

November & December 22-23

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In 2022-23, Rotary Foundation turns 106. That's a century-plus of Rotary members changing lives and improving communities all over the world! Definitely something worth celebrating!





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This is one
Area of Focus
in which clubs
and
Foundation
communities
across the
world support
numerous
projects to
prevent &
treat diseases.

From the Editor's Desk





Greetings!

We have completed the first half of RY 22-23. Some of the dreams we had started our journey of IMAGINE with have been realized, some are yet to be fulfilled.

One of the most fulfilling projects was District ROTA VISION through which we distributed free Spectacles to 200 beneficiaries at Baduriya, North 24 Parganas changing lives with the gift of eye sight! Other remarkable achievements of our club during this period are, firstly the formation of another new Interact Club increasing the count to 4 and secondly, donating a wheelchair to Specially-abled student Master Rakesh Sk of Masidhat B M High School under our signature project **Jayatu** in partnership with US-based organization VOSAP. We also participated in the RCC Multi-District Seminar at Bolpur which gave us the opportunity to develop strong bond with neighboring District 3292 Nepal.

Literacy is a subject we give utmost importance to. The 15 Literacy projects held till date speak loud and clear of our sincere commitment and relentless efforts towards 'Education For All'.

In January, we will be distributing blankets in association with our RCCs, hold a Multi-specialty Health Camp at Shibpur Police Station, Howrah and Swami Chidrupananda will be our revered Guest Speaker at জাতীয়তাবাদ, a program in observance of Republic Day. There are many other interesting projects In the pipeline including a unique webinar with Celia Mentzel of San Francisco, born in the premises of holocaust, who will share her extraordinary experiences and valuable wisdom on Peace before a global audience.

May we keep serving society and light up as many lives as possible. Wishing you all a Joyful, Project-full and Successful 2023!

Warmest regards,

Rtn Anjanaa Chattopadhyay

Club Projects

ROTA VISION

On 17th November, we distributed free spectacles to 200 beneficiaries who were tested for eye power and cataract in the month of September, at Uttor Chatra, Adibasi para, Baduriya, Barasat.









On 3rd December World Disability Day, we jointly held a Sports event for Specially- abled children in Garden Reach. Around 60 children participated assisted by their parents. Participants were given prizes and food packets.



My advice to other disabled people would be, concentrate on things your disability does not prevent you doing well, and don't regret the things it interferes with. – Stephen Hawkins





A most enjoyable Fellowship Lunch with 8 enthusiastic members. Delicious food with lots of adda & laughter!

Our Rotaractors: some activities





Our RCCs: some activities



Bira Angikar Welfare Society, Kajla village on 23 Dec with Club RCC Chair Rtn Shantanu Chakraborty & Rtn Sulekha Ghosh.



The BVNews conducting a Training & Orientation program with Health Workers at Basirhat on 3 Dec



Behala Utsab Foundation, Distributing pre-Christmas gifts and food to children of Red-light area on 23 Dec.

District Projects



With our RCC SEVA Bolpur Branch representative Sri Sukesh Mondal

4 & 5 Nov

RCC Multi District Seminar at Bolpur

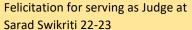




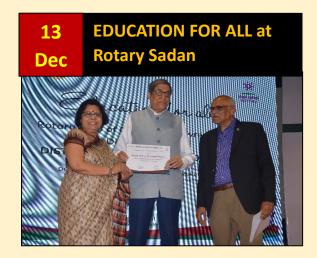


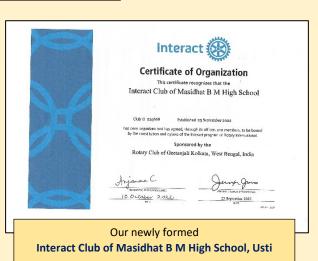
"The secret of health for both mind and body is not to mourn for the past, not to worry about the future or anticipate troubles, but to live the present moment wisely and earnestly." Buddha







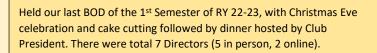




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From VOSAP, our US-based partner of Jayatu.

Get Well Soon

Due to acute pain in the foot and other physical ailments, Rtn Debalina Roy expressed her inability to continue as PE 23-24. However, she has agreed to perform as Treasurer 23-24 which involves less movement. Thank you! We wish you speedy recovery so that you can be your sprightly self once again and join us in our club activities as before. Our Love & Best Wishes, always!





Rtn

Devendra Sharma



Congratulations!!

Rtn Devendra Sharma is in the business of scientific equipment. Currently the Club Treasurer, he will be holding the prestigious office of PE RY 23-24.

An active member, Rtn Devendra is a great team worker, a generous donor and enthusiastic about club activities. His mild, soft- spoken nature makes it easier for people to approach him as a leader.

Happy Birthday!



Rtn Dr Don Sen 12th December



Rtn Shantanu Chakraborty 28th December



Rtn Sourav Ganguly 28 December

Happy Anniversary



Rtn Dr Soham Bhattacharjee

1st December



Rtn Anisha Bhaduri 2nd December



Have a Wonderful, Successful, Projectful 2023!

This bulletin has been designed, compiled and edited by Rtn Anjanaa Chattopadhyay