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NEW ROTARY YEAR

Water Harvesting, Recharge and Re-use

Time: 7.30 pm

Venue: Dr. Sarosh Bhacca Memorial Rotary Hall, Jeevan Bharati Annexe, Nanpura, Surat – 395001.

MOM for the meeting held on date 15/07/22.

Meeting started with National Anthem.

Meeting was called to order by Pres. CA Tejas Gandhi. Rtn. Jai Mistry recited the Four- Way Test.

Pres. CA Tejas Gandhi welcomed all. Introduction of speaker Er. Rajesh Dhabuwala was given by Rtn. Umang Dalal. Rtn. Manoj Gautam gave information about various upcoming events organised by different Rotary clubs of Surat area. Speaker Er. Rajesh Dhabuwala gave an excellent presentation on Water Harvesting, Recharge and Re-Use. It was a very interactive session.

PP. Kamal Gandhi handed over memento to the speaker Er. Rajesh Dhabuwala.

Under the new initiative of RC Surat - "Know your member", Rtn. Meghal Baxi was called upon and he gave a brief introduction about his business activities.

GKP Chair Bhupendra Jariwala appealed the club members to give contribution for sets of two pair uniforms, socks and shoes for Vedchha school children. Club members have responded generously to the appeal. Hon. Sec. Rtn. Kundan Shah did the secretarial announcements.

Greetings Chair Rtn. Bhavaniben Mehta did the birthdays and anniversary wishes.

PE Rtn. Sandip Nanavati proposed the vote of thanks.

Pres. CA Tejas Gandhi adjourned the meeting.



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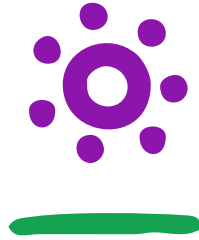
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We meet at 7.30 pm
on Every Friday at
Club Office Address



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL THEME FOR 2022-2023



IMAGINE ROTARY

Rotary International President Jennifer Jones (who is also our first female president) has announced the 2022-23 theme Imagine Rotary.

“Imagine, a world that deserves our best, where we get up each day knowing that we can make a difference.”

The theme is a special one: the theme graphic was designed by an Australian Indigenous artist Riki Salam to link with the Melbourne Convention in 2023.

Some of the symbolism includes:

Circle - connections to one another

Dots around it - our people

There are 7 Dots for Rotary's 7 areas of focus

Circle + dots around it - a navigation star, our guiding light

Green solid line - digging stick (used when doing hard work); for us it's People of Action, represents the tools for getting things done

The colours purple, green & white - celebrate diversity, equity and inclusion. Freedom to express ourselves differently but still with a special connection.

Purple is also the colour of Rotary's Polio campaign

Green represents the Environment

White stands for peace; it also represents empowerment and newness and also the colours were utilised for the women's movement, highlighting the opportunity to grow our female membership.

Rotary

Responsible for many local and international charitable initiatives.

Open to men and women who believes in service above self.

Time spent well through contributing to society while having fun.

Autonomous but part of a worldwide network of 35,000 Rotary clubs.

Rich in opportunities for application of vocational skills.

Your chance to help others through fellowship with like minded people.



Project Nutritious Food distribution (2 July Saturday) to 40 Children at Pal Aanganwadi sponsored by President Tejas Gandhi and First lady Neeta Gandhi along with attendees HUMF and Aanganwadi Chair Rtn. Jagruti Gandhi, Co- Chair Rtn. Purnima Gandhi and Lataben Gandhi.

Rotary Friendship Exchange Program

We are glad to let you all know that our district has been participating in RFE program and this year also we are continuing this legacy of wonderful friendship. We are looking forward and encourage Rotarians of our club to participate in this program with enthusiasm. Contact Person : Hon. Secretary Rtn.Kundan Shah. **Last date for application is 31 July'2022.**

Dates for RFE's Inbound: November to February

Outbound: May to July (for all countries)

District Event

Online Science Teachers Training program : The District Literacy Team has worked out a unique and innovative Online Capacity Building Program for Science Teachers of classes 6th to 10th. We can register or sponsor local science teachers teaching science in Grades 6th to 10th, from government or private schools and help them to be more innovative in their teaching methods. The training will be of total 12 hours that is 3 days, 4 hours each session.

Possible Dates : 8-10th August, 19-21st August, 26-28th August

Time : 9 am to 1 pm.

Last date to Register : 25th July

Contact Person : Rtn. Neha Lotwala, Literacy Chair

Events of interest by Neighbouring Clubs

23-24 July - Bullet Ke Sawari - Riding event hosted by Rotary Surat Metro, Rotary Sachin and Rotary Kharach Kosamba

Registration: Contact Hon. Secretary Kundan Shah

1st to 7th August - Rotary Film Fest - Screening of 10 films of Satyajit Ray

Host: Rotary Club of Surat Roundtown

Venue: Dilip Paresh Rotary Hall, Timaliyawad

Registration: Open to all

Upcoming Programs July'2022

- 16 July** (Saturday) - Healthy food distribution at Pal Anganwadi, sponsored by Rtn. Umang and Nikita Dalal.
- 23 July** (Saturday) - Healthy food distribution at Pal Anganwadi, sponsored by Rotary partner Manjari Bhairav Desai
- 23 July** (Saturday) & **24 July** (Sunday) - Picnic at Saputara
- 29 July** (Friday) Visit of AG Anand Acharya and Experience sharing by PP Dr. Ajay Mahajan on Rotary Medical Camp @ Kashmir.
- 30 July** (Saturday) - Healthy food distribution at Pal Anganwadi sponsored by PE Rtn. Sandip & Dipti Nanavati
- 31 July** (Sunday) - Tree Plantation at Ashirwad Famrs, Opp. Airport

Know your Fellow Rotarian



President Rtn. CA Tejas Gandhi has been associated with Rotary since 2013 and is a practicing Chartered Accountant since 2000 as partner in Partnership firm Suresh A Gandhi & Co. His better half, first lady Dr. Neeta Gandhi is a Physiotherapist practicing at Bhartimaiya Ananddham Vruddhashram. Both are Paul Harris Fellow. They are blessed with son Maulesh who is pursuing Engineering at IIIT Hyderabad. His father is a practicing Chartered Accountant and mother is a home maker.

Pres. Tejas Gandhi has held various positions at the Club since he joined Rotary such as Director, Hon. Treasurer (3 times), Hon. Secretary (2 times), Jt. Secretary, Hon. Treasurer – District Conference. He has received Best Director and Rotarian of the year

awards at club level and Best Hon. Secretary award at District level. He was involved as Primary Contact and Secondary Contact in various global grants. He is also a Cadre Member with The Rotary Foundation.

He is a marathoner and has completed number of half and full marathons. He is fond of trekking and has trekked at various places in Dangs, Sahyadris and Himalayas including Great Lakes of Kashmir Trek. He has completed basic course of mountaineering from Swami Vivekanand Institute of Mountaineering, Mt. Abu & basic course of skiing from GMVN, Auli. Spirituality is also his area of interest and he is a Vipassana follower.

He has served as Convener of Textile Market Surat CA Study Circle. Presently he is committee member of Shree Surti Modhvanik Samast Panch and Hon. Treasurer of Shree Surti Modhvanik Athwa Panch.

Greetings



19 July - Rtn. Harshad Vithaldas Kinkhabwala

Ambassador of Goodwill

09-July – Installation of RC Surat Riverside – President Tejas Gandhi and First Lady Dr. Neeta Gandhi, Secretary Kundan Shah and Daksha Shah, PP Dr. Ajay Mahajan

10-July – Installation of RC Surat Metro - PP Dr. Ajay Mahajan