



Bhakti Marga Ireland - Country Week

Friday 29 November to Thursday 5 December 2019

Overview

- The UK Country week will take place from 12:30 on Friday 29 November till 09:00 on Thursday 05 December 2019 at Paramahansa Vishwananda's Ashram and the Bhakti Marga Headquarters – Shree Peetha Nilaya (the Ashram)
- We will be sharing our country week with: USA, Canada, UK, Netherlands and Belgium.

What is included as part of the trip?

Bhakti Marga Academy Lectures

- 4x lectures on Bhagavad Gita
- 1x lecture on the Bhakti Marga Mission

Events with Paramahansa Vishwananda

- Mahavatar Babaji Day Celebrations on Saturday 30 November
- Attending ONE of the Shared Public Darshans on either Monday 2 December OR Tuesday 3 December.
- Exclusive Darshan ONLY for those who attend FULL 7 days on Wednesday 4 December
- Exclusive Satsang with Guruji for Country Week participants, on Monday 2 December (Most likely)
- Other spontaneous Satsangs as and when He wishes

Sadhana Sessions (time permitting)

- AKY2 Initiation on Saturday 30 November
- Talk on Japa and Japa Walk
- Group AKY Practice
- OM Chantings

Optional Academy Courses

- Music Workshop 1 (introduction to bhajans and how to use your voice)
- Music Workshop 2 (introduction in first steps of how to play Mrdunga)
- Sri Yantra Painting and Meditation
- Art Workshop
- Simple Puja
- Vedic Chanting

Country Specific Activities

- Yagna with Swamini Karuna
- Satsang with Swamini Karuna

Staying at the Ashram

Pilgrims can apply to stay within the Ashram. Room Type*

There are three room types available:

- Group Rooms (4/5 people)
- Triple Rooms (3 people)
- Double Rooms (2 people)

**Rooms are to contain either the same gender or all family members.*

Meals

Vegan Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner are included in price of your room. Other Vegan food can be purchased throughout day at Bhajan Café or Vending Machines.

Payment*

Option 1	6 nights in Group Room (4/5 person shared room) in Ashram + 5 lectures	€320
Option 2	6 nights in Triple Room (3 person shared room) in Ashram + 5 lectures	€430
Option 3	6 nights in Double Room (2 person shared room) in Ashram + 5 lectures	€410
Option 4	Lectures Only (Staying Outside of Ashram)	€77
Option 5	Partial attendance. E.g. Weekend only	Contact seb@bhaktimarga.ie

Priority

Those attending the full seven days AND who are staying in the Ashram for the first time are given priority allocation.

Staying Outside of the Ashram

Pilgrims can stay outside the Ashram and still attend all the lectures/Darshans/workshops etc. To look for alternative accommodation outside of the Ashram and guesthouses:

- Contact Sebastian and we can put you in touch with reliable guesthouses in the Springen village just a short walk or in one case, car ride away from the Ashram
- visit www.booking.com and search for the closest available accommodation in Springen,
- Weisbaden or Bad Schwalbach or see a list of nearby accommodation recommended by the Ashram; OR see the list of recommended Bed and Breakfasts near the Ashram here: <https://theashram.bhaktimarga.org/come-and-visit/accommodations-near>

Meals

If you are therefore staying outside of the Ashram but wish to eat meals the Ashram, the costs of meals are as follows and you would need to pay at reception beforehand:

- Breakfast (€6.00),
- Lunch (€8.00)
- Dinner (€5.00)

Registration

Please register your interest (no payment required) on the booking form found at the bottom of this webpage: <https://bhaktimarga.ie/event/english-speaking-country-week/>

The registration process is open until Monday 23rd September. If you want to stay at the Ashram, you will be informed shortly after this point whether you have been allocated a bed, depending on space and demand.

**Please speak to Sebastian for pricing options if you are:*

- Bringing children under 18
- Taking care of a handicapped person

Things NOT included the prices are listed below:

- Flights/ Transport costs between the Ireland and the Ashram;
- Airport Transfers to and from the Ashram;

- Optional Bhakti Marga Academy Workshops which are €25.00 and can be paid on the day via
- your cash card at reception

Payments

All payments (week long or weekend) must be made by Saturday 28 September 2020. If payments are not fully received by deadlines set, then your place will be cancelled and allocated to someone else.

Payment can only be made by Bank transfer as follows:

Name: Bhakti Marga IRE

Account Number: 89124110

Sort Code: 932094

IBAN: IE46AIBK93209489124110

BIC: AIBKIE2D

Cancellations

If you wish to cancel your booking after payment, €100.00 of your fee is a non-refundable deposit.