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The Bridge

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Club Secretary : Rtn. Shubhrangshu DattaBulletin Editor :
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Minutes of the last RWM No 3645 dt. 16-02-2023 held at RC Hall at 7 p.m.

President Rtn. Rabindranath Datta was on chair. President requested Rtn. Ms. Maya Pal to lead the National Anthem. All the members present were welcomed after the National Anthem. Special welcome was given to DG, 3291 and he was escorted to dais by secretary Rtn. Subhrangshu. Ann Shakuntala Di offered the flower bouquet to DG on behalf of the club. Other dignitaries present from the RID secretariat were also offered flower stick. President presented the activities of the club in a nut shell and then he felicitated our IPP Rtn. Bula Di during whose tenure platinum jubilee celebration started, the platinum jubilee chair PP Rtn. Dr. Anil Paul, PP Rtn. D. K. Das, the first Chairman of our club trustee board. Secretary felicitated our current president during whose tenure the closing ceremony started.

President invited PE Rtn. Dr. Debasis Sanyal to detail the closing ceremony and he did this and started distribution of the invitation cards to all the member present and requested them to enjoy the musical performance of Smt. Haimanti Shukla.

PP Rtn. Santanu Banerjee gave official introduction of DG in his own style and then DG delivered his speech. He stressed on TRF and membership development and stressed on updation of records at membership portal of RI. Two new members were inducted in this RWM. and the Charter night cake also was cut in presence of DG. President offered the vote of thanks to DG and his secretariat as well as the member present.

President terminated the meeting at 8-30 p.m. with the following declarations:-

- Minutes of last RWM 3644 was confirmed as there was no objection raised.
- Members present 26.
- Sun Shine Box collection Rs. 520=00

Signature

Rtn. Rabindranath Datta

President - 2022-23

Signature

Rtn. Subhrangshu Datta

Secretary - 2022-23

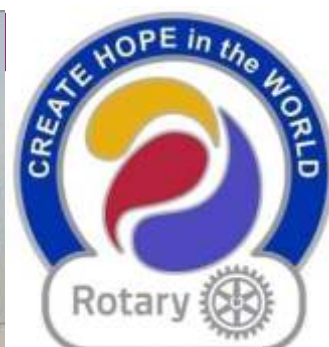
CLUB NEWS

- Rotary at a glance as on 17th Jan'23 :-** Rotary Clubs - 36,855, Rotary Members - 11,82,063 nos., Rotaract clubs - 11,138, Rotaract members - 1,73,840 nos, Interact Clubs - 19,149, Interact members - 4,40,427 nos. RCCs - 12,698 nos
- We have updated our web-site, Rotary India site and My Rotary site up to 16th Feb'23. Members may please go through.
- OCV / RID 3291 communicated that all the documents have been uploaded by our club at Rotary India sites including the latest monthly activity reports for Jan'23. However, according to him following action will be appreciated.
 - Fresh Charter photo may be arranged.
 - Registration under "My Rotary" has to be improved. For registration, special drive has to be given. As on 16th Feb'23, 47% of total members are registered as per record.
 - More involvement of new members in the on-line process of documentation will be helpful to the club..
- PP Rtn. K.L. Seal, PP Rtn. D.K. Das, PP Rtn. Santanu Banerjee, Rtn. Dr. Kingshuk Samanta, Rtn. Dr. Debasis Sanyal, Rtn. Dr. Monosij Dhara, PP Rtn. Dwaraka Nath Datta, PP Rtn. Shibnath Dey, PP Rtn. Saugata Das, PP Rtn. Monojit Sen, Rtn. Jayjit Sen, attended the 50th anniversary celebration dinner at Gulmohar club on 19th Feb'23 along with their families. In addition, Rtn. Maya Pal, Rtn. Gopa Gayen, Rtn. Bibekananda Ghosh, Rtn. Chhanda Dhara, Ann Jayanti Di, Ann Swarnali, IWC president Dipanjana and Rtn. Prajapati Mondal were also present.



INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- International Convention 2023, "IMAGINE WHAT'S NEXT" will be held at Melbourne, Australia on 27th May'23 to 31st May'23. Register today at convention.rotary.org.
- RIPE Gordon McNally, unveiled the 2023-24 presidential theme, "Create Hope in the World"



- 5) Second Sit & Draw competition in memory of Late Rtn.M.M.Dhara is being arranged jointly by IWC Howrah Bridge and Interact club Yoga Health Care, on Sunday, 5th March'23, at 2-30 p.m. onwards, at Rotary Community Hall, Howrah. The event will be co-ordinated by Sri Chandranath Ram, Interact Co-ordinator, in association with RC Howrah. Last date for application for participating in the competition is 2nd March. There will be two groups, viz, 5 yrs -10 yrs and 10yrs 1 day to 15 yrs. For details, please contact Sri Chandranath Ram. Mobile – 98831 08006.
- 6) The First phase of Platinum Jubilee Cultural Function will be held at Sarat Sadan, Hall no – 2, on 25th Feb'23 at 6-30 p.m.. Smt.Haimanti Shukla and Smt.Bijay Lakshmi Burman are the star attraction on that evening. The entire programme is being co-ordinated by Rtn. Dr.Debasis Sanyal who is assisted by Rtn Subhrangshu. For passes and other particulars, please contact Rtn.Rabindranath Datta, president of the club.
- 7) While the second phase of the Platinum Jubilee Cultural Function is also being arranged during last week of March'23 at the same Sarat Sadan, Hall no – 2, at 6-30 p.m. This programme also being co-ordinated by Rtn.Dr.Debasis Sanyal and PP Rtn.Subhrangshu Datta. An One Act drama of 30 mins (Nana Ranger Din) written by Late Sri Ajitesh Banerjee will be staged on that evening which will be directed by Dr.Sanyal. There will be musical items (1 hr 30 mins) to be performed by club members and their families on that evening. Interested members may please contact the co-ordinators immediately for participation and to make the function a grand success.
- 8) Platinum Jubilee club short tour has been fixed during 6th March - 8th March'23 at Purulia. Booking process started long back in mid Jan'23 onwards. On the basis of confirmation from payment of initial money of Rs.1000/- p. head, one 28 seater bus have already booked to start from the club premises at 7 a.m. on 6th March'23. 15 nos rooms have also been booked for them. Any member who are still interested to join along with their family may please contact PP Rtn.Shibnath Dey / PP Rtn.Subhrangshu Datta **within 72 hours. This will help to decide to book another 26 seater bus as well as rooms** for booking their journey. Holy will be spent at Purulia. Registration – Rs.6000/- p. head inclusive of all. As on 15th Feb'23, total 42 persons have registered for this tour.



76th Charter Night Celebration

Our club celebrated 76th Charter night on 16th Feb'23 at RC Hall at 6-30 p.m. Twenty six members and their families attended this function. Total attendee was 46. Anniversary cake was cut by senior members in presence of DG, RID 3291. On this occasion the long awaited past president's gallery was inaugurated by DG. The gallery consists of 76 nos past president's photos. One marble plaque giving the names of donors for club renovation was also inaugurated on that day. President invited all members and their guests at the charter dinner at the close of the function. All drivers were also handed over dinner packets.



Induction of New Members

Two new members were inducted in the family of RC Howrah on 16th Feb'23. They were inducted officially by the DG / RID 3291. Both of them were present along with their partners. Total nos of persons inducted so far stands at 6 nos. Both of them were young and as such we expect they will be helpful for on-line activities and affairs.



TO-NIGHT'S PROGRAMME

:- Discussion on DG's Official Club Visit, 2022-23 and 76th Charter Night Celebration.

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