

Establishment of SriLankan American Centre for Social Welfare SACS - USA

Affiliated to SCATS Australia



Sri Lankan American Centre for Social Welfare, SACS, a non profitable organisation was established by a group of Sri Lankan expatriates on 1st of September in San Jose Capital of the Silicon Valley in USA. Prior to the establishment there were two presentations delivered by Gamini Perera OAM, Fonder President and present chairman of international committee of the Sri Lankan Study Centre for the Advancement of Technology and Social Welfare, SCATS Australia. The group was highly impressed of the activities and the social welfare services rendered by SCATS over 26 years for the Sri Lankans living in Australia as well as in Sri Lanka. We also appreciate Mr Eric De Alwis, a former veteran sportsman, who organised these meetings to get all Sri Lankans together under one umbrella.

SCATS Health & Community Education Program October 27th Saturday 2018

Venue: Bowery Theatre Complex, Errington Community Centre, 1 Princes St, St Albans (309C Main Rd E, St Albans VIC 3021)

Special Program of Health & Medical Information awareness for communities in Brimbank and North West Melbourne. Organised and presented by Sri Lankan Study Centre(SCATS) and SCATS Western Region Seniors. All are welcome.

Program -
10am to 1 pm - Two presentations + video screening
(Please be seated by 9.45am for 10am start)

1 pm - Complimentary Lunch (Provided)
2 pm 3.30pm - Musical Program (Music by Asanka, Led by Dr Ovida)

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Music is a Medicine



(Music is Medicine - special 2hr presentation)

Presented by
Dr Ovida Vipulaguna MBBS, FRACGP



Migraine Is Not
"Just a Headache"



(Migraine & Headache Awareness Presentation)
& Video Screening by
Prof Tissa Wijerathne MD,FRACP FAHA
FRSM(UK) FAAN(USA) FRCP(Edin)



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The new Executive committee of SACS

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| Events | Nihal Kuruppu |
| Media and sports | Priyan Pathirana |
| Seniors Advisers | Kusum and Dr,Amara Perera |
| Youth Advisor | Mario Silva |
| Senior Advisor | Gamini Perera |



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