

**Minutes of the Board of Directors
Hindu Temple of Arizona
November 11, 2004**

1. Meeting opened 2:05pm
2. August minutes approved pending one or two minor changes
3. Secretaries Report
 - Secretary shared concerns from members about people, including Board members, sitting with their backs to Deities. The Board members will make effort in future to correct this.
 - Members have been requesting Pravachans as opposed to just Bhajans and Kirtans. Balbir Sharma to tell Priest to conduct Pravachan on Gita on Sundays and Ramayan on Tuesdays.
 - A suggestion box is in the main entrance hall. Announcements need to be made to inform public about it and to encourage its use.
 - Mina Sangani to put together a format for the announcements so that any Board member is able to make announcements when required. To include request for Sponsors also flowers, paper products and other consumables.
4. Treasurers Report:
 - Mohini Ahuja presented financial statement to the Board
 - Hirisave Ramchandra has put together a plan for the Long Term Buildings Committee
 - Mamta Gupta to put together a plan for a Fundraiser
 - The curtain is ready. The cost of the hardware is \$495.00. Nirmala Chhibber to obtain 2 more quotes.
5. Puja Committee
Janmastami
 - Mrs. Chhibber requested help for this event from the Board
 - Surinder Sharma and Varinder Narang to help set up tables and chairs outside
 - Surinder Sharma to bring ice
 - Jagdish Sharma to video tape event and take care of audio on evening
 - \$100.00 will be needed to pay for the outside to be cleaned up.
6. Meeting Closed 6:00pm