

# Cincinnati & Surrounding Areas Curry Club

## CASACC Venue Report.

Restaurant:	Shaan Indian Cuisine		
Field Reporter:	Matt Butler	Date:	04/28/2022
The Show:	8		
Attendance:	Score:	Yellow Cards: 0	Red Cards: 0
President:			
Matt Butler	8.7		
Members:			
JJ Wurtz	9.9		
Rob Bosma	9.1		
Leom Holly	9.4		
Samir	10		
Josh Lukas	9.5		
Aaron Madaris	8		
Nate Deems	10		
Totals:	9.325		
General Comments: Good food and good staff in a cozy restaurant.			
<p>Our April adventure began with pre-drinks at R.P. McMurphy's Irish Pub in the Hyde Park area of Cincinnati where the weather was nice enough to allow communion at a table outside of the bar. This wasn't the first Curry visit to the bar, and it was a good time with good drinks as always.</p> <p>The main event took place at Shaan Indian Cuisine, located in Hyde Park Plaza, an "unassuming strip mall" (quoted from Google) just blocks away from the pub. This venue does not serve alcohol but encouraged a byob policy which our club took full advantage of. Various pictures hung on the walls as decoration and the place was generally clean and inviting. We were greeted and served by a very friendly staff member. She seemed to be the only one serving guests but was efficient enough despite multiple other customers attending the restaurant as well. I, the president, requested complimentary poppadoms and the manager happily obliged. The people seemed genuinely happy to serve us and their guests.</p> <p>After receiving our appetizer, we ordered our respective dishes and began the meeting proper with a traditional toast to our founding father. Meeting notes are itemized following this restaurant summary. We received our food in a sporadic but timely manner, and all agreed that it was excellent and well-priced as reflected in our individual scores. There were no complaints of food being too spicy nor too mild, except for one case where two people ordered the same dish at different heat levels and one person inadvertently stole, I mean accepted, the other's meal. This was rectified by the restaurant at no extra cost. Bellies full, we were surprised to see our waitress return with complimentary desserts. Although gratis nourishment does not affect the score of a restaurant, it was greatly appreciated and further showed how much the manager cares about the reputation and image of the restaurant. The only complaint was that the venue does not serve beer. That said, I must admit that I, as president and author of this review, prefer byob establishments so take that however you desire. Overall, the restaurant is in a good location, is clean and well-maintained, has friendly and personable staff, and serves great food at a good price. I look forward to visiting again.</p>			
MEETING NOTES:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rob Bosma agreed to create a secure email list using Google Docs and completed the obligation before the writing of this review.</li> <li>• Old reports need to be submitted and uploaded to the casacc site. At the very least, venues and scores need to be updated so we will know where our December destination will be.</li> <li>• Although we agreed that the blazer should not be dry cleaned, someone should take a wet-nap or something to those stains.</li> <li>• JJ Wurtz agreed to be the President for May. Long live the President!</li> </ul>			
Final Average Score:	<b>9.4</b>		
Next President:	JJ Wurtz		

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Picture in front of the ONLY thing Leom could find wrong – the crooked painting....

