

PRORAM TODAY:

Speaker: Ms Krishna Mahanty,

President Gandhi Smarak Nidhi

Topic: " How far Gandhi is relevant now".

Minutes of the meeting no-2235 Dt-14.02.2025

1. The meeting was called to order by the President Rtn Dr Ashutosh Debata.
2. National Anthem and IW prayer recited by all present.
3. PP Rtn Maj N K Satpathy escorted the guest speaker Prof.Dr Surendranath Dash to the dais and Rtn Shailendra Narayan Thakur welcomed him with Uttariya and flowers.
4. The President Welcomed all the members and guests to the meeting.
5. The minutes of last meeting no –2235 was presented by the Secretary Rtn Bibhuti Bhusan Rout and was confirmed by the members present.
6. Fellowship announcement was made by PP Rtn Kanhu Charan Das.
7. The president announced about the upcoming events of February. A blood donation camp will be held on 25th February at JSS in collaboration with Inner wheel Club of Cuttack midtown and the President informed all to donate blood or arrange the donors.
8. The president handed over the meeting to the President of IW Club of Cuttack midtown Dr Mita Debata. She welcomed the guest speaker and the members present to the meeting .Then she announced about their upcoming events and back the meeting to the President Cuttack midtown.
9. PP Rtn Kamal Kumar Mahanty introduced the guest speaker Prof Dr Surendranath Dash.
10. The speaker praised all for inviting him to such a club. On his Topic “JAGANNATH CHETANARE BISWASHANTI”, he said that Jagannath is JANADEBATA – GANADEBATA – RASTRA DEBATA – ISTA DEBATA. The speaker very intelligently spoke about the daily activities of Lord Jagannath as of our Hindu society. His speech was so pleasant to learn more and more about the Lord Jagannath. His way of expression was very nice and appreciated by all present.
11. The president presented a memento to the guest speaker as a token of love and appreciation.
12. Vote of thanks proposed by PP Rtn Dr Prabhat Mishra.

13. Attendance statistics presented by PP Rtn Maj N K Satpathy.
14. The meeting was adjourned by the president.

Attendance Statistics: -

Members present was 29.

Birthday This Week

- 15.02- Rtn.Kailash Chandra Padhi
16.02- Ann Sailabala Kar (W/o. Sambit Kar)
17.02- PP Bibekananda Mohanti
20.02- PP Mrs.Pravati Mohanty (IW) (W/o. PP Ramesh Chandra Singh)

Anniversary this Week

- 20.02- Rtn.Er.Pankaj Kumar Rajguru / Dr.Sanjukta Mohapatra
20.02- Rtn. Dushmant Raj Biswal/ Kasturika Biswal

Anniversary Next Week

- 23.02- PP Kamakhya Prasad Mahatab / PP Tatini

Birthday Next Week

- 22.02- PP Dr.Niranjan Tripathy
22.02- Rtn.Sambit Parija

CLUB NEWS









Club meeting dated 14.02.2025

Speaker: Dr Surendra Nath Dash Ph. D. (Odiya), Former Professor of Utkal University, Vanivihar, Bhubaneswar.

Topic: " ଜଗନ୍ନାଥ ଚେତନା ରେ ବିଶ୍ୱ ଶାନ୍ତି "Jagannath Chetana re Biswa Shanti

Members of Rotary Club of Cuttack Midtown contributed for the Polio Plus Fund Rs.5,220.00 = 60\$.



BLOOD DONATION CAMP

Dt : 25th February, 2025 Time : 10 AM
Venue : JSS Office, Sector - 8, CDA, Cuttack - 14

Organised by:

Rotary Club of Cuttack Midtown
Jan Shikshan Sansthan, Cuttack

Supported by :

Inner Wheel Club of Cuttack Midtown
JSS Rotaract Club

Monitored by :

Central Red Cross Blood Bank,
Mangalabag, Medical Road, Cuttack



PP Raghunath Bhut attended the District condolece meeting for PDG DR.Ranjan Singh held at Rotary Bhaban Bhubaneswar on 17.02.2025 evening
DISTRICT NEWS



Stephanie A. Urchick
RI President

Rotary



Rotary International District - 3262



Yagyansis Mohapatra
District Governor



DISTRICT CONFERENCE 2024 - 25

**MAYFAIR PALM BEACH RESORT
GOPALPUR - ON - SEA**

29-30-31st March, 2025

REGISTRATION FEE (Without Accommodation)

Registration Details	Up to 20 Feb	21 Feb-10 March	11 March-24 March
Rotarian	7500 INR	8000 INR	8500 INR
Spouse (Non Rotarian)*	7000 INR	7500 INR	8000 INR
Rotaract/ Interact*	7000 INR	7500 INR	8000 INR

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ROTARY NEWS

R.I Theme RY 2025-2026

Rotary's presence showcases high-level support for the environment

Rotary Foundation Trustee Chair Mark Maloney led a Rotary International delegation joining more than 56,000 participants at the 29th United Nations climate conference in Baku, Azerbaijan in November. Delegates at COP29 (short for Conference of the Parties) came from 193 countries and thousands of nongovernmental organizations, companies, and media.

“COP29 presented an invaluable opportunity for us to interact with key players in the environment space and share Rotary's grassroots model of community action,” Maloney says.

The high-level delegation at COP29, appointed by Rotary International president Stephanie Urchick, showcased Rotary's continued commitment to protecting the environment. Rotary delegates aimed to build on prior successes by connecting with organizations that align with Rotary's focus on the environment and finding possible partners for future projects.



The Rotary Foundation Trustee Chair Mark Maloney (top right) talks with officials with the Green Climate Fund at the 29th United Nations climate conference in Baku, Azerbaijan, 11-22 November 2024.

“Rotary's ability to mobilize communities, build relationships at the local and global level, and provide grant funding for our members' impactful projects positions us to continue to play an important role [in protecting the environment],” Maloney says.

In addition to Maloney, RI delegates included Mohamed Delawar Aly, Rotary Representative to the Arab League, and Alberto Palombo, the Rotary Foundation Cadre of Technical Advisers' lead for the environment. They joined other Rotary members from around the world. Rotary members in Baku hosted an event for the visitors during their stay in Azerbaijan. Meanwhile, Maloney met with Kitty van der Heijden, Deputy Executive Director of Partnerships for UNICEF, Rotary's polio eradication partner. The two discussed how the fight against polio and work in other areas intersect with climate action.

In 2020, as RI president, Maloney proposed the addition of the environment as an area of focus, after years of advocacy by Rotary members. Since July 2021, The Rotary Foundation has supported the work of clubs and districts to protect the environment. Rotary projects have included restoring mangroves, saving forests, and cultivating coral reefs.

In 2024, Rotary announced [a strategic partnership with the United Nations Environment Programme](#) that empowered members of Rotary, Rotaract, and Interact clubs to adopt bodies of water. The partnership provides guidance from UNEP's experts, step-by-step instructions, and other resources.

The United Nations climate change conferences are the organization's largest annual meetings, and among the largest international meetings in the world. The conferences serve as opportunities for the governments involved in the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (the "parties" in "Conference of the Parties") to negotiate ways to address climate change and measure the progress they've made so far. This was the fourth Rotary delegation to attend the UN climate conference.

COP30 will be held in Belém, Brazil, in November 2025. Brazil is the home country of RI's 2025-26 president, Mário César Martins de Camargo.

— February 2025