

VIKRAMSHILA CHAKRA

Weekly Club Bulletin of

ROTARY CLUB OF BHAGALPUR

RI DISTRICT 3250

CLUB NO. 16000



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We Meet Every Saturday at 8 pm at Hotel Nihar

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The Four Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do

- 1. Is it the TRUTH?
- 2. Is it FAIR to all CONCERNED?
- 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all CONCERNED?

GREETINGS

Marriage Anniversary

21st Rtnee Anita and Rtn Nirmal Kumar Gaur



Rotary started with the vision of one man — Paul Harris. The Chicago attorney formed the Rotary Club of Chicago on 23 February 1905, so professionals with diverse backgrounds could exchange ideas and form meaningful, lifelong friendships. Over time, Rotary's reach and vision gradually extended to humanitarian service.



Women In Rotary

Like many organisations in the early 20th century, Rotary initially restricted its membership to men. Although there was a strong and growing movement from clubs in all parts of the world to change Rotary's all-male position, the organisation fiercely

resisted the admission of women. This came to a head in 1987 when the first three women were inducted into the Rotary Club of Duarte (California). Rotary's international Board of Directors officially acted to revoke the club's charter.

The Duarte club then sued Rotary claiming discrimination based on gender. Rotary resisted every judicial appeal, until the case landed in the US Supreme Court. In 1987, the US Supreme Court, in a unanimous decision, ruled against Rotary.

The Supreme Court ruling was a "wake-up" call for Rotary, but it had an immediate positive impact, not only on Rotary, but on other service clubs and organisations throughout the USA. The Rotary Board of Directors amended the constitution and by-laws to admit women, and opened the door to women in Rotary worldwide.

This landmark Supreme Court ruling continues to play a major role in protecting and advancing the rights of women at many levels - far beyond what the three first women Rotarians in Duarte could have envisioned.

Today women are a driving force in Rotary. In most clubs women make up a significant part, and in some cases a majority, of the membership. Women serve as club presidents, district leaders, district governors, and on the Rotary International Board of Directors. As an organisation, Rotary champions the ongoing struggle for gender equality at the club and international level.

GLIMPSES OF KANWARIYA JAL SEWA ON 11.08.2024





















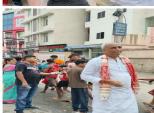












GLIMPSES OF FLAG HOISTING ON 15.08.2024













सावन की सुहानी बेला

सावन की घटायें,
बरखा बनके छाए,
हरी—भरी धरती सुन्दर,
सबके मन को लुभाए,
इस मौसम को छोड़ कर,
बहारे भला कहा जाये,
सतरंगी समाओ से भला,
पीछा कैसे छुडाएं,
प्यासी सुखी धरती पर,
जान छिड़क सी जाये,
सावन की घटायें
बरखा बनके छाए.

तेरे आ जाने से देखों,
मस्ती मन में छाए,
जीवों को नया जीवन देकर,
सबकी प्यास बुझाये,
तन की गर्मी को हर कर,
शीतलता सी दे जाये,
सूखे बाग बगीचों को,
हरियाली का तोहफा दे जाये,
चारो ओर हरियाली है,
कैसे न सदके जायें,
सावन की घटायें,
बरखा बनके छाए

Minutes of RWM 3082 held on 10.8.2024 at Hotel Nihar from 8.00 pm.

- 1. Meeting was called to order by Vice President Rtn. Arvind Kumar Tiwary followed by National Anthem.
- 2. The Four-way test recited by the members.
- 3. Minutes of the last weekly meeting no.3081 was confirmed by the house.
- 4. Greetings was announced by Act-sgt-Arms PP Rtn. Deepak Kumar Sultania.
- 5. Secretary Rtn. Ashok Lohia read out club business.
 - A club assembly of various programme committees was held on 4.8.24. Many Directors, Chairpersons and members of the committees were present. Programmes as well Budget of various committees were finalized.
 - Kanwaria seva will be held on 11th August 2024 at Kuchery Road Near house of Rtn. Satyajit Sahay.
 - Sawan Mahotsav along with Birthday and Marriage Anniversary of Rotarians will be celebrated on 17th of August 2024 at Hotel Nihar. The convenor of the programme is Rtn. Prerna Santhalia and convenor of House of Friendship is Rtn. Shashikala Thakur. All Rotarians, Rotarianees and Rotarylets are requested to participate.
 - Flag hoisting ceremony on the occasion of our Independence Day will be held on 15th of August 2024 at the premises of Hotel Nihar. All Members are requested to attend the function.
 - As reported earlier A seminar on Literacy cum Disease Prevention will be held on 22nd of September 2024. District Governor Rtn. Bipin Chachan has informed that PRIP Rtn. Sekhar Mehta will be Chief Speaker. DG Rtn. Bipin Chachan has also issued a sticker for this seminar.
 - An Invitation was received from Bhagalpur Zila Agarwal Sammelan to participate in their Hariyali Teez Utsav Mela held on 4th August 2024.
 - PP Rtn. Amit Kejriwal conferred with District Patron by District Governor.
 - Message received from DG Rtn. Bipin Chachan that "Rotary-Parichay" an inter club seminar will be held on 18th of August,24 at Rotary Bhawan, Patna from 9.30 am to 2.00 pm. The subject of the programme is an awareness training programme for the new members who has joined Rotary Club within last six months. The key speaker will be PDG Rtn. Sanjeev Kumar Thakur. The registration fees is Rs.500/-.
- 6. PP Rtn. Satyajit Sahay reported on progress of Literacy seminar.
- 7. PP Rtn. Ram Kumar Mishra informed about Rotary.
- 8. PP Rtn. Mithilesh Kumar Sinha conducted Quiz.
- 9. PPRt. Rajesh Kumar offered his farm house for Tree Plantation.
- 10. Attendance 21 with greetings to RI and RC of Chanakya the meeting was adjourned.

Rtn. Arvind Kumar Tiwary Vice President Rtn. Ashok Lohia Secretary