Vaisakhi

April 14

There is hymn-singing, lancing, and chanting in a procession called Nagar Kirtan. Sikhs typically dress in vibrant traditional attire and narch through the streets in parades.

Members pledge to wear the five articles of faith and to meditate every day. Additionally, they have direct access to their Sikh spiritual guide

Although Sikhs are not required to be vegetarian, this is to ensure that any visitor to the temple, whatever the dietary restrictions of their faith, can eat in the langar.

Vaisakhi is a traditional harvest festival celebrated by Sikhs and Hindus, having been observed in the Punjab region for a long period of time. The inaugural Khalsa was formed in order to take a stand against the religious oppression Sikhs were facing at the

time

