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**Department of Sanskrit Studies**

Special Lectures - Series 4  
**By Prof. K.S.Kannan**  
**On 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> of Nov 2018**

We are glad to inform you of the fourth series of Special Lectures in the current academic session 2018-19. Prof. K.S.Kannan from Bangalore has kindly consented to deliver a series of lectures on different aspects of Sanskrit Literature at the Department of Sanskrit Studies, RKMVERI, Belur Math

Prof. Kannan has specialized in Alaṅkāraśāstra. Literary achievements and long experience in academics have won him titles like “Vidyānidhi” and awards like “Śrī Rāghavendra Bhāratī Pāṇḍitya Puraskāra”. Amiable disposition blended with wide range of knowledge and student-friendly approach has endeared him to students and scholars alike. It is a matter of joy that Prof. Kannan is visiting our Department to discuss the following topics

The lectures will be scheduled as shown below:

**22 Nov 2018, 7.15 am – 9.15 am: Yoga with special focus on *asteya***

**22 Nov 2018, 6.45 pm – 8.45 pm: The Vedantic view of *Kālidāsa***

**23 Nov 2018, 7.15 am – 9.15 am: *Abhijñānaśākuntalam*: a dhārmic analysis**

**23 Nov 2018, 6.45 pm – 8.45 pm: *Sītā-parityāga* as dealt with by *Kālidāsa***

**Venue:**

**Seminar Hall 1, Prajna Bhavan**

**All are heartily Welcome**

**Swami Japasiddhananda**  
Head, Department of Sanskrit Studies  
13 November 2018