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HOW ROTARY FOCUSES ON THIS IMPORTANT AREA OF FOCUS:

- 1) Organizes Medical Camp Health Awareness for Eye Care / Dental Care.
- 2) Provides equipment such as Artificial Limbs, Wheelchairs and Calipers to the Physically Challenged Peoples i.e. Polio Sufferers.
- 3) Provides low-Income, underinsured or underinsured Persons with the knowledge, skills, an opportunities to improve their diet, physical activity and other life habits to prevent, delay, or control, chronic diseases.
- 4) Initiates Actions to Prevent and control Diabetes, Heart Diseases, Obesity and Associated Risk Factors.

UPCOMING EVENT OF THE NOVEMBER MONTH

4th December: Clean the beach with interactors

23rd December to 25th December: Rotary Conference

at Aurangabad

17th December: Annapurna at Segwachama

December is Prevention and Treatment Month "Treatment without prevention is simply

unsustainable."



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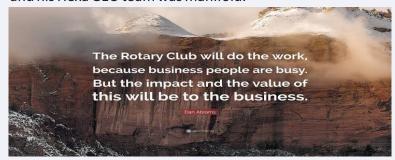
Watching a child grow over twelve months gives so much of happiness and is always treasured as those precious moments. This is made more meaningful when you decide to share the stored happiness of twelve months with small kids of a small village school. Rtn. Kishan Desai and Ann. Mohini Desai celebrated the birthday of their first-born Om in Sarvodaya Vidyalaya, Segvachhama on 21st November which was attended by other prestigious members of the club. Such a celebration brought in immense joy to the little angels of the school and the joy reverberated on the campus. God bless Annet Om Desai!

26th November- Sweater Distribution

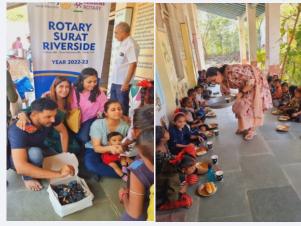
As the winter sets in and the days are getting chilled, the RSR members distributed sweaters on 26 November, to keep the students of Sarvodaya Vidyalaya, Segvachhama warm when in school. The club members joined the dynamic President Ritu Talwar and the exuberant Secretary Nirupa Patel in executing this event of charity. This will surely keep us, the members, warm this winter.

26th November - HUMF 6 Nanhe Kadam

As a part of HUMF6 Nanhe Kadam, this month was a joy of giving as cricket sets were being distributed along with board games and other educational games for the little ones to learn with limitless fun. The pencils and compass sets presented rejoiced the children of Anganwadi school on 26th November. The valuable time spent with the kids was wrapped up with a bit of sharing of Snacks. Their happiness knew no bounds and the happiness of Rtn. Rajesh Mehta and his Hexa GEO team was manifold.



GKP Annapoorna 5 with Om's 1st Birthday



Sweater Distribution



HUMF-6 Nanhe Kadam





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13th November - Arthshree

The TRF & Service Project Seminar – Arthshree, a joint event of Cluster 7 & 8, was held in The Amore on 13 November. This event was chaired by Rtn. Nehal Shah and Rtn. Jugal Shinglot and hosted jointly by Rotary Surat Riverside and Rotary Club of Surat Tapi. The seminar was graced by the District Governor Rtn. Shrikant Indani and other veteran Rotarians. Members from many neighbouring clubs attended this TRF seminar to get enlightened about Rotary Foundation and Service Projects.

24th November - Joint Club Fellowship

A Joint Club Fellowship was conducted by Rotary Club of Surat, Rotary Club of Udhna and Rotary Club of Surat Riverside on 24 November at Late Sri KB Marfatia Hall, Vanita Vishram. Dr. Raees Maniar, a renowned Gujarati ghazal poet, playwright, columnist and lyricist was invited to present his Laughter Clinic. His humour on mundane issues of life left the Rotarians of the three distinguished clubs roaring in laughter. A distinguished Rotarian guest from East Africa, Rafiq Nathanie who is a stalwart and has many credits up his sleeves, graced the occasion with his august presence to meet the member of the three clubs.

Arthshree







Joint Club Fellowship





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JOIN EADERS

EXCHANGE IDEAS

TAKE ACTION

IN COMMUNITIES LIKE **OURS, AROUND THE WORLD**





Birthday & Anniversary of December

Birthday

1st December PP Rtn. Dr. Prashant Kariya

6th December Aneet. Nitya Kariya

9th December Aneet. Malika Arora

15th December Ann. Mohini Desai

21st December Rtn. Dr. Sanjay Mehta 25th December Rtn. Charulata Vashi

25th December Ann. Anju Vij

27th December Annet. Vansh Grover



Anniversary

2nd December Rtn. Rinki Barman
3th December Rtn Nilisha Jariwala

9th December PP Rtn. Anand Acharya

10th December Rtn. Vallabh Bhavanagariya

10th December Rtn. Rajat Vij

11th December Rtn. Gautam Raval

12th December PP Rtn. Bharat Viradiya

13th December PP Rtn. Neena Sinha

14th December Rtn. Dr. Nehal Patel

14th December Rtn. Dr. Sanjay Mehta

15th December Rtn. Jayesh Goyani

16th December Rtn. Dr. Niyati Desai

17th December PP Rtn. Raju Mehta

22nd December Dr. Mansi Shah

Rotary Woman of the Month. - Rtn. Alpa Shah



Alpa Shah is that calendar of RSR who meticulously wishes every member, the spouse and the annet on their birthday even before the rooster breaks the moonlit night. She never misses to wish the Rotary couples on their special day too. The panache with which she delivers her duty makes her a unique entity. She also involves herself actively in every event conducted by the club and has the warmth that enables the members to approach her with ease. She is jovial, active, sincere and punctual. She truly deserves the title Rotarian of the Month for her dedication and relentless service to the club and the society at large.







" Titbits of Life "

Silence is Golden

Silence is deep, silence is still, silence is beautiful... You can hear the unheard when there is silence. You can win over your head space when there is silence. You can brood further and deeper with silence around you. You can nurture your creativity when in silence. Silence can assist you in calming the storm or rather the hurricane within you. Silence guides you to analyse and accept others point of view. Silence is eternal, peaceful and makes our life—as well as the lives of others—beautiful and blessed.

Many times, we fail because we choose chaos over silence. We want to present only our side with immense restlessness by not paying heed to silence. We do not pause to appreciate and nurture silence, instead we gallop ahead. All such actions then create a murky mess around us and we get entangled and engulfed. And when we reach that stage, that is when, we start appreciating SILENCE. Sometimes we are able to understand it with much time left in hand, but sometimes it is the fag end when nothing at all makes sense. So, it is wise to appreciate and value it when we have the time to live and let live.

Let the silence pervade and make us live a meaningful, stress-free, peaceful, cool and composed life. Let us then consider SILENCE as the golden word...

- By Rinki Barman



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"Motivational Story"

"Lives that Leave an Imprint"

His father was a priest, his mother, an inventor.

He was born during a lightning storm. He had a photographic memory. He was smart enough to memorize books, images, and even 3D structures. As a teenager, he contracted Cholera. For over 9 months, he was bedridden and had almost died. In college, he became fascinated with electricity. He moved to the US in 1884 to work for the famous inventor Thomas Edison.

Edison said, "His ideas were 'splendid', but utterly impractical." The company once offered him \$12 million to improve his DC motor, and he did. But Edison failed to pay him, saying, "You don't understand American humor."

Instead, he offered him a raise of \$10 a week. He quit working for him after this incident.

"I do not care that they stole my idea. I only care that they don't have any of their own."

He and Edison maintained their rivalry for years. It was called "The War of the Currents".

He eventually won and helped bring electricity to America. Years later, he demonstrated radio transmission but a fire destroyed his lab as he prepared the first real radio signal. Marconi then took his ideas and his technology to win the Nobel Price. He was inflamed, especially when he found out, Marconi had received all his financial support from his old rival Edison.

The court invalidated Marconi's radio patents because they were based on this legend's work. Justice finally prevails, true, but unfortunately it happened two years after his death. He once didn't even sleep and worked for continuous 84 hours. He spoke eight languages. and filled more than 300 patents. Some of his work is still classified by the U.S. Government.

Truthfully, he never really cared about the money. Years after he died, a statue of him was erected in Silicon Valley. The statue is equipped with free wi-fi connection.

"Science is but a perversion of itself unless it has as its ultimate goal, the betterment of humanity."

7 life lessons from the legend: Once you learn the 7 life lessons from him, you'll live a much better life.

1) Don't pay attention to what others are doing.

instead of focusing on what the world can take form us, we need to focus on what we can put into the world.

2) Looking inward, help you see clearer.

Reflection is an important part of being your authentic self and being true to what you want in life.

3) It's okay to be ahead of everyone else

He reminds us that real creators are okay with people not accepting their ideas. Don't give up. Be proud of what you are capable of.

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4) Never stop learning and reading

The internet is full of information and ideas. Rather than sift through journals, reading stories and ideas of how things were done can ignite real creativity in people.

5) Be patient and just push on

Patience goes a long way. Don't worry about how long it will take to achieve your dreams. Just keep working on them.

6) Never stop creating.

No matter what anyone says- even you, don't stop making things. Use your talent to help make the world better.

7) Money isn't everything.

He cheers us to create for creation's sake. If there are rewards to be had, great: but if not, creation can be reward enough.

QUIZ

- 1) Which Rotary club was Rtn Daksha president and in which year before joining RSR?
- 2) When is the District conference for the year 22-23 and where?
- 3) How do we all know the Rotarian of this month with reference to the current year designation?
- 4) Whom are we talking about in the "Lives that leave an Imprint"?
- 5) Whose birthday did the parents celebrate as a project at Segwachama?
- 6) What message does Rtn Rinki Barman give in her article?

My First Year with Rotary

Pause!!! I was approached to write about my first year with RSR which was a difficult task for me. It is difficult because I can go on and on endlessly to write about Rotary Surat Riverside. To me it seems to be one of the best Rotary clubs in the whole world. It is not only a club, actually, it is a Big Family with like minded people surrounded by positive vibes only. The best thing that I admire about RSR is whatever they do it is all from the heart. Whether it is Service above Self or Self above Service, I mean entertainment too, it is all planned brilliantly and executed whole heartedly. I am blessed to be a part of this Big RSR Family. I am filled with deep gratitude.



Rtn. Daksha Bhalodia



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