

27th Kagyu Monlam Schedule

Pre- Monlam Teaching

Sunday 20 th December, 2009		
1	9–11 AM	Teaching
2	3–5 PM	Teaching

Monday 21 st December, 2009		
1	9–11 AM	Teaching
2	3–5 PM	Teaching

Tuesday 22 nd December, 2009		
1	9–11 AM	Teaching

Monlam Schedule

First Day: Thursday 24 th December, 2009		
1	6–8:30 AM	Sojong vows & <i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
2	9–11 AM	Teaching on <i>The Life of Milarepa</i>
3	1:30–3 PM	<i>The King of Aspirations</i> and <i>Maitreya's Aspiration</i>
4	3:30–5 PM	<i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
Second Day: Friday 25 th December, 2009		
1	6–8:30 AM	Sojong vows & <i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
2	9–11 AM	Teaching on <i>The Life of Milarepa</i>
3	1:30–3 PM	<i>The King of Aspirations</i> and <i>Prayer from the Way of the Bodhisattva</i>
4	3:30–5 PM	<i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
Third Day: Saturday 26 th December, 2009		
1	6–8:30 AM	Sojong vows & <i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
2	9–11 AM	Teaching on <i>The Life of Milarepa</i>
3	1:30–3 PM	<i>The King of Aspirations</i> and <i>The Sukhavati Prayer</i>
4	3:30–5 PM	<i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
Fourth Day: Sunday 27 th December, 2009		
1	6–8:30 AM	Sojong vows & <i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
2	9–11 AM	Teaching on <i>The Life of Milarepa</i>
3	1:30–3 PM	Aspirations for the removal of obstacles
4	3:30–5 PM	<i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
Fifth Day: Monday 28 th December, 2009		
1	6–8:30 AM	Sojong vows & <i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
2	9–11 AM	Teaching on <i>The Life of Milarepa</i>
3	1:30–3 PM	Removal of obstacles: prayers to Guru Rinpoche
4	3:30–5 PM	<i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>

Sixth Day: Tuesday 29 th December, 2009		
1	6–8:30 AM	Sojong vows & <i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
2	9–11 AM	Milarepa Empowerment
3	1:30–3 PM	Prayers for the well-being of Tibet
4	3:30–5 PM	<i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
卐	7 PM	<i>Milarepa Ganachakra Offering</i>
Seventh Day: Wednesday 30 th December, 2009		
1	6–7:30 AM	Sojong vows & Medicine Buddha puja
卐	8 AM	Kangyur Procession
2	8:30–11 AM	Kangyur reading
3	1:30–3 PM	Akshobhya ritual and Dharani Sutra
4	3:30–5 PM	<i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i>
	8:00 PM	Akshobhya purification ritual
Eighth Day, Thursday 31 st December, 2009		
1	6–08:30 AM	Sojong vows, <i>The Twenty-Branch Monlam</i> , & the Sixteen Arhats puja
2	9–10 AM	Lama Chöpa
卐	10AM–12 PM	Alms round
3	1–2:30 PM	Lama Chöpa and Tsog Distribution
4	3–5 PM	Ceremony of Appreciation for the Sponsors and Special Address by H.H. Gyalwang Karmapa
卐	7:30 PM	Marme Monlam (Lamp Prayer)
New Year's Day, Friday, January 1, 2010		
卐	11:00 AM	Celebratory lunch offering to the Sangha
卐	7:00 PM	"The Life of Milarepa"