

Dear Friends,

Greetings from Swisspuja 2015 Executive Committee!

'Durga Puja' is now less than five months away. In all our efforts towards making this year's 'Puja' a memorable one we are also working on bringing out a '**Patrika**' truly highlighting the talent latent in our community.

Hence we request you to pick up your pen, stylus or keyboard and submit a written composition worthy of your talent. The submission details are as follows:

- **Topic:** your choice (any topic)
- **Word limit:** 1200 words, 25 words author profile with a portrait photo and email id of author.
- **Language:** Bangla, English or German.
- **Submission deadline:** Sunday, June 21, 2015.

For Bangla submissions, please use Unicode (Avro Keyboard).

Please send your entry to
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*This year we are introducing a new category for submission, namely: **Kids Hall of Fame**, details as below:*

Age 1-4: Fancy Dress in Photos, dress your child in an interesting dress (e.g. as Krishna, or Durga, or any other interesting costume), take a photo in high resolution and send it to us with name and age of your child.

Age 5-15: If your child has won a prize or achieved something in school or in a hobby class, please send us a photo and a short description, with name and age of your child. e.g. Sanat Bhattacharya, 11 years, winning his Karate Green Belt in Basel, Jan. 2015 (with a photo of Sanat in a karate match).

We would also like to encourage our young adults to submit short write ups on their favourite topic or pick an aspect of 'Durga Puja' and write on it (300 words max).

Note: We will try to accommodate as many submissions as possible, but cannot guarantee that all will get published due to page limits.

Thank YOU!

With best wishes and regards,
SWISSPUJA 2015 Executive Committee