji solidified the Puratan Maryada of Sri Akal Takhat Sahib, ensuring only Tyaar bar Tyaar Singhs were doing Seva inside Takhat Sahib. During the Mughal era, many traditions such as Dhadhi Vaaran being sung in front of Takhat Sahib had diminished, Akali Ji reinvigorated these traditions to instill the warrior spirit in the Khalsa. Akali Ji never stood for any transgression in Maryada, anyone who made a mistake, regardless of political position were always called to Sri Akal Takhat Sahib to answer for their wrongdoings.

(Source: Ankhila Jarnail, Dr H.B. Singh)



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Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1 17 <sup>th</sup> August <b>Barsi</b> Sant Kartar Singh Ji Bhindranwale ►Sangrand	2 18 <sup>th</sup> August	3 19 <sup>th</sup> August	4 20 <sup>th</sup> August
5 21 <sup>st</sup> August	6 22 <sup>nd</sup> August	7 23 <sup>rd</sup> August	8 24 <sup>th</sup> August	9 25 <sup>th</sup> August	10 26 <sup>th</sup> August  <b>Barsi</b> Sant Isher Singh Ji Rara Sahib	11 27 <sup>th</sup> August  <b>Janam</b> Bhai Daya Singh Ji
12 28 <sup>th</sup> August	13 29 <sup>th</sup> August  <b>Barsi</b> Baba Nand Singh Ji	14 30 <sup>th</sup> August	15 31 <sup>st</sup> August  <b>Jorr Mela</b> Rakhar Punna (Baba Bakala) Puranmashi ●	16 1 <sup>st</sup> Sept	17 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sept	18 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sept
19 4 <sup>th</sup> Sept	20 5 <sup>th</sup> Sept	21 6 <sup>th</sup> Sept	22 7 <sup>th</sup> Sept	23 8 <sup>th</sup> Sept	24 9 <sup>th</sup> Sept	25 10 <sup>th</sup> Sept
26 11 <sup>th</sup> Sept	27 12 <sup>th</sup> Sept	28 13 <sup>th</sup> Sept	29 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept  Massia ○	30 15 <sup>th</sup> Sept  <b>Barsi</b> Giani Amarjeet Singh Ji Massia ○	NS 31 16 <sup>th</sup> Sept  <b>Pehla Parkash</b> Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji	



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*Sri Akal Takhat Sahib,  
1960.*

### **Fearless Leader**

Akali Phula Singh Ji was a valiant leader who did not fear anyone, even Kings like Maharaja Ranjit Singh. Once, when the Maharaja married Moran (a dancing girl from Lahore) in a Nikkah ceremony and tried to mint coins in her name, Akali Ji declared the Maharaja a Tankhahia. The Maharaja was summoned to Sri Akal Takhat Sahib and ordered to be given five lashes under the imlee (tamarind) tree outside Sri Akal Takhat Sahib and to offer Sava Lakh Rupees. The humbled Maharaja admitted that he had made a mistake and accepted the Tankhah. He lifted his shirt and bowed down to receive his punishment. Seeing this, Akali Ji asked the Sadh Sangat to forgive the Maharaja for this mistake and stopped the lashings.

(Source: Ankhila Jarnail, Dr H.B. Singh)

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9 25 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept	11 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept Gurgadhi Sri Guru Ram Das Ji	12 28 <sup>th</sup> Sept	13 29 <sup>th</sup> Sept Jothi Jothi Sri Guru Amar Das Ji Puranmashi ●	14 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept	15 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct
16 2 <sup>nd</sup> Oct	17 3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct Gurgadhi Sri Guru Angad Dev Ji	18 4 <sup>th</sup> Oct	19 5 <sup>th</sup> Oct	20 6 <sup>th</sup> Oct	21 7 <sup>th</sup> Oct Barsi Sant Isher Singh Ji Kaleran Wale	22 8 <sup>th</sup> Oct
23 9 <sup>th</sup> Oct Jothi Joth Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji Shaheedi Bhai Sukhdev Singh Sukha & Bhai Harjinder Singh Jinda	24 10 <sup>th</sup> Oct	25 11 <sup>th</sup> Oct	26 12 <sup>th</sup> Oct	27 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	28 14 <sup>th</sup> Oct Massia ○	29 15 <sup>th</sup> Oct Arambh Dussehra Mahattam Paath
30 16 <sup>th</sup> Oct						



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*A Fresco of Akali  
Phula Singh Ji on an  
elephant, from  
Gurdwara Akalgarh  
Sahib, Dina, Punjab.*

### Battles of Akali Phula Singh Ji

Akali Ji had many disagreements with the Maharaja and did not like his westernisation of the Sikh army but would never back out of fighting for the prosperity of the Khalsa Raj. Akali Ji was not an employed soldier of the Maharaja's army but fought with valour, due to his sense of righteousness. In 1816, when Maharaja Ranjit Singh's armies made their sixth attack upon Multan, Akali Ji led a fierce band of Nihung Singhs. The Khalsa fought with courage and took the Fort in the final assault they launched in 1818. Akali Ji and the Budha Dal also participated in the Peshawar (1818) and Kashmir (1819) campaigns.



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	Sangrand					
7 23 <sup>rd</sup> Oct	8 24 <sup>th</sup> Oct NS	9 25 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10 26 <sup>th</sup> Oct	11 27 <sup>th</sup> Oct	12 28 <sup>th</sup> Oct	13 29 <sup>th</sup> Oct
Janam Baba Budha Ji	Bhog Dussehra Mahattam Paath				Puranmashi ●	
14 30 <sup>th</sup> Oct NS	15 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct NS	16 1 <sup>st</sup> Nov	17 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nov	18 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov NS	19 4 <sup>th</sup> Nov	20 5 <sup>th</sup> Nov
Parkash Sri Guru Ramdas Ji	Barsi Sant Baba Ajit Singh Ji Patna Sahib			Parkash Mata Sahib Deva Kaur Ji		
Historic Shaheedi Saka Sri Panja Sahib	Shaheedi Bhai Beant Singh Ji					
21 6 <sup>th</sup> Nov	22 7 <sup>th</sup> Nov	23 8 <sup>th</sup> Nov	24 9 <sup>th</sup> Nov	25 10 <sup>th</sup> Nov	26 11 <sup>th</sup> Nov	27 12 <sup>th</sup> Nov NS
Jothi Joth Sri Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji						Jorr Mela Diwali/ Deepmala
Gurgadhi Sri Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji						
28 13 <sup>th</sup> Nov	29 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	30 15 <sup>th</sup> Nov NS				
Barsi Sant Jwala Singh Ji Harkhowal	Janam Bhagat Namdev Ji	Gurgadhi Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji Shaheedi Baba Deep Singh Ji				
Massia ○						



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*Shastars of Akali Ji  
being shown at Sri  
Akal Takhat Sahib &  
Sri Hazur Sahib.*

### Shastar of Akali Baba Phula Singh Ji

Before partition, the Shastar of Akali Ji were kept at their Shaheed Ganj (place of Shaheedi) in Naushehra. However, when violence broke out in 1947, Sardar Khushaal Singh who was the manager of the Gurdwara Sahib safely brought Akali Ji's Shastar to Delhi. This included Akali Ji's Tegha (broad curved sword), Khanda (double-edged sword) and Kataar (punch dagger). After some time, these Shastar were offered to Sri Akal Takhat Sahib. One Tegha of Akali Ji is kept at Takhat Sachkhand Sri Hazur Sahib. All these Shastar are shown to the Sangat every evening after Sri Rehras Sahib. The axe that Akali Ji would always keep on their shoulder is preserved by the Sangat of Rajendra Nagar, New Delhi.

(Source: Ankhila Jarnail, Dr H.B. Singh)





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Parkash Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji Puranmashi ●			Janam Sahibzada Baba Joravar Singh Ji			Barsi Sant Giani Mohan Singh Ji Bhindranwale
19 4 <sup>th</sup> Dec	20 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec	21 6 <sup>th</sup> Dec	22 7 <sup>th</sup> Dec	23 8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	24 9 <sup>th</sup> Dec	25 10 <sup>th</sup> Dec
26 11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	27 12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	28 13 <sup>th</sup> Dec	29 14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	30 15 <sup>th</sup> Dec		
	Massia ○		Janam Sahibzada Baba Fateh Singh Ji	Gurgadhi Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji		





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*A painting depicting  
Akali Phula Singh Ji's  
final conversation  
with Maharaja Ranjit  
Singh Ji.*

### **A Sikh never turns back once they have done Ardaas**

Just before their Shaheedi in the Battle of Naushehra, Maharaja Ranjit Singh asked Akali Ji to hold out a few more days as they were at a weak point and more artillery and soldiers were yet to arrive from Lahore. Akali Ji replied, "Maharaja Sahib! What type of Gursikh are you? Do you not have faith in your Guru? Do you not know once a Sikh does Ardaas they do not step back from the battlefield? I have done Ardaas this morning for Guru Ji to bless me with Shaheedi on the battlefield, if I do not fulfil this promise with my Guru, I shall be a bemukh.' Saying this Akali Ji said his final Fateh to the Maharaja. Seeing Akali Ji riding into battle the Maharaja had to change his decision to wait and ordered his troops to advance.

(Source: Ankhila Jarnail, Dr H.B. Singh)

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	Puranmashi ●		Shaheedi Chotte Sahibzade & Mata Gujri Ji			
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*A fresco from  
Udhampur (Jammu)  
showing Akali Ji  
fighting in the battle  
of Naushehra.*

### **Battle of Naushehra & Akali Ji's Shaheedi**

In January 1823, Amir Muhammad Azim Khan marched from Kabul, intent on occupying Peshawar and driving out the Sikhs. The Khalsa Army rapidly moved northwards and converged on Naushehra, midway between Attock and Peshawar. In the fierce action fought at Naushehra, the Akali Nihung regiment, 1500 strong, made a fierce charge and was soon in the thick of the battle. Akali Ji's horse was struck by a bullet and died. Akali Ji was also hurt but shifted onto an elephant and pressed forward. The Afghan soldiers made Akali Ji their main target and he fell under a heavy shower of bullets. Although Akali Ji and many Singhs attained Shaheedi, the battle was won, and the Afghans had to flee Naushehra. Akali Ji attained Shaheedi on 14th March 1823.





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						<b>1</b> 14 <sup>th</sup> Jan <b>Maaghi Mela</b> Sri Mukatsar Sahib ▶Sangrand
<b>2</b> 15 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<b>3</b> 16 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<b>4</b> 17 <sup>th</sup> Jan <b>NS</b> <b>Parkash</b> Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji	<b>5</b> 18 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<b>6</b> 19 <sup>th</sup> Jan <b>Barsi</b> Baba Daya Singh Ji Sursingh Wale	<b>7</b> 20 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<b>8</b> 21 <sup>st</sup> Jan
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<b>16</b> 29 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<b>17</b> 30 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<b>18</b> 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan	<b>19</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Feb <b>Barsi</b> Sant Attar Singh Ji Mastuana	<b>20</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Feb	<b>21</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> Feb	<b>22</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb
<b>23</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>24</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>25</b> 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>26</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>27</b> 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb <b>Historic</b> Vadda Ghallughara Massia ○	<b>28</b> 10 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>29</b> 11 <sup>th</sup> Feb
<b>30</b> 12 <sup>th</sup> Feb <b>Janam</b> Sahibzada Baba Ajit Singh Ji						





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*A fresco of Akali  
Baba Hanuman  
Singh Ji from  
Gurdwara Baba Atal  
Ji, Sri Amritsar Sahib.*

### **Akali Baba Hanuman Singh Ji**

After the Shaheedi of Akali Ji, the command of the Budha Dal was given to Baba Hanuman Singh Ji. Baba Ji was born in the village Naurang Singh Wala to Sardar Garja Singh Ji and Mata Harnam Kaur Ji. Baba Ji fought in many great battles under the leadership of Akali Baba Phula Singh Ji. Baba Ji fought a fierce battle in 1845 against the British, in which the British suffered a very big loss. When Baba Ji returned to Patiala along with his army, he was fired at by cannons from the Patiala army who had sided with the British. Countless Singhs attained Shaheedi. However, Baba Hanuman Singh Ji survived and reached Ghudam and fought another battle with the British. Later, in the battle of Sohana, Baba Ji attained Shaheedi along with many Singhs on 19th June 1845.





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## Nihung Santhia Holidays **NS**

### Cheth

1st Cheth (14th March)  
29th Cheth (11th April)  
30th Cheth (12th April)

200th Shaheedji Divas Akali Baba Phula Singh Ji  
Parkash Purab Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji  
Parkash Purab Sri Guru Arjan Dev Ji

### Vaisakh

1st Vaisakh (14th April)  
8th Vaisakh (21st April)  
21st Vaisakh (4th May)

Vaisakhi – Khalsa Sajna Divas  
Parkash Purab Sri Guru Angad Dev Ji  
Parkash Purab Sri Guru Amardas

### Jeth

9th Jeth (23rd May)  
22nd Jeth (5th June)

Shaheedji Sri Guru Arjan Dev Ji  
Parkash Sri Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji

### Harr

15th Harr (29th June)  
27th Harr (11th July)

Barsi Sant Giani Gurbachan Singh Ji Bhindranwale  
Parkash Sri Guru Harkrishan Ji

### Savan

23rd Savan (7th August)

Sampooranta Divas Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji

### Bhadon

30th Bhadon (15th Sept)  
31st Bhadon (16th Sept)

Barsi Giani Amarjeet Singh Ji (Hazur Sahib)  
Pehla Parkash Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji

### Katak

8th Katak (24th Oct)  
14th Katak (30th Oct)  
15th Katak (31st Oct)  
18th Katak (3rd Nov)  
27th Katak (12th Nov)  
30th Katak (15th Nov)

Bhog Dussehra Mahattam Paath  
Parkash Sri Guru Ramdas Sahib Ji  
Barsi Sant Baba Ajit Singh Ji Patna Sahib  
Parkash Mata Sahib Deva Kaur Ji  
Divali / Deepmala  
Gurgadhi Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji

### Maghar

12th Maghar (27th Nov)

Parkash Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji

### Poh

2nd Poh (17th Dec)  
8th Poh (23rd Dec)  
13th Poh (28th Dec)

Shaheedji Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji  
Shaheedji Vadde Sahibzade  
Shaheedji Chotte Sahibzade & Mata Gujri Ji

### Magh

4 Magh (17th Jan)

Parkash Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji

### Phagun

11th Phagun (23rd Feb)

Parkash Purab Sri Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji

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