

AMBER

Bulletin of Rotary Club of Ambattur RID 3234

November – The Rotary Foundation Month



Skill Development Center for Students and Women

R C Ambattur's fifth long term project has been conceived in the form of Skill development center for students and women at a cost of about Rs 150 lakhs. This new block would commemorate the Birth Centenary of the founder & Past member of RCA – Late Shri Panchapakesan.

This new block would be of 5300 sq ft to be named as "Panchapakesan Block" which is expected to be completed within a year.

TV Nagar Educational society School, Ambattur owned and run by
ROTARY CLUB OF AMBATTUR.

Wedding Reception of Annette Anu Singh

Pictures of Wedding Reception of Annette Anu Singh held on 3rd October



District Conference 100% Registration by RCA

Recognition for 100 % Registration at District Conference "Sanghamitra"



Dandiya Darbar **Thanksgiving Meet**



Dandiya Darbar Thanksgiving meeting was held on 19th November 2024 at Malayalee club. The meeting was well attended by our Rotarians and Anns. Charter Member Rtn Ashok collared the President and the meeting was called to order. Ann Jayashree Parasuram invoked the almighty.

Ann Dr Veena gave a wonderful thank you speech emphasizing, how the Dandiya was a collective team event, ably and successfully done by the Anns year on year with help from the Rotarians. She thanked each one by name.

President David and Rtn Sambasiva for giving her this opportunity

1. Ann Rita's contribution in printing and distribution of the tickets is so professionally done.
2. Ann Lata Sharma along with Ann Rita for the wonderful scarfs
3. Ann Viji Hariprasad – distribution of the complimentary tickets to donors systematically done and for contributing the bangles that are given to every lady entering the event.
4. Rtn Anjula Bhatia – She was like a live wire both before and at the event. She suggested a new face and performer Mr Nikhil Kingar. Her effort to negotiate with the Taj group along with Rtn. Parasuram was of tremendous help. The Taj team did a great job!
5. Ann Vijaya Sairam – as always beautified the puja table and the diety with flowers
6. Ann Mala – coordination with the floral decor. Her contribution to the sale of tickets along with Ann Tara is commendable.
7. Thanks to the prize committee – Ann Tara and Ann Jayashree for doing a wonderful job with the packing and display of prizes at the event.
8. Thanks to the reception committee – Ann Aruna for taking charge. She along with her team did a great job.
9. The Rotarians – Rtn G Viswanath, Rtn Hariprasad Karnam, Rtn Parasuram and team did a fabulous job with the LED and display boards.
10. Rtn PNR – His financial support and guidance helped us to sail through the event smoothly.
11. The Fund Raising Chairman Rtn Parasuram – was first to get the sponsor through his friends and acquaintances.
12. Thank you Rtn Suresh, Rtn Udaybanu and Rtn Ashish – our food and beverage team.
13. Thank you Rtn Gita Menon and Annette Vitika for the flow of events that evening.
14. Thank you to the Men at the bar Rtn Winston and Team for their much needed spiritual help
15. Thanks to all who worked behind the scene to get sponsors, prizes and sale of tickets

Dr Veena was felicitated by the Club through Ann Jayashree Parasuram with a Shawl for her untiring effort as the Chairperson of the Dandiya Darbar.

Rtn Parasuram, the Fund Raising Chairman spoke about the funds collected and the expenses of the Dandiya. He wanted more participation from the Rotarians in regard to ticket sales.

Rtn Jai gave a gist of the calender prepared by his grandchildren . He also gave the appeal letter and asked Rotarians and their known corporates to order these Calenders.

The meeting ended with Fellowship and sumptuous dinner. Till next Dandiya. Bye

– Article by Ann Jayashree Parasuram

Diwali Celebration in style **by RCA**



Rotary Club of Ambattur Celebrates Diwali in Style.

On November 10th, the Rotary Club of Ambattur gathered at Rotarian Jai Shetty's residence for a joyous Diwali celebration. The evening event, which commenced at 7:00 PM, was marked by warmth, camaraderie, and festive cheer.

The elegantly decorated venue, adorned with intricate Kolams and soft, glowing sand diyas, set the tone for a magical night. Members and their families came together to enjoy an evening of fun and games, expertly organized by Rotarian Gita Menon.

A sumptuous dinner followed, featuring a diverse array of traditional and flavorful dishes. The evening epitomized the spirit of Diwali, celebrating the triumph of light over darkness, good over evil, and unity among all. The Rotary Club of Ambattur's Diwali celebration was a resounding success, fostering connections and creating cherished memories among members and their loved ones.

– Article by Ann. Gayathri Gandhi.

Amba Vision: Cataract Surgeries



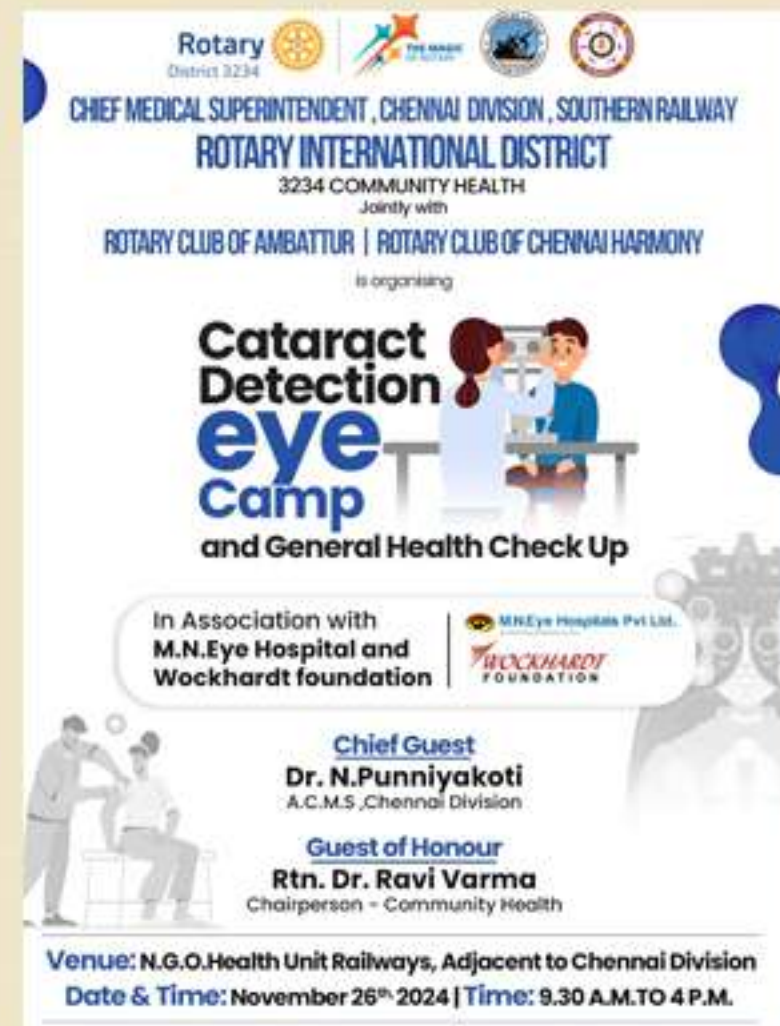
For the Month of November Free Cataract surgeries conducted at ARH on 13th, 19th and 26th November 2024 at Ambattur Rotary Hospital . A Total of 39 patients got benefitted through this initiative.

Eye & Dental Camps

Eye and Dental Camp at Ulandai Murugan Koil Sangadu conducted by Rtn. Anjula Bhatia in collaboration with other sister Rotary Clubs

Total op - 70

Cataract advice	04
Glass Advice	20
Booked	10
RTH	20



Accolades Section

Accolades achieved by our Annettes

Our Annette D. V. Lakshitha daughter of Rtn. Sambasiva was awarded a gold medal for securing the highest marks in the B. Design programme



Dear D V Lakshitha,
Congratulations!

I am pleased to inform you that you have been awarded the Karnavati University Gold Medal for securing the highest marks (1st rank) in the B. Design (Visual Communication) program at Karnavati University. This medal will be presented to you personally by the Chief Guest during the convocation to be held on Saturday, 26th October 2024. I request you to remain present on that day so as to collect the award personally. I presume that you must have already completed the formalities for remaining present during the convocation.

I hope to see you at the convocation on Saturday, 26th October 2024. Congratulations! once again for your achievement.

Thanks and Regards,

Examination Department
Karnavati University

Rotaractors Section

Project GIFT



Project GIFT coined by our Rotaract club of Ambattur, envisages donation to the road side underprivileged, some basic necessities like food, clothing and personal hygiene items. This is an on going project, unique feature being it is executed on the birthdays of the Rotaractors through contributions from all Rotaractors.

For the month of November, they chose to donate the items to Koyambedu underprivileged.

An innovative noble project by the Rotaract club, which we hope will be emulated by other clubs too.



Kalai Thiruvizha Event Ambattur Rotary School Students Win Prizes

Our Ambattur Rotary School participated in following events,

"Kalai Thiruvizha competitions"

- 1] School level Competition held on 06 th September 2024 – our children were adjudged & awarded FIRST PRIZE
- 2] CRC level competition – held on 23/10/24– our children were adjudged & awarded FIRST PRIZE
- 3] Block level competition held on 7/11/24 – once again our children were adjudged & awarded FIRST PRIZE
- 4] District level competition – 13/11/24– Even at this level our children were adjudged & awarded FIRST PRIZE

State level competition will be held on 03rd December 2024 at Coimbatore and our school will be one of the participants.

Farewell to the Best Rtn. Alban Rebello

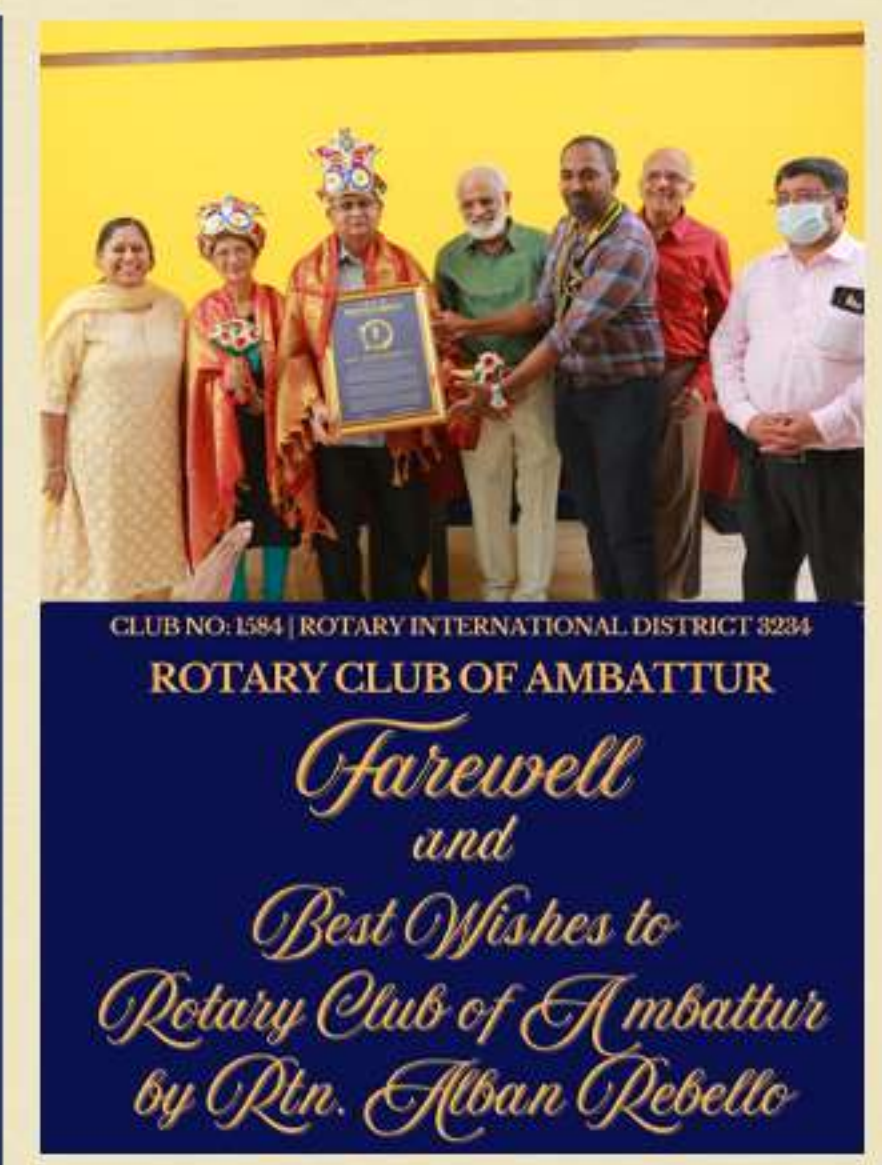
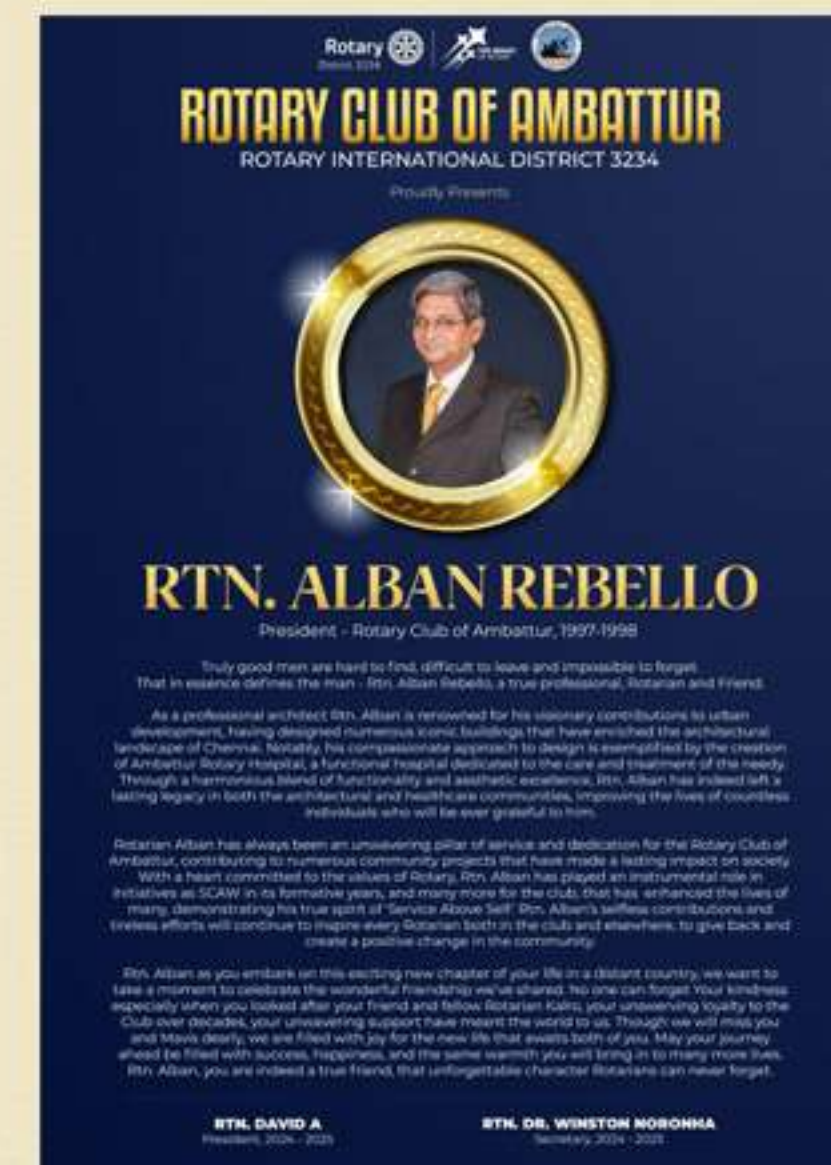
A farewell was organised on 26th November at Presidency Club to honour Rtn Alban by presenting him a citation for the contributions made by him. Rtn Ashok read out the citation at the grand function.

After a long long innings with RCA spanning more than 34 years, Rtn Alban Rebello decided to hang his boots and retire !

His contributions to RCA growth are immense having seen RCA grow to what it is today from a scratch. He held the position of President in 97-98 and also that of managing trustee of our ARCT. Having aquired the architecture degree from Guindy Engg college, he helped RCA build our ARH into a sprawling 17000 sft multi speciality hospital. His contribution to growth of SCAW in its developing stages are known to all.

RCA will miss him dearly .

We wish him and his Ann Mavis a peaceful, healthy and happy post RCA life



Birthdays



Dec01	Ann. Tamilselvan Angudurai	Mangayarkrasi Tamilselvan
Dec01	Annette Dr S Vivek	Mullai Subbiah
Dec03	Annette Yohann	Ashish Coelho
Dec04	Ann. Surekha Suresh	K Suresh Babu
Dec06	Rtn. Mullai Subbiah	
Dec11	Rtn. A S Hari Prasad	A S Hari Prasad
Dec11	Ann Vijayalakshmi	Mahaveerchand Dugar
Dec11	Annette M Praveen	Ashish Coelho
Dec11	Ann Tamara Ann	Anjula Bhatia
Dec12	Annette Vitika Bhatia	
Dec14	Rtn. V Sairam	
Dec15	Ann Uma sankar	Deepan P
Dec17	Annette Akash Paul	Manoj Paul
Dec25	Annette S Niveditha	Mullai Subbiah

Anniversaries



Dec10	Rtn. S L Omprakash & Vyjayanthi
Dec11	Rtn. Ashok & Tara Rao
Dec28	Rtn. Ashish & Tamara Coelho
Dec30	Rtn. Ajitha & T Balan

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