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Dear Members

Waheguru ji ka Khalsa Waheguru ji ki Fateh

I hope you and your families are safe and in good health. Please look after yourselves. Today is the anniversary of one of the saddest days in Sikh history when Darbar Sahib Amrisar was attacked by the Indian Army who massacred thousands of Sikhs and caused extensive damage to the Akal Takhat and other buildings. It is a day we will never forget.

I am just writing to give you anupdate on the work being done and convey my thanks to members and supporters for their hard work.

GSC's grateful thanks to ProfessorJugmohan Singh ji who was our guest speaker in our March Conference in Dubai. Since then he has been a great friend of GSC, gives precious timegenerously to support and guide us. Most recently his support for Afghanistan Sikhs has been invaluable.

All the Chairmen of our Sub Committees are not only giving their time but spending money from their own pickets to support GSC'swork. I would like to thank S Paramjit Singh Bedi, Chairman of Afghanistan Committee for working tirelessly seven days a week and 24 hours a day extremely well supported by his team. A few names of his team to mention are S Surinder Singh Bright India, S Harsaran Singh India, S Amanjeet Singh Dubai, S Randeep Singh India.

Similarly, my thanks to Yashpal Singh of Pakistan Heritage Committee, S Harjeet Singh Chairman of Sport Committee, for continuing their efforts in their areas. I would like to thank S Amanjeet Singh of Dubai Chairman of Social and Community Development for giving funds and organising support for the 50 framilies of kirtaniaskathavachaks, pathis and dhadis. These people do not have a regular employment and now due to coronavirus are having difficulties to make ends meets. Randeep Singh, living in Delhi gets roped in almost all our initiatives and gives his time to GSC freely. I thank S Harsaran Singh, who is not only the Chairman of Membership and Administration subcommittee but is a part and parcel of every committee, our wonderful public relations man.

We are lucky to have S Ram Singh Rathore to be the Chairman of IT Media subcommittee. He straight away created YouTube channel for the GSC which we have been wanting since 2015. see attached.My grateful thanks to S Jagir Singh ji our Chairman of Legal Affairs

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for his unstinting support, guidance and encouragement.

In some countries, plans are in place for re-opening of the gurdwaras after the lockdown. Please be careful to the needs of our sangat, their safety is our utmost priority, I am sending you some guidelines. Please use them taking into account the laws of your respective countries. I am also sending you a link to my interview with Sikhi Channel, in which I talked about GSC.

Warm Regards and keep safe

Lady Singh President GSC

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPkYC_otb4ywE8hZs77lurw

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