

**A word from
Chairman of the Executive Committee**

The Vedic Cultural Society Mandhir has been a blessing for the Hindu Community of the Treasure Coast and the surrounding areas. The last two years have been exciting and trying as we have continued to support and grow as a Temple. Running a temple is enjoyable and stressful at the same time. Many behind-the-scenes activities occur so that Mandhir events run smoothly. What makes it all work is the support of the community. A Mandhir really does not stand because of brick and mortar, but because of the dedication and hard work of its devotees.

Developments at the Mandhir over the last two years have been gradual and meaningful. Minor structural changes have occurred within the temple to facilitate storage and Multimedia use. Routine maintenance of the building is routinely done rather seamlessly under the watchful eyes of the Maintenance Committee. The Puja Committee diligently arranges weekly pujas. The Food Committee tirelessly feeds our patrons. There is still plenty of room to grow as we explore new ideas that involve the community and improve the Mandhir. We realize that our Mandhir festivities and Pujas continue to attract larger audiences.

These are great challenges to have as the surrounding communities become involved. Each year has been more exciting than the last. As we look to the future, we all know that our Mandhir will continue to flourish with the community's help. Thank you to all the devotees for your support.

Sincerely,

Rahul Aggarwal