

Bayview Express

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ECHOES OF THE PAST:
REFLECTING ON MEMORIES !



Bayview First Matching Grant

(now called Global Grant)

<https://www.lamdonschoolleh.org>



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Our club got a request in 2006-07 from a couple **Colin & Helen Maber** from Switzerland requesting us to support a school in Leh, Ladakh. They were on a holiday to Leh and were very keen to support and help the school and were ready to donate funds for this purpose.

It was a golden opportunity for our club and after doing some due diligence and discussions we had with the school Principal, we decided to do this project. The school had requirement of furniture for the hostel and classrooms.

We connected with **Rotary Club of Srinagar (Rtn. Amit Wanchoo)** to give us local support and take care of executing it for which they readily agreed.

The project cost was Rs 14 Lacs, which was a big amount for our club in 2006-07. We luckily got support from **Rotary Club of Southwell** in UK. Our C. P. Jayesh Vidhani had visited the club a few months ago and got them to support this project.

At this point we decided to apply for first Rotary Matching Grant of our club and we completed the project. We got full funding for this from Rotary International, the Swiss Couple and Rotary Club of Southwell and our club had to give only \$100.

Rotary Club of Srinagar gave us full support logistically and ensured the equipments ordered locally were of good quality and installed at the school.

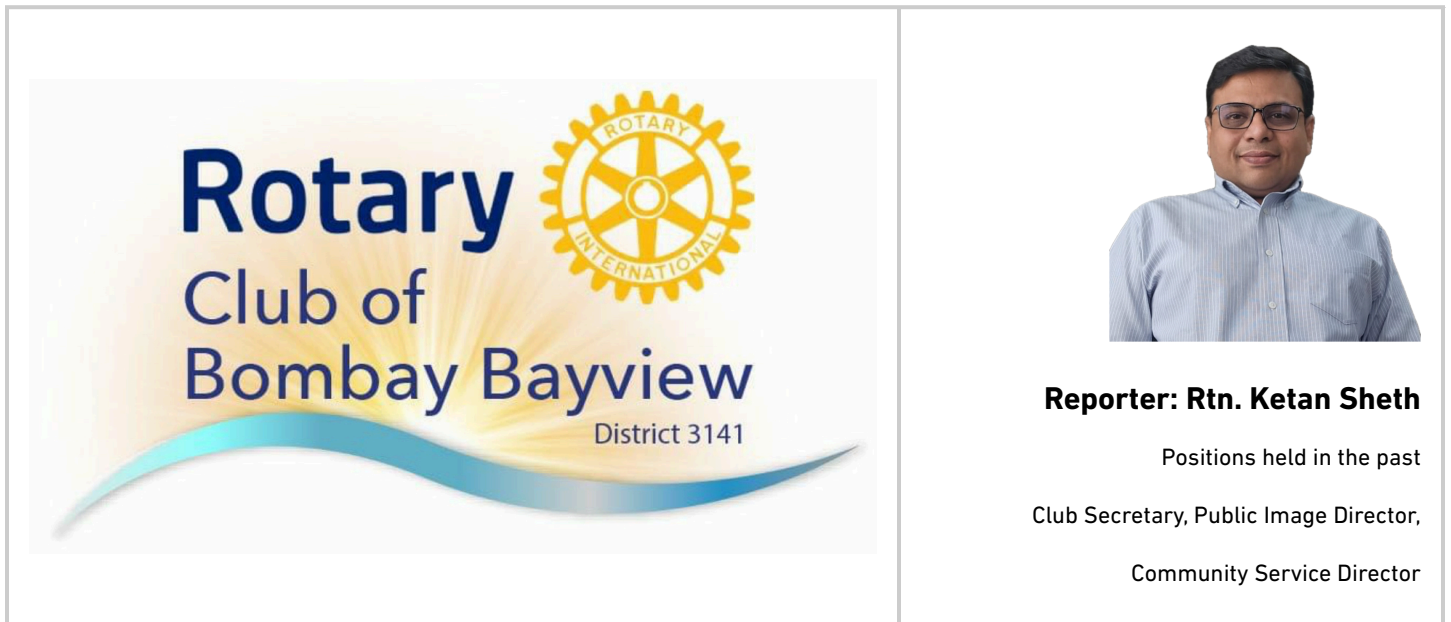
After the project was completed 2 of our members Rtn Nimish Shroff and P. P. Sandeep Goenka(Ex RCBB) visited the school to make sure everything was as per requirements of the school.

So Dear Rotarians This is the Power of Rotary:When The need arises , all forces unite to make it happen!



Situated at a height of 3500 metres (11480 ft.), the Lamdon Campus spread over 70 acres of land, offers spectacular views of Himalayas. Its serene location, safe environment, and vast space gives a child perfect setting to learn and evolve

Story Behind our RCBB Logo



I joined the club in the year 2009-2010. I was asked for an area of interest and mentioned that I was interested in digital graphics and creative as a hobby. I was immediately added to the Club Bulletin Team. We did not have a club logo till then.

It was not until 2012-13 that we decided that our club requires a permanent logo and a more prominent bulletin showcasing our club activities.

We realised that our club required a permanent and recallable logo. The team sat together, and we created the current logo where we implemented all the guidelines of Rotary International. The Rotary logo had to be given prominence, at the same time we should bring out our club's character and values.

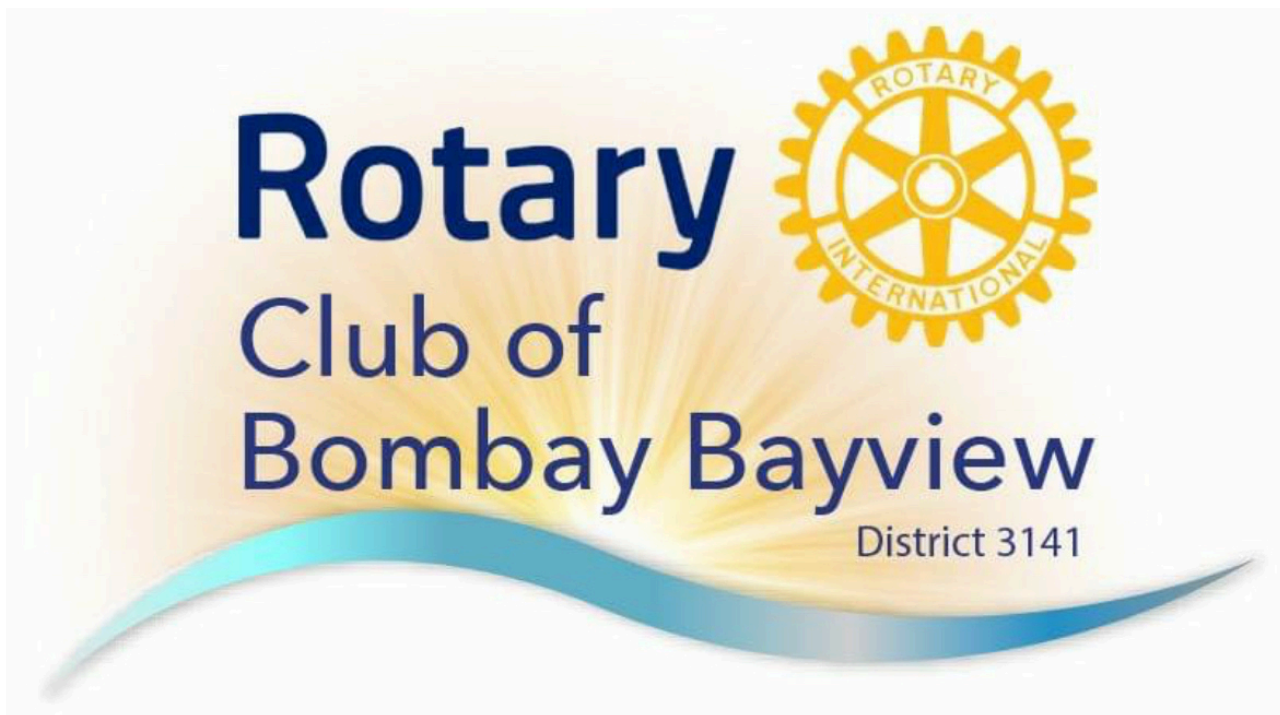
Since our club's name is Bombay Bayview. The Bay formed an important part of the visual. What better depiction of the Bay than a wave. 'Waves symbolize change and motion. They're dynamic, never static – much like life itself. When you think of a wave, you think of movement, transition, and progression, and that resonates with our human experience.'

The Sunrise was added to symbolise a new beginning and positive energy and hope in all that we do. Rotary is about creating new beginnings and hope.

We had our logo. Simple and elegant.

As our club grew in strength through the years, we added elements to portray the themes and ideologies of the Presidents. However, the main logo remained unchanged.

I hope that you take pride in being part of an active and progressive club. Participate and promote our club and enjoy Rotary.



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