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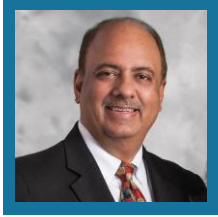


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Is it the TRUTH?



Is it FAIR to all Concerned?



Will it build GOODWILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIP?



Will it be BENEFICIAL to all Concerned?

PRESIDENT'S DIARY



Hello RCBS Family,

My visit to Sankalp - Centre for Children with Disabilities
On 17th September, Rtn. Minal Shah., Rtn. Hetal Shah and I visited the Sankalp centre. Want to share our experience with everyone.

Matushree Parsanba Charitable Trust' is a non-profit organization that works towards empowering children with developmental challenges. They combine philanthropy with professional excellence. They also run a centre "Sankalp" for Children with Disabilities.

The objective of Sankalp is to bring happiness on the faces of Differently-abled children & their families along with Social justice & Welfare to the less fortunate.

Besides classrooms, a vocational training area, an indoor game area and a dining area, SANKALP has a fully equipped Sensory Integration Room, Physiotherapy and Audiology units, Speech Training Facilities and two vans which are used for transporting children to & from their home. It also has a medical advisory board consisting of specialists from different branches, for ascertaining the medical/physical needs of the children and guiding them on the same.

It is proven that, with the right environment, training and rehabilitation these children can lead independent lives despite severe disabilities and not be a burden on parents. Intervention, however, must occur early but it cannot occur by mandate or parents alone. It must be initiated in an organized and scientific manner. India being a large demography, the state alone hasn't been able to penetrate to the extent needed. Therefore, it becomes necessary for NGOs like SANKALP to bridge the gap.

EDITORS DESK



Dear Rotarians,

We all welcomed Ganpati Bappa : the "Harbinger of New Beginnings, Good Fortune and the Remover of Obstacles" in our homes and communities with fervor and enthusiasm after a long spell of time. It was like a breath of fresh air; reverberating with refreshing energy, excitement, exuberance, ebullience and effusive bonhomie.

Covid-19 has taught us all; that life is not a series of binary choices as in black and white, it's a spectrum of colours and shades, vibrating with exciting opportunities and possibilities, only waiting to be discovered and explored. So let us embrace the "New Normal" in totality, with a new perspective. Let us learn from our experiences, reinvent ourselves, evolve and adapt. For all you know, the new normal, albeit a different normal may even turn out to be a better normal.

A quote by Jonathan Lockwood sums it all up
"Celebrate endings – for they precede new beginnings"
So let us believe in ourselves once again, stay strong, stay safe and stay blessed for every sunrise holds more promise and every sunset holds more peace.
It's rightly said "When you come out of a storm, you aren't the same person who walked in it ... for that's what these storms are all about"

Ann Nisha Gogate & Rtn. Kokila Kothari
Bulletin Editors 2021-22

HUMF

1st September 2021



It's the 3rd consecutive month that HUMF has been sponsored by Rtn. Dr. Devendra & Manjoo Shah. We greatly appreciate their continuous support . 60 patients have benefitted at GMERS Hospital.

FOOD KIT DISTRIBUTION

2nd September 2021



માંકડઆંબા અને દલેલપુરા ગામનાં કુલ 25 વિધવા બહેનો, જેમને સરકાર તરફથી વિધવા પેન્શન મળતું નથી તેવા વિધવા બહેનોને રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ બરોડા સયાજીનગરી દ્વારા અનાજની કીટ આપવામાં આવી . અનાજની કીટ માં ૫ કિલો ઘવું નો લોટ, ૩ કિલો ચોખા, ૨ કિલો ખાંડ, ૧ કિલો તેલ જેવી ૯ પ્રકાર ની જીવન જરૂરિયાત વસ્તુ છે. અમને કુલ 100 કીટ મળી છે જે સપ્ટેમ્બર થી ડિસેમ્બર સુધી આ જ બહેનોને વિતરણ કરવામાં આવશે.

અલ્પેશ બારોટ (લોક સહયોગ ટ્રસ્ટ)

INTERVIEW WITH MR. NEEL GOGATE

03rd September 2021



RCBS with the Interact club of Billabong conducted an Interview with Shri Neel Gogate, brother to our member Rtn. Milind Gogate. Mr. Neel has done extensive research and documentation on the National animal of India - The Tiger.

Did you know that tigers originated in Asia and are present in our continent alone? Why are there so many ranges for our Royal Bengal tiger? Why do we need to save this beautiful striped wild animal? How many tiger reserves are there in India?

Mr. Neel with his experience of 27 years in various Tiger reserves and National parks across the country has answered all our questions very easily and satisfactorily.

NUTRICARE PROJECT

5th September 2021



Home made food was prepared by a lady who lost the only earning member to Covid, providing her with an opportunity to earn with dignity. The food was served near Vadodara Railway station, to 100+ needy people. Clothes were also donated. Our heartfelt thanks to PP Rtn Chirayu Kothari for conceptualising the project & bringing in Collabera as project sponsors & partners.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION AT MALSAR

08th September 2021



Food was served to 600+ families at village Malsar. It was sponsored by Rtn. Dr. Bharat Desai and Family. RCBS thanks them for their generosity!

NUTRICARE PROJECT

12th September 2021



Come rain or shine, RCBS Prez along with her team are always raring to go. Nutricare is on in spite of Rains , kudos to Prez Rachanaji , Param ...you are unstoppable. 175+ persons were served food near the underbridge at Alkapuri.

PP Rtn. Chetan Deddhia

DONATION OF CEILING FANS

17th September 2021



RCBS donated 6 ceiling fans (costing total Rs.8400/-) to Matushree Parsanba Charitable Trust for their new indoor sports room. We appreciate and Thank the anonymous donor for the generous donation.

NUTRICARE PROJECT

19th September 2021



Home made food was prepared by a lady who lost the only earning member to Covid, providing her an opportunity to earn with dignity. 175+ persons were served.

I think when you are in the chairperson seat in RCBS specifically.. Some different energy or blessings run with you. And small small helpful deeds are done so flawlessly through them. May god bless you with more power @Rachana Parekh Ann Twinkle Shah

PROJECT NIRAMAYA

22nd September 2021



Project Niramaya - Personal Hygiene and Menstrual Hygiene awareness camp at Chapad Prathmik Shala. 65 children were benefited.

CEILING FANS DONATION BY RCBS

22nd September 2021



12 Ceiling fans were donated to Lok Sahyog Trust, village Mankadamba. We thank donors Rtn. Darshan Vyas and PP Rtn. Malay Bhayani for their generous donations.

Project Niramaya - Personal Hygiene and Menstrual Hygiene awareness camp at Sevasi Prathmik Shala. 45 children were benefited.

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22nd September 2021



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PROJECT NIRAMAYA

24th September 2021



Under Project Niramaya, RCBS conducted a Personal and Menstrual Hygiene Awareness camp at Maa Bharti Shala for the benefit of children. A total of 55 children participated in this camp.

NUTRICARE

26th September 2021



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INCLUSIVITY: an LGBTQIA+ AWARENESS EVENT

26th September 2021



The Rotaract Club of Vadodara Sayajinagari, in collaboration with the Vadodara Queer Community, organised an Awareness and Fundraising event for LGBTQIA+.

The panel discussion educated everyone on how to be a good ally in support of the LGBTQIA+ community. The panelists were Prince Manvendra Singh Gohil, Maya Sharma, Sylvester Merchant, Mega Sheth, Rahul Upadhyay and Ankesh Roy. All the panelists expressed their views very well. The event was fun-filled with performances by Queer artists.

We really need to understand their issues and accept them as they are. The most difficult task that now lies ahead is removing the stigma attached to LGBTQ and for this, we need to change an entire people's mindset concerning them. If we can achieve this, then we might serve to change lives in the true sense.

PROJECT NIRAMAYA

30th September 2021



Under Project Niramaya, RCBS conducted a Personal and Menstrual Hygiene Awareness camp at Basil School Tandalja for the benefit of children. A total of 60 children participated in this camp.

Talent Asunder!

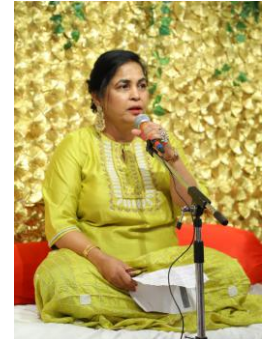
How else could one describe the unknown plethora of singers in our great club..some created and made; guided by none other than our versatile Sitar MAESTRO, Rtn. Dr.Bharat Desai!

An evening, where Bharatbhai played the Pied Piper with the Sitar and the Rotarians, who, in turn, simply fell in tune and sang from their hearts! The women, resplendent in their anarkalis and flowing dresses and men in the bandh gala kurtas were indeed a sight to behold in this wonderful musical evening.

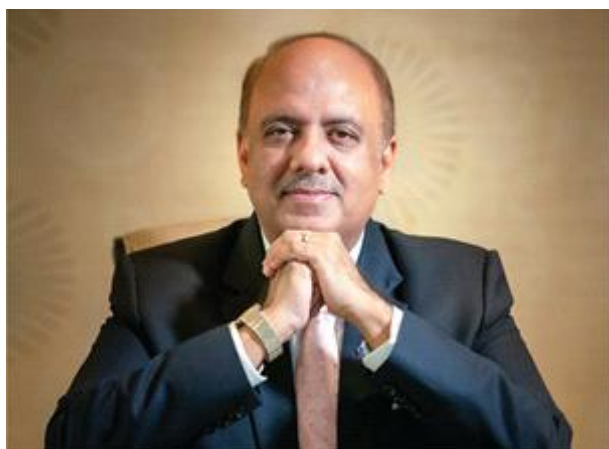
As the soiree unfolded with Bharat bhai's Sitar recital, everyone sat spellbound. It was truly classic; classical! Every string he played were strings of joy which set the perfect mood for a thrilling gala.The fun part began as everyone tried to guess the Raag Yaman film songs which he melodiously played. One after another, our 14 rotarians got onto the stage and sang to their best with full fervour.With a super and lively audience,there was joyousness in the air as everyone joined in the finale with a lot of pep and enthusiasm.

All that hard work, after office hours practice,not knowing whether it was the perfect song for him/her,paid off and well,the results were there for everyone to see and hear. Veritably a beautiful memory with the lovely photographs amidst nawabs and begums.









The COVID-19 crisis has created significant challenges in education. From developing remote learning plans and using new technology compounds in the already complex task of teaching children and achieving the desired educational outcomes. Recognizing that education is a pathway out of poverty, Rotary and other organizations have made significant progress in increasing access to learning in communities around the world.

Rotarians are quick to want to help, but not all responses have the same kind of impact. Read these suggestions for Rotary clubs wanting to support education sustainably through a global grant project.

1. Always start with a community assessment.

Meet with community leaders, parents, teachers, and students to learn what initiatives are already in place and what the community is capable of and willing to support.

2. Don't reinvent what already exists.

After you've determined if other organizations, particularly governments, are addressing the problem, coordinate your efforts with them to complement their approach.

3. Prepare and equip teachers.

Teachers need to be supported and trained before they can embrace alternatives to in-person school that are dictated by physical distancing, such as remote learning plans.

4. Focus on the long term.

It's tempting to want to fix a problem immediately. But sustainable solutions take time to develop and implement.

Communicate with regional grants officers.

Many education efforts involve components beyond the basic education and literacy area of focus. Connecting with Rotary's grants officers will ensure that efforts across multiple areas of focus are concentrated on a comprehensive solution.

by Rtn. Shekhar Mehta

President, Rotary International

RY 2021-2022

Achievements of Annets of RCBS Annet Dr. Keta Rajendra Shah



Dr. Keta Shah, is a Rotary club legacy. Born and brought up in the city of Vadodara to Mrs. Mamta Shah and past president Mr. Rajendra Shah and sister to President Rtn. Gaurav Shah(Current President of Rotary club of Baroda).

With the desire to serve the community she became the Charter President of Rotaract Club of Vadodara Sayajinagari in the year 2014 and since then she has been associated with the club and participates in various welfare activities. Today the club has grown into a strong family.

Professionally she is associated with Ramkrishna Paramhans Hospital, Shroff Foundation (a charitable trust) as a consulting dentist since last 4 years where she has been instrumental from setting up of the dental department to making it one of the most successful departments of the hospital. The department till date has served many patients. She provides online consultation through her Instagram page "the souled tooth". At heart she always wants to give back to society. Relieving someone off from pain and making people smile makes her day more fulfilling and satisfactory.

Annet Dr. Keta Rajendra Shah

New Member of RCBS

Rtn.Nisha Amin



New Member Nisha Amin was inducted on 25th September. Nisha Amin loves adventure Activities like skiing, scuba, skydiving, paragliding, travelling, listening to live music, group/team games/sports, creativity based activities like art, craft, painting, attending the expert talks, I am also a professional CHANDLER(candle maker). We welcome her to the RCBS family.

Blood Donation

Annet Kenil Malay Bhayani



Kenil Bhayani (18 yrs), the younger son of Rtn.Malay Bhayani and Ann Vaishali Bhayani donated blood for the first time this September. Way to go Kenil!

BIRTHDAYS FOR OCTOBER 2021



06-Oct-21 Rtn. Amit Shrivastava

08-Oct-21 Rtn. Ami Desai

10-Oct-21 Ann. Nitu Shah

15-Oct-21 Ann. Hetal Vyas

15-Oct-21 Pantul Kothari

16-Oct-21 Ann. Mira Shah

19-Oct-21 Rtn. Kokila Kothari

20-Oct-21 Rtn Dr. Nikunj Chavda

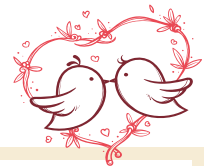
20-Oct-21 Amit Vikal

22-Oct-21 Ann Rupal Kothari

27-Oct-21 Rtn. Dr. Bharat Desai

31-Oct-21 Rtn Ambrish Shah

ANNIVERSARIES FOR OCTOBER 2021



01-Oct-21 Rtn Ajay & Suvarana Purandare

26-Oct-21 Rtn Malay & Vaishali Bhayani

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR OCTOBER 2021



01-Oct-21 Food Kit Distribution at Makadamba

03-Oct-21 Nutricare

06-Oct-21 HUMF

10-Oct-21 Nutricare

17-Oct-21 Swaman Store & Nutricare

22-Oct-21 Joint Club Speaker Meet

24-Oct-21 Nutricare

30-Oct-21 Diwali Celebration

SMILE PLEASE

A million kids want to clean up the earth!

A million parents want them to start with their rooms.



4 PICTURES – ONE WORD PUZZLES

TRIVIA

Find the 4 or 5 letter answer for each set of pictures from the given letters only.
The answer is related in some way to all the 4 pictures given.



Four empty boxes for the answer.

Letters: L V E W N T
G R B X P A T




Four empty boxes for the answer.

Letters: H L G
O P R O



Five empty boxes for the answer.

Letters: T H W G A
K C R E M



Five empty boxes for the answer.

Letters: H A I
O C R O


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