

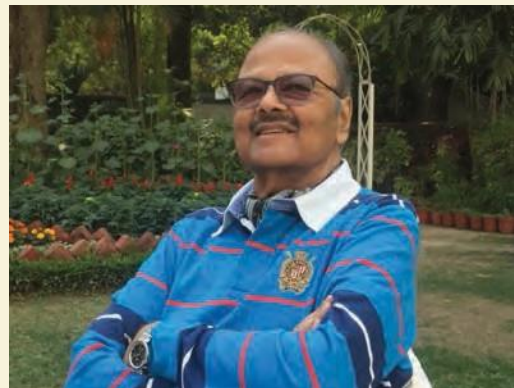
THE MIDTOWNER

BULLETIN OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF CALCUTTA MIDTOWN

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a life remembered

PDG Kamal Seth Memorial Issue





An extraordinary Gentleman PDG & PP and our mentor for all at RCCM Kamal Seth Esq is no longer among us. A towering personality, a father figure with a grateful heart gave all at RCCM confidence to take on any matter or Project. Kamal Ji never batted an eyelid with his gentle and caring nature for any form of support or guidance. One of his beliefs in life which I understood was the importance of balance in whatever you undertake. Kamal Ji's open invitation to come across to his house for wee drops of Dram will always be etched in my mind.

Now that Kamal ji has found his heavenly abode and rests in peace, knowing he did all that he could have done, let us pray for the Family's safe keep.

Margaret & I have been blessed to have been touched by his words and doings. "When we love and respect people it's so comforting to know that they will always be with us in our hearts".

Kamal Seth has indeed left his Foot Prints on Sands of Time. Let us celebrate his life the way he would like us to see him. Om Shanti.

Rtn. Udayendu Dass (David)

Kamal & I worked in Rotary Club of Calcutta Midtown for the last 46 yrs. He was a true dedicated Rotarian. His contribution in Rotary was involvement in deep tube well project in Sunderbans, High breed Papaya, Capsicum Cultivation in South Bengal & many others. He was always soft spoken & kind & great listener. It is difficult to describe him in few words. His death is big loss for Rotary. May his soul rest in peace. My personal condolences to Lalita & family.

Rtn. Dr. Biman Chakrabarty

Kamal bhai was my old friend. I had come to know him during his D.G. election. He was elected as the District Governor of the undivided District (comprising of Bengal, NE states and Sikkim) to serve in the year 1989-90. I was then a member of Rotary Club of Imphal. Later, when he came to Imphal on his official visit to the club, I got closer to him during our interaction on Rotary. Again, when I joined RCCM in the year 1995, we renewed our relationship and became good friends.

Kamal bhai was a dedicated Rotarian and a motivational leader in the club. He had a thorough knowledge of Rotary and had served in various capacity in Rotary International and TRF.

We have lost a true Rotarian, a very good friend and the one who had taken forward Rotary in RID 3291.

My deep Condolences to the bereaved family. I pray the Almighty to give a place to the departed soul in HIS Lotus feet.

Rtn. O.P. Agarwal

Milestones: Rotary Club of Calcutta Midtown
 15th May 1975 Charter Member
 1978 – 79 Director
 1979 – 80 Hony. Secretary
 1980 – 81 Vice-President
 1981 – 82 President
 Club Mentor

District 3291 and International Assignments
 Kamal ji held various positions in the district firmament to ultimately rise to become District Governor in 1989–90. In time, he became the chief advisor and mentor whose guidance was crucial to each serving district governor. His contribution in the International arena of Rotary was noteworthy

1981-82

President—Rtn. Kamal Seth

MESSAGE

Wherever there is team-work, success is inevitable. Success to us means living up to our Rotary motto, 'Service above self.'

In the spirit of team-work, no thought can be given to individual gains or conveniences, but only to the survival of the team as a whole. Within the realm of this team-work, also lies the existence of Rotary—for its activities and even for its survival as a healthy living organisation.

This team-work cannot be limited to just a few office bearers or to a few committee Chairmen. It must embrace and involve the widest possible spectrum of the club's membership. Team-work demands discipline, self-restraint and willingness to serve for the common goal. With proper team-work, not only can a club succeed but even the community and nation.

The task may not look easy, but due to the healthy tradition that our Club has been maintaining, I can count on each one of you, to be an important & active member of the team. With the onset of another year of activities, let team-work be our main guiding force.

Yours-in-Rotary
 Kamal Seth



Kamal ji (far right) at the first Installation Ceremony of RCCM

Image courtesy: Gallery Rasa Archives, Kolkata



We were on an overseas visit and received very sad and undesired news about Sh. Kamal Seth Ji's demise. Kiran and me were shocked about this unbelievable news. One day before our departure on 22nd August'22 we went to his house and met him and as usual enjoyed his and Dr. Lalita Seth's hospitality.

Met Sh. Kamal Seth Ji on joining Rotary in the year 2008. What a tall personality and an excellent human being. Very dynamic, inspiring, and kind person. I learnt about Rotary's values and Ethos from him. He was a true Rotarian always ready to help others. He was very committed to our Rotary Club as well as District 3291 various Projects. He was the charter member of our Rotary Club and as of now only District Governor of our club. What an amazing person and what a remarkable life. I feel so lucky that I got to know him. He touched so many lives for the good. I am grateful I had the chance to know him as both a Rotarian and a cherished friend.

Apart from Rotary we came very close to him and his family members. Each Ganpati Puja we were invited and visited his daughter's house to pay our respect to Lord Ganesh.

Kamal Ji was not keeping well over the last few months and whenever we visited him to enquire about his health, he always said I am fine and that too with his usual lovely smile on his face. This shows great quality of a person not letting know his own sufferings / worries to others.

I feel privileged to have known him. A lot of people have been blessed by his kindness and hold him close in their hearts. I know we all will also miss him deeply. Dr. Lalita Ji so sorry for your and our loss, he will be missed and remain in our hearts. I am going to miss him, too.

We pray Almighty to rest his noble soul in peace and provide desired strength to all family members and his friends like me to bear this huge loss.

OM SHANTI

Kiran & Surinder Kapoor

Someone as special as Kamal Ji will never be forgotten.

What I admired most about him was that he was a friend, philosopher, and guide to all Midtowners.

The memories we made and hold on to will serve as a reminder for how blessed we were to have him in our lives. He will remain in our hearts forever. My deepest condolences to the family.

Rtn. Sanjay Chowdhary

Our beloved Kamalji has been a great inspiration for me during my years in Rotary. Whenever there was a hurdle I would fall back on his shoulders and request him for a solution and he always came up with one. God give Lalitaji and family strength to overcome this immeasurable tragedy.

Rtn. Debojit Haldar

Kamal ji will be remembered for his steadfast lifelong commitment to Rotary. His impeccable manners, sagacity and disarming smile endeared him to all. I have been truly privileged to have known him.

Rtn. Rakesh Sahni



My first impression of Kamal ji was that of a soft spoken, charismatic personality introducing Rotary to us. Through the years of being a Rotarian, Kamal ji did touch my life in his own quiet way and I will always remember him as the Guiding light of Calcutta Midtown. May his soul rest in peace.

Rtn. Mayuri Mody Doshi



Kamalji was someone who was always a pleasure to talk to. He was always full of love and encouragement especially, for the new and young Rotarians of Midtown. I had the chance of interacting with him on personal level. He was The Chanakya of Rotary who, with his able guidance, taught me various aspects of the movement.

He'll be thoroughly missed. Loved him loads.

Rtn. Preeti Agarwal

I have known Kamal ji ever since I joined Rotary Midtown way back in late nineties.

From day one he created such positive vibes that made me go closer to him. Got to know him as a loving and extremely compassionate person. There are numerous accolades to his credit for his untiring services to the mankind. A philanthropist in true sense. He was the founder Member of our Club. As District Governor his services were laudable.

He personified Rotary ethos and values.

Though a very serious Rotarian he has been a very fun-loving person. Have had occasions to share joyous moments with him.

Has been a source of inspiration to us and a mentor always willing to guide.

During my president ship he stood with me as a guide. Helped me in various projects like Parishkar Kolkata.

Kamal ji will continue to be our inspiration. We pray eternal peace for him.

Rtn. Bhupesh Kapoor

Kamalji was a father figure not only for us Midtowners, but for the entire Rotary Fraternity. He was one of the most respected PDGs of Dist. 3291. I consider myself lucky to be one of the Presidents of Rotary Midtown to have been blessed by his mentorship. Visiting him or even talking to him over phone would help me find solutions to problems and fill me with renewed energy. His presence would liven up the Club meetings and would encourage Presidents to take bold decisions. It will be hard to fill the void created by his departure.

Rtn. Neeraj Agarwal



On 28 th September 2022, a shining star who was also our beacon light in Rotary Midtown left us all and made his way to a better world. We got the shocking news of PDG Kamal Seth being no more. It is a news we are not able to come to terms even now.

I and my wife Bilan were out of Kolkata so could not attend the cremation or the ardas at the Gurdwara. So first things first.

Lalita ji. Our deepest condolences and prayers for the departed soul. May God almighty give you strength to bear this loss.

Kamal ji as we all know was a delightful person. I was introduced to him about 25 odd years back when I was cajoled by a few eminent Midtowners to join Rotary. The first thing it struck me was his towering personality, tall and aristocratic with a sweet harmless expression on his face. Enough to floor anyone. And to add to it was his impish smile dotted with hearty laughter at times.

Me and my wife Bilan have wonderful memories of him and his gracious wife Lalita ji. They both complimented each other in every which way. If he was the PDG of the district ... so was Lalita ji the head of the inner wheel of the district. Being a doctor, she had the edge of being helpful to all whenever medical issues were involved and references to senior specialists were needed.

As I remember the times spent with Kamal ji and Lalita ji, various incidents go fleeting past the mind and both me and my wife Bilan are overwhelmed.

We pray to God Almighty to grant him “sharan in His domain “ and strength to Lalita ji and family.

Om Shanti

Rtn. Hardeep Singh

PDG Kamal Sir was one of the Finest Person & the Tallest Rotarian I was fortunate to meet.

He was not only a mentor & father figure of RC Midtown but an extremely gentle and kind human filled with compassion and empathy for everyone around him. His presence was magnetic.

His contribution to Philanthropy as a True Rotarian has been unparalleled. His sad demise is a Monumental Loss for Dr. Lalita Ma'am & family and for all of us at RC Midtown.

Let us all keep Kamal Sir & his family in our prayers.

We will deeply miss you Kamal Sir.

Rtn. Sahil Desai





It's my privilege to have been associated with such a Great person, Rotarian, Human and a Wonderful friend Rtn. Kamal ji.

In spite of our age difference and coming from different backgrounds and interests, it is certain that we all have one thing in common: our admiration of a man who never quits to DO GOOD to Humanity.

I've known Kamalji for about 15 years. I first met him at a corner table of Phoenix Room in Saturday Club, a few minutes before my induction meeting into the great movement called The Rotary Movement. This was the pre-induction meeting where PDG Kamal ji who was the speaker. Before listening to him, I thought Rotary was a social club, but on hearing Kamalji, I realised that Rotary is actually a movement. Kamalji so nicely explained to me as to why it is a movement for the benefit of mankind "An amalgamation of like-minded people" "Service to Mankind".

His passion for Rotary was equally infectious, and we all will agree that noticing him, quite a few of us got inspired to support this wonderful movement.

As I spent more time in Rotary, I got to hear and know more about his charisma from others in town and his abilities as a Rotarian and as District Governor.

My interaction with him had always been a knowledge gaining interaction as there was always so much to learn from him. His support and guidance during my tenure as President of our club, was so enriching that I found it extremely easy to manage the club affairs. He would always come out with right solutions and many a times he would go out of the way to make things happen.

I am sure, he's helped many in our group in a similar way. There is going to be a void always, but a great person remains great and he will continue to be Great in the other part of the Horizon also. Rotary Midtown and the Rotary Movement will miss him immensely.

We all pray that he continues to spread his goodness, passion and smile wherever he is. With respect and admiration, I fold my hands and wish him Happy Journey.

Rtn. Yogesh Gupta





of District 3290A doyen of Rotary International -Past District Governor

- A remarkable Gentleman
- Always ready to help at all levels
- Lived the values of Rotary
- Was Rotary Club of Calcutta Midtown's Mentor and guide till his last breath!

Deeply grieved and very saddened on the passing away of dear-Kamalji. May the Almighty give the family strength, courage and fortitude to bear this loss.

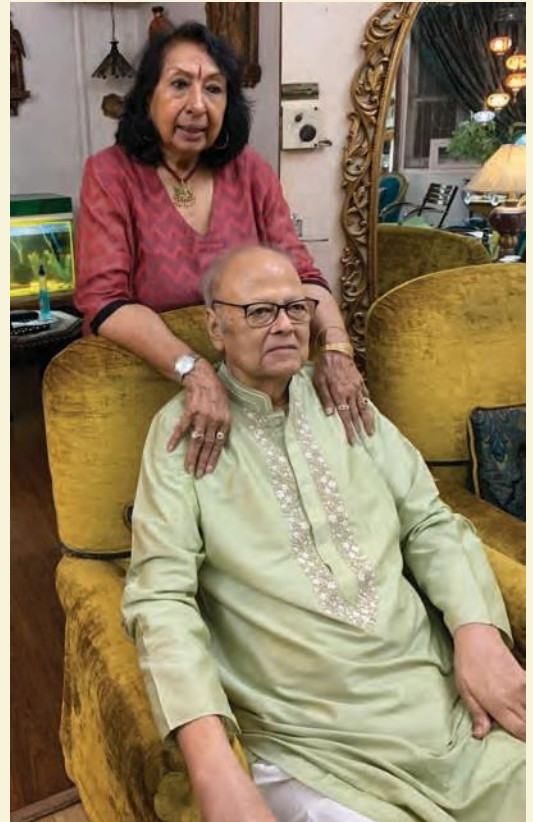
A huge void will remain but we can lessen the pain by recalling Kamaljis many noble qualities, emulating his values and celebrating his life.

He was a Gentleman, who lived life as a true Rotarian and made a huge difference to whatever Project he touched. No doubt he became one of the most dynamic District Governors of our district 3290 (now 3291)

People like him are rare gems who constantly dream and deliver for the goodness of Society at large to benefit people and touch lives. He was a perfect partner to Lalitaji who stood by him in thick and thin, and who a medical Doctor herself always stood by him smiling and ready to help in the many projects they both worked on individually and together. She in her own right and on another level was a parallel support to him as an active Inner Wheel member becoming Associate District President.

Kamalji as we all know has been a mentor to the rotary Club of Calcutta Midtown, a hands-on advisor and a very active participant, in spite of his failing health, right till his last days. For all practical purposes he Passed with his Boots On. May God Rest his Soul in Peace.

Rtn. Sudhir Chand





It is difficult to write or talk with any sense of detachment so soon after the passing of this towering personality.

As a new and then the youngest member of this club more than two decades back I became quickly aware that he was the very embodiment of Rotary values and the Rotary way of life. An inspirational person, everyone in the club sought out his advice and blessings before embarking on any Rotary activity. His wide experience was invaluable for all of us to draw upon, and he always had the patience to help and advice.

In Rotary projects he led from the front, and his projects were a great draw for all of us to be associated with and participate, and learn from the great man. His enthusiasm was infectious.

Rotary was a way of life for him, and it was so wonderful to see him and his entire family participate in all club activities with spirit and dedication.

It has been my privilege to come close to this great human being. I share my grief with Lalita Ji, Devina, Sanjeev, and the grandchildren.

Rtn. Dr. Kalyan Sarkar



A Fellowship Meet at Shalimar Paints

When I joined Rotary many moons ago and used to sit as a back bencher with silver haired lords presiding over the headboard, it appeared like the Roman senators at work. I actually felt lost and wanted to slipway from the membership until I met Julies Caesar himself. Kamal ji's soft orientation changed things for me.

When I took over as the president, he was my go-to man, my secret superstar who egged me on. I stopped printing the bulletin and made it 100% digital and he encouraged me to go green. I wanted to take the big jump with KK2.0 and he said I am solidly behind you, don't worry, do it. His backing came swiftly but after the right analysis. He told me, focus on the impact you are making and that is why in my annual report I keyed in the number of beneficiaries in all projects that we did.

I believe Kamal ji lives on in each of us Midtowners because he influenced each one of us in many ways to get our act right. He is the common DNA strand we all have.

Knowing him, sitting in heaven, he would shrug all accolades and tributes. The only be fitting tribute to Kamal ji can be for RCCM to take up bigger projects, and make a bigger difference in the communities we work in. A long-term project named in his honour is the least we can do.

Rtn. Samir Prasad



For anybody who had the fortune of knowing Kamalji, his demise is indeed a very personal loss. As a very involved Rotarian early on, I have seen him gracefully transform over the two and half decades, into a mentor and guide whose opinion was much sought and valued across segments of society, by the young and old alike. He always dealt with measured firmness and a quiet disposition and articulated his thoughts with belief and conviction. He has for many years been the face and pride our club navigating through the thick and thin, remaining an unshakable anchor for all times.

In the last few years, Shobha and I had come to know Lalitaji and Kamalji, as very close friends, and our bonds firmed during some of the memorable getaway trips we had the fortune of accompanying.

I will miss his rich conversations on a vast range of subjects as well his religious beliefs and devotional outlook towards life. We had met him before leaving Calcutta, and despite not being too well, he was insistent that we spend some time. We will always cherish these moments, and would pray for Lalitaji and the Family to deal with this irreparable loss. Attaching a few picture in remembrance.

Rtn. S Ravi

Rotarian Kamal Seth was a stalwart in Rotary. He was my late father's friend and I had heard his name several times before I joined Rotary.

As luck would have it... he mentored me when I joined the Club. Being mentored by him was not only a knowledge gaining experience for Chetna and me, it taught us several lessons on how to be a good host, a thorough gentleman and a true, principled Rotarian.

The vacuum will be intense.

Rtn. Ankush Khanna

Memories of a Gentleman

The first time I met PDG Kamal Seth was in the Rotary year 1993-94. I was a newbie in Rotary and he had made a big booklet on Membership in Rotary. I read it over and over again and became a fan.

I used to love listening to Uncle from afar, while he would speak from the podium. His knowledge and poise were so perfect. I remember the seminars and inter-city meets organized in those days. They were full of information and learning. We returned nourished with knowledge. Past Governors like Kamal Seth, K Chandramohan, Somendra Chandra Nandy and Vijay Bhandari really worked on their speeches so that we understood and learnt Rotary.

After I was selected to be a district secretary to PDG Siddharth S. Bose, I met my partner at work, Sanjeev Seth and was fortunate to be invited to the Seth household. I was thrilled to be able to meet Uncle and Lalita Auntie. So gracious and kind a couple, they always treated me like a part of their family. Years have rolled by but our bonding never changed. I became a District Governor and requested Uncle for advice and every time I was the gainer. I requested him to Chair the Election Committee and he agreed. He even attended our District Training Assembly. Life goes on. I grew older but Uncle and Auntie did not change. I could visit them whenever I wanted.



I remember the last time I was to visit him, he told me to make sure I brought my husband with me. Such was his affection! During the pandemic, I could only speak over the phone but he was full of spirits.

Some people come into our lives like angels ... they do not chide us or correct us. They guide us. I am missing my guide today. It was terrible that I could not go to pay my last respects. I watched the prayer meeting online as Our Durga Pujas were already on. I have no words of consolation to the bereaved family. I hope they will overcome their sorrows as Uncle was a perfect person... a gentleman who cared for all he came across. His kindness and empathy will keep us enveloped as though we are wrapped in a warm blanket in winter. May he reach his ultimate destination in Moksha. Om Shanti.

PDG. Shyamashree Sen



PDG Kamal Seth...

A humanitarian par excellence!

PDG Kamal Seth was introduced to Rotary way back in the year 1975. The spirit of Service & Fellowship appealed to him and he was invited to join the RC Calcutta Midtown in 1975 as a Charter Member.

Thereafter began a life long journey of service which meandered through many roles at the Club level as Director, Secretary, then President in 1979-80. Under his leadership Midtown reached its pinnacle of service with Projects such as Education for children, adoption of the Blind Boys Academy Narendrapur as its prime Community Service projects. Being a lover of the environment, he ensured planting of trees in and around Park Street & adopted the Allen Park to be looked after by the Club which was inaugurated by the then RI President James Bomar Jr, who hailed it as one of the most sustainable projects at that time contributing to the City's beautification.

Further recognition of his service commitment in Rotary led PDG Kamal Seth to be elected as the Dist. Governor in 1989-90 becoming the first District Governor from RC Calcutta Midtown.

Under his tenure the RI Dist. 329 was awarded the largest Single Grant from TRF for the 2 mega projects namely, the Installation of 1000+ deep tube wells to provide Potable Drinking Water to a large section of society, and the other Project being planting of 10 million Papaya Trees in & around the city of Kolkata for not only the environment upliftment but also a means of livelihood for a vast majority of farmers.

As a dedicated Rotarian he actively took part in spreading Rotary globally & nationally by travelling far & wide. In this endeavour he was ably supported by his wife Dr Lalita Seth who not only served Inner Wheel as its National President but also represented India on the International Inner Wheel Board in UK. Together they made a formidable impact which endeared them to the community and to the Rotary & Inner Wheel world at large.

His commitment to Rotary & to RC Cal Midtown was evident right through his life and he ensured that he was available to all members for guidance and support.

His legacy of service continues with his wife Dr Lalita Seth who remains active in Inner Wheel, son Sanjeev who served as Past District Secretary of RI Dist 329 in 2001-02 & daughter Devina Fogla who served as an Interactor.

He will be deeply missed by his family consisting of his wife Dr Lalita, son Sanjeev, daughter in law Nickyta, grandson Andrean, daughter Devina Fogla, son in law Sanjeev and granddaughters Amisha & Mahika Fogla and the entire Rotary Family & friends.

His life was an example of Service beyond Self.....an invaluable lesson for the world.

Rtn. Sanjeev Seth



Editor Speak

It is with a heavy heart that we at Midtown bid adieu to our Mentor, Guide and friend PDG Kamal Seth.

Editing this issue gave me further insight into the wonderful nature and the rare qualities of Kamal ji. He was a man with a presence, multifaceted talents and a charming personality, much admired by all. The Pillar of our club! On a personal front knowing and interacting with Kamal ji has been a rare privilege. He will surely be missed. Our heartfelt condolences to Lalita ji, Sanjeev, Devina and the grandchildren.

Rtn. Radhika Sahni

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Minutes of the Meeting

2104th Continuous and 5th Meeting for the year 2022-2023 of Rotary Club of Calcutta Midtown, held on Thursday, 15th September 2022 at 6.30 pm on Zoom.

Meeting called to order: President Mayuri Mody Doshi reconvened the 2104th continuous and 5th meeting of 2022-2023 to order.

National Anthem: The National Anthem was sung by all.

President Mayuri Mody Doshi welcomed all the members, Annes and prospective Dr. Archit Kedia. She requested Dr. Kedia to introduce himself.

Dr. Archit Kedia introduced himself as a certified dentist, and operates a clinic with a team of nine doctors specializing in different fields of Dentistry in Salt Lake. His wife is also a Dentist, and they have a 3 year old child.

Confirmation of previous meeting minutes: The 2103rd continuous and 4th meeting minutes for the year 2022-2023 were passed and seconded by Rtn Dr. Biman Chakraborty and Rtn Bhupesh Kapoor respectively.

President Mayuri Mody Doshi started by reporting about the various projects.

Global Grant Project Neempith: On 28th August she, along with Rtns Rakesh Sahni, Yugal sikri, Sonali Gupta and Anne Ruby Sikri had gone to Neempith for the inspection of the completed 20 toilets. The cheque to build the next 20 toilets was handed over to the Swamiji. She invited Rtn Rakesh Sahni to further speak about it.

Rtn Rakesh Sahni informed the floor that we were delayed in completing this project due to covid and other unavoidable reasons and was hopeful of completing it this year. The reporting was complete till 2019 except this year since were awaiting the Final accounts being prepared by our Auditors. He further informed the board that Swamiji had mentioned

the cost of building these toilets had gone up substantially and they were absorbing the loss. Since we were only paying Rs 14,250 for building each toilet, he suggested increasing this by at least Rs1500. However, even after this increase they would be incurring a loss. As we have already paid for toilet nos.141 to 160 at the old rate, Rtn Sahni proposed that if the board approves, we shall give them at the new rate for the remaining 50 toilets. He also suggested that new quotation be called for from the contractor. Rtn Ashish Bhuwarka offered to give tiles and other things which he might have for the project at a very nominal cost.

Navneer: A craft workshop was organized for the non-formal school of Navneer. It was spearheaded by Rtn Shalini Agarwal with the help of Rtn Priti Agarwal, Annes Sonal Desai, and Sarika Pasari. Rtns Yugal Sikri, Jaideep Singh, Mayuri Mody Doshi and Prospective Dhanish Seth also attended the project. Apart from the craft workshop art stationary kit, chocolates and biscuits were distributed to the children. Additionally, the President informed that Rtn Aniruddh Tikmany has agreed to donate the computers and printers and get it installed at Navneer. The only thing we need to take care of is the cost of the Teachers.

RCC Classes: Rtn Priti Agarwal informed the floor that 11 students inclusive of three boys have joined the Yoga physiotherapy class. The classes have already started at the Centre last week. And the Teacher has informed that these students would be ready to participate in a therapy camp in six months. Next class will be on 18th September. Once the number of students increase in this group the classes would be held twice a week. The beautician course classes have also started.

Blood Donation Camp: A blood donation camp is being organized on the 25th of September at Royal Calcutta Golf Club with the help of prospective Dhanish Seth and Rtn Hitesh Dani. It is being done in collaboration with Project Life Force and RCGC. She requested the members to come for the camp preferably during the start of the camp and spread the word regarding the camp so that we could get more donors. She requested all members to try to donate blood on this occasion.

Hingalgunj Matrishakti Camp: The said camp would be on Saturday 24th September. She and Rtn Suchi Narula would be going and requested some more members to come for the project. Rtn Rakesh Sahni suggested that the prospective and new member should be requested to go for the project.

Antakshari Fellowship: Rtn Richa Shah and she had been wanting to do a fellowship antakshari with another club. The Rotary Club of Benevolence is interested in doing a joint meeting followed by a Antakshari fellowship in the last week of September. They want to do it at Princeton club It would be part contributory and part sponsored by the club. If majority

of members agree we can think of doing. It was discussed in detail and decided to organise after pujas.

Kolkata Kettle: The President informed that we were looking for suggestions on venue for Kolkata Kettle. The same is being planned in January so an outdoor venue would be nice. It was discussed in detail and decided that some members would go for site visit on Sunday.

Model High School: Rtn Hitesh Dani has got a contractor to inspect the place and a quotation is awaited from him which will be then discussed in the next board meeting. The ground floor would be repaired first. The headmaster has agreed to let us open a RCC Centre in the school for training the mothers of the children studying there. She requested everyone too look for Science and Math part time teachers who would be paid a nominal salary by the club. A budget would be made for it. She requested Rtn Rakesh Sahni to go to the school with her and check it out and then decide on how to go by it. The MOU which needs to be signed was also discussed. A committee should be formed for better working of the project. Rtn Biman Chakraborty suggested that a creche would be very helpful for the working mothers in that area.

Rotary Directory: The Directory was available and whosoever wanted could share their names for it. A few Rotary pins to be ordered for members to buy.

Secretary's time: Birthdays 9th September: Rtn Anirudh Tikmany

14th September: Rtn Chetan Narula

15th September: Rtn P K Bose

Anniversary 10th September: Rtn Lal Hiranandani and Hiroo.

Attendance: 25 Members / 46% attended the meeting.

President Rtn Mayuri Mody Doshi closed the meeting.

Rtn. Shalini Agarwal

Secretary

2022-2023