



Vaisakhi, celebrated annually in April, is a significant festival in Northern India, especially for Punjabi Sikhs, marking the 1699 founding of the Sikh Khalsa Panth. Now observed worldwide, including in Canada, Vaisakhi begins with Sikh families attending Gurdwara (temple) services for prayer.

Celebrations include vibrant Nagar Kirtan parades, with participants dressed in colorful traditional attire, singing, dancing, and chanting hymns. Families gather for Langar, a communal meal symbolizing connection and unity. Traditional foods like Sarson Ka Saag, Makke Ki Roti, and desserts such as Kheer and Jalebi are enjoyed, embodying nourishment, joy, and the spirit of togetherness.