

SOTARY CLUB OF DHANBAD

# DASHBOARD

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# **Governor's Message** The Magic of Rotary continues...

"The Magic of Rotary सेवा से शांति तक" प्रिय रोटरी परिवार,

डिस्ट्रिक्ट कॉन्फ्रेंस और जनवरी की ठंड के बाद, मेरी OCV (Official Club Visit) फरवरी से फिर शुरू हो रही है। आप सभी से मिलना, रोटरी पर चर्चा करना और आपकी क्लब असेंबली में दो घंटे बिताना मेरे लिए OCV का सबसे महत्वपूर्ण हिस्सा होता है।

विश्व रोटरी दिवस-23 फरवरी

23 फरवरी को हम विश्व रोटरी दिवस मना रहे हैं, और इसी दिन जमशेदपुर में District Seminar on Tuberculosis (TB) आयोजित किया जा रहा है। मैं चाहता हूँ कि इस विशेष अवसर पर हमारे डिस्ट्रिक्ट के सभी रोटेरियन और क्लब कोई न कोई रोटरी-संबंधित कार्य अवश्य करें।

आप-

Rotary की सार्वजनिक छवि (Public Image) को बढा़वा देने के लिए शहर में Rotary Wheel लगा सकते हैं या रैली निकाल सकते हैं।

समुदाय के लिए कोई नया सेवा प्रोजेक्ट शुरू कर सकते हैं।

Stephanie A. Urchick RI President

Bipin Chachan District Governor



- Rotary Foundation में योगदान देकर ज़रूरमंदों की मदद कर सकते हैं।
- नए सदस्यों को जोड़कर इस दिन को यादगार बना सकते हैं।
  डिस्ट्रिक्ट गवर्नर चुनाव 2027-28
- 2 मार्च को रोटरी वर्ष 2027-28 के डिस्ट्रिक्ट गवर्नर (DG)
  का चुनाव होने जा रहा है। मैं सभी क्लबों से अनुरोध करता हूँ कि मतदान के दौरान रोटरी के मूल सिद्धांत "Service Above Self" को ध्यान में रखें।
- व्यक्तिगत लाभ से ऊपर उठकर डिस्ट्रिक्ट के उज्जवल भविष्य के लिए सही निर्णय लें।
- हमें एक दूरदर्शी लीडर की आवश्यकता है, जो सशक्त टीम बना सके और सभी को साथ लेकर चले।
- शांति और संघर्ष समाधान का महीना फरवरी शांति और संघर्ष समाधान (Peace and Conflict Prevention / Resolution) का महीना है, और इसकी शुरुआत हमें अपने क्लब से ही करनी होगी।
- आपका क्लब, आपका परिवार है- अपने मतभेदों को क्लब के अंदर ही सुलझाएं।



- यदि किसी लीडर के साथ विचार नहीं मिलते, तो कुछ समय के लिए स्वयं को सीमित रखें, लेकिन सार्वजनिक रूप से इसे उछालकर रोटरी की छवि को नुकसान न पहुँचाए।।
- रोटरी नेतृत्व केवल एक वर्ष के लिए होता है- मतभेद स्थायी नहीं होते, लेकिन रिश्ते स्थायी होते हैं।

मैं आप सभी से विनम्र अनुरोध करता हूँ कि रोटरी परिवार की गरिमा बनाए रखें और The Magic of Rotary को और ऊँचाइयों तक ले जाएं।

आपका साथी,

### रोटेरियन बिपिन चाचान



## **FEBRUARY 2025**



### **Our DASHBOARD Team**



**Dr. Arvind Sinha** Co Chair RC Gaya City



**Roop Kumar** Co Chair RC Bhagalpur,



Abhishek Apoorv Co Chair RC Chanakya

#### **Club OCV**

OCV OF RC GIRIDIH COUPLES	20 FEB. 2025	
OCV OF <b>RC GIRIDIH</b>	21 FEB. 2025	
OCV OF RC JAMSHEDPUR	24 FEB. 2025	
OCV OF RC TATHAGAT BIHARSHARIF	10 MAR. 2025	
Other Events		
TB SEMINAR / ROTARY DAY AT JAMSHEDPUR	23 FEB. 2025	
DGND ELECTION @PATNA	02 MAR. 2025	

## **EDITORIAL** रोटरी माह : प्रेम, शांति और February is Peace and Conflic Prevention/Resolution सेवा का संदेश

फरवरी का महीना रोटरी के लिए विशेष महत्व रखता है। यह न केवल प्रेम और शांति का महीना है, बल्कि इस महीने में रोटरी इंटरनेशनल का जन्मदिन भी आता है। यह वह समय है जब हम अपनी सेवा, समर्पण और वैश्विक शांति के प्रति अपनी प्रतिबद्धता को और मजबूत करते हैं। रोटरी का जादू हमारे कार्यों, संकल्पों और समाज के प्रति हमारे प्रेम में निहित है।

Month

रोटरी का मुलमंत्र ''सेवा से ऊपर स्वयं'' हमें यह सिखाता है कि जब हम निःस्वार्थ भाव से समाज की संवा करते हैं, तब सच्ची संतुष्टि और खुशी प्राप्त होती है। रोटरी पीस फेलोशिप जैसे कार्यक्रम हमारे शांति और विकास के प्रयासों को नई दिशा देते हैं। हाल ही में इस्तांबुल में खोला गया नवीनतम पीस सेंटर इस बात का प्रमाण है कि रोटरी सतत शांति की दिशा में ठोस कदम बढ़ा रहा है।

हम उन सभी क्लबों का धन्यवाद करते हैं जिन्होंने समय पर अपनी रिपोर्ट इंडिया पोर्टल पर अपलोड की। साथ ही, हम सभी क्लबों से आग्रह करते हैं कि वे अपनी गतिविधियों की रिपोर्टिंग नियमित रूप से करें ताकि हमारे सभी सेवा कार्यों का सही documentation हो सके।

इस महत्वपूर्ण कार्य में मार्गदर्शन और सभी आवश्यक डेटा उपलब्ध कराने के लिए हम डिस्ट्रिक्ट गवर्नर बिपिन जी का हार्दिक आभार व्यक्त करते हैं। उनकी प्रेरणा और नेतृत्व ने हमें और अधिक प्रभावी सेवा कार्य करने के लिए प्रेरित किया है।

संपादकीय टीम का भी हार्दिक धन्यवाद, जिन्होंने इस संदेश को आप तक पहुँचाने में महत्वपूर्ण भूमिका निभाई।

> " भांति, प्रेम और सेवा ही रोटरी का आधार है, चलो मिलकर बनाएँ एक उज्जवल संसार है।"



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# RI Theme for the year 2025-26: Unite for Good.

RI President-elect Mário César Martins de Camargo calls us to Unite for Good. By using the power of human connection to welcome new members, collaborate on service projects, and build our global impact, Rotary members create positive change.





# **RI PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

Stephanie A. Urchick

February 2025

"Rotary Uniting Hearts, Transforming Futures, Building Peace."

This month, as we come together for the International Assembly and the Presidential Peace Conference, we celebrate *The Magic of Rotary* — a unique blend of global connection, vision, and action that empowers us to create lasting change.

One of the most inspiring examples is our Rotary Peace Fellowship program, a cornerstone of Rotary's mission to build a more peaceful and just world.

For more than 23 years, Rotary Peace Fellowships have been transforming communities. Our Rotary Peace Centers, hosted at leading universities around the globe, have educated over 1,800 fellows who now work in more than 140 countries.

These centers cultivate expertise in fields like conflict resolution, sustainable development, and peacebuilding, preparing fellows to tackle some of the world's most pressing challenges. This program exemplifies how Rotary turns vision into action, creating a ripple effect of hope and change.

This month during the Presidential Peace Conference, we celebrate a significant milestone with the opening of our newest peace centre in Istanbul. This centre will focus on training leaders to address peacebuilding challenges in the Middle East and North Africa, further extending Rotary's impact.

Peace fellows are dedicated champions of transformation, addressing critical issues such as refugee resettlement, youth and women's empowerment, and reconciliation in conflict zones. Many founded vital organizations or hold leadership roles in governments, nongovernmental organizations, and international institutions like the United Nations and World Bank.

One inspiring story is that of Ntang Julius Meleng, a 2024 Rotary Peace Fellow at Makerere University in Uganda. Through his Social Change Initiative, Julius has worked to empower young people in Cameroon to take active roles in peacebuilding and leadership.

His project provided training in conflict prevention, civic engagement, and leadership to youths and community officials in areas affected by conflict, equipping people to drive sustainable peace efforts.

Julius harnessed Rotary's global network to overcome obstacles, including limited funding and security risks, and make a meaningful impact.

The Rotary Peace Fellowship gave Julius the tools and support to turn his vision into reality. His work embodies The Magic of Rotary — the transformative power of connecting people, sharing resources, and uniting for a common purpose.

As we reflect on the achievements of our peace fellows and celebrate Rotary's enduring commitment to peace, let us also recognize the role that everyone in our network of 1.2 million members plays in creating magic through service.

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# **Corner Stones of Rotary's Foundation**

# New Major Donor of the District



Rtn. Rajeshwar Prasad RC Nawada

# **New PHS Members**



Sandeep Sarraf RC Pataliputra



**Rishabh Raj** RC Nawada



Dr. Shankar Kumar RC Bhagalpur



Amit Kejriwal RC Bhagalpur

# **Donors of Pooled Endowment Fund**



Rtn. Alpa Parikh RC JSR Steel City



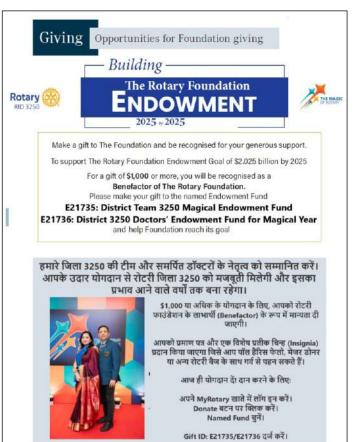
Dr. Ratan Kumar RC Gaya



Dr Pankaj Kumar Agrawal RC Begusarai



Rtn. Krishna Pratap RC Patna Airport



# Giving with Purpose - Living with Passion

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# Club Foundation Banner Recongnition Status Report

SL	Club Name	1-July Members	Average TRF Giving	%EREY Rotarians	TRF Giving Banner	EREY Banner
1	Darbhanga, BR	48	\$526.38	100%	Y	Y
2	Licchavi Muzaffarpur, BR	30	\$344.42	57%		<u>(9</u> . 92)
3	Nawada, BR	42	\$228.72	3%		
4	Tathagat Biharsharif, BR	61	\$221.84	100%	<u>Y</u>	Y
5	Buxar, BR	72	\$170.42	100%	Y	
6	Pataliputra, BR	89	\$159.67	92%		
7	Bhagalpur, BR	68	\$159.05	100%	Y	
8	Begusarai, BR	70	\$133.48	3%		
9	Muzaffarpur, BR	78	\$128.40	29%		
10	Patna Aryans, BR	21	\$112.83	100%	Y	Y

# Top donor of district

SL	Name	Club	USD Amount
1	Ajit Kumar Agrawal	Licchavi Muzaffarpur	\$9,700.02
2	Rajeshwar Prasad	Nawada	\$9,196.04
3	Satish Kumar Singh	Darbhanga	\$8,540.2
4	Dr. Hari Narayan Bhardwaj	Muzaffarpur	\$8,358.6
5	Dr. Joseph T.T.	Tathagat Biharsharif	\$8,150.4
6	Shiv Bhagwan Gupta	Darbhanga	\$8,071.8
7	Dr. Rakesh Kumar Singh	Buxar	\$6,025.0
8	Dr. Rajesh Dwivedi	Darbhanga	\$5,539.2
9	Gaurav Bagroy	Ranchi	\$5,430.0
10	Dr. Pankaj Kumar Agrawal	Begusarai	\$5,356.5
11	Dr. Himanshu Roy	Pataliputra	\$5,322.9
12	Satyajit Sahay	Bhagalpur	\$5,019.4

# Top 13 clubs in the membership growth upto 31st Jan

SL	Club Type	Club Name	Member Count @ 1 July	Member Count @ 31 January 25	Net Change from 1 July
1	Rotary Club	Patna Millennium	101	131	30
2	Rotary Club	Gaya Yuva	43	67	24
3	Rotary Club	Supaul	30	51	21
4	Rotary Club	Arrah	28	47	19
5	Rotary Club	Patna Mid-Town	39	58	19
6	Rotary Club	Pataliputra Nextgen	68	82	14
7	Rotary Club	Chas	54	63	9
8	Rotary Club	Kodarma	63	72	9
9	Rotary Club	Chanakya	83	91	8
10	Rotary Club	Hazaribagh Jagriti	18	26	8
11	Rotary Club	Patna Aryans	21	29	8
12	Rotary Club	Saran	21	29	8
13	Rotary Club	Sasaram	12	20	8
			Member Count @ 1 July	Member Count @ 31 January 25	Net Change from 1 July
Total Per	formance For Dis	trict # 3250	4062	<mark>4389</mark>	327

# Top 10 TRF giving clubs

Name	Annual Fund YTD	PolioPlus Fund YTD	Other Funds YTD	Endowment Fund YTD	Total
: 3250	\$1,38,814.86	\$5,330.58	\$84,760.82	\$3,000.00	\$2,31,906.26
Darbhanga, BR, India	\$5,227.26	\$36.05	\$20,002.99	\$0.00	\$25,266.3
Pataliputra, BR, India	\$8,812.70	\$100.00	\$5,297.62	\$0.00	\$14,210.32
Tathagat Biharsharif, BR, India	\$13,183.35	\$348.88	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$13,532.23
Buxar, BR, India	\$2,858.18	\$23.66	\$9,388.10	\$0.00	\$12,269.94
Bhagalpur, BR, India	\$1,771.00	\$0.00	\$9,044.12	\$0.00	\$10,815.12
Licchavi Muzaffarpur, BR, India	\$433.03	\$0.00	\$9,899.70	\$0.00	\$10,332.73
Muzaffarpur, BR, India	\$1,591.27	\$90.36	\$8,333.33	\$0.00	\$10,014.96
Nawada, BR, India	\$420.00	<b>\$</b> 0.00	\$9,186.04	\$0.00	\$9,606.04
Begusarai, BR, India	\$8,343.62	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$9,343.62
Ranchi, JH, India	\$2,704.40	\$1,111.90	\$ <u>5,007.17</u>	\$0.00	\$8,823.47
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# CLUBS IN ACTION

# Weaving Magic Locally

#### AMRAPALI

Rotary Club of Amrapali organized a workshop on drug addiction, cancer screening, and stress management at Rai Bahadur Tunki Sah Government Medical College and Hospital in collaboration with Sadar Hospital and Bhabha Atomic Tata Memorial Research Center. Students and teachers received detailed information on these topics, with Dr. Shamim Alam contributing to the session. All Rotary clubs of Muzaffarpur had organized the Ankit Memorial Rotary Cricket Match at L.S. College ground. The match, played among Rotarians of all clubs.



#### **BEGUSARAI**

Blood donation camps were organized at Rotary Blood Bank and Simariya, encouraging voluntary donors to contribute to the noble cause of saving lives. These initiatives aimed to support those in need of blood transfusions and promote the spirit of community service.







#### **BETTIAH CENTRAL**

An awareness program on diabetes and cholesterol was conducted at Rtn Dr Pradeep Kumar clinic, along with a health check-up camp for 75 patients. Distributed 200 woollen caps to students and organized a session on dental hygiene and mobile misuse. A talk on stress, diet, and sleep was held for Rotarians and locals. Blanket distribution included 200 for brick kiln labourers, 101 in Rani Pakri, 100 in Mansa Tola, 70 in Beldaari, and 150 in Ranipur. Additionally, 40 mango trees were planted. Republic Day was celebrated at the adopted school with flag hoisting and sweets for students.





#### **BETTIAH TOWN**

Rotary Club Bettiah Town organized a distribution drive, providing caps, socks, and sweets to children at Vanwaasi Aashram. Rotarians actively participated in the initiative. On January 26, the club celebrated Republic Day at St. Michael Prep School, Bettiah, with flag hoisting and festivities, attended by several Rotarians.



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## **FEBRUARY 2025**

#### BHAGALPUR

A hearing aid was donated to a 13-yearold girl. RC Bhagalpur donated sewing machines to skilled yet needy individuals. Additionally, wheelchairs were provided to those in need. The event concluded with the presentation of the Vocational Service Award.



#### **BODH GAYA**

The Rotary Club of Bodhgaya distributed 100 blankets to patients at the Primary Health Centre, providing warmth and comfort during the harsh winter. Continuing its commitment to social service, the club also organized a food donation drive, feeding 1,000 children to combat hunger and support those in need. Both initiatives saw active participation from club members and leadership.





#### Rotary Buxar organized a family picnic at Korantadih, Uttar Pradesh, bringing members together for a joyful gathering. In memory of Late Bhola Nath Asthana, the club distributed blankets to the needy, followed by a sweet distribution drive benefiting 200 labourers at Jamuna Chauk, Buxar. The celebrations concluded with the unfurling of the national flag at Rotary Bhavan, Buxar, on the occasion of the 76th Republic Day.



#### CHANAKYA

The Rotary Club of Chanakya organized a Free Fibroscan of the liver for the general public, along with a free hepatitis screening and vaccination camp. Additionally, blankets were distributed to 250 poor cancer patients, providing warmth and support to those in need.



#### **CHANAKYA PRIDE**

A second dose cervical cancer vaccination drive was conducted for 10 girls of NGO Alphabets. Additionally, on the occasion of the 76th Republic Day of India, organized a seed planting and tree plantation drive at Orkid Petals Playschool, Patna City, where 60 saplings were planted for 60 kids. The celebrations also included a flag hoisting ceremony, marking the patriotic spirit of the event.



#### **CHAKIA**

The Rotary Club of Chakia organized a blanket donation program for the leprosy community in Leprosy Colony, Chakia, in memory of Dr. V. S. Pillai, showcasing their commitment to compassionate service.



## FEBRUARY 2025

#### **CHAS**

An eye screening camp was organized to help identify children at risk of vision problems, ensuring their proper development, learning, and well-being. A total of 1,063 students and staff were screened with the assistance of expert ophthalmologists. Additionally, a copy bank was installed at a government school to support students from weaker sections by providing free notebooks, pencils, and pens, removing financial hindrances in their education. The Republic Day celebration further spread happiness with a flag hoisting ceremony, followed by the distribution of notebooks, pencils, biscuits, and chocolates, promoting the joy of giving.



#### **DHANBAD CENTRAL**

Club members took the initiative to enroll the inmates of Ramasharam in the Aayushman Card Government Scheme, ensuring they received their health cards promptly. Distributed food packets and woollen clothes to support the residents during challenging times. The club organized a picnic for members and their families. Members relished a delicious buffet and participated in various games and sports.



#### DHANBAD

The Rotary Club of Dhanbad organized an Artificial Limb Camp at Dharampur, Gujarat, in association with Shrimad Rajchandra Ashram, where 102 free artificial limbs, calipers, and cosmetic hands were distributed. Sweatshirts were provided to the students of Jeevan Jyoti School, a gesture well appreciated by the members. Additionally, blankets were distributed in the Baghmara Block 2 mining area to offer warmth to those in need. Several blood donation camps were conducted at Golf Ground, Baghmara, Dhanbad, and Joraphokar under the Global Grant Mobile Blood Collection Van Project (Grant No. GG2240240) in collaboration with SNMMCH Dhanbad, collecting a total of 103 units of blood. A press conference was also held at Jeevan Jyoti School to raise awareness about the "Gift of Life" project, which aims to identify and provide free aid to children aged 6 months to 18 years with heart-related issues. A helpline number was also introduced to assist beneficiaries with their queries.



#### GAYA CITY

Amidst the severe cold, around 50 blankets were distributed to those in need, followed by another 150 blankets provided to villagers to help them cope with the winter. Additionally, Rotary Gaya City organized a jacket distribution ceremony, offering 120 jackets to Traffic Police personnel to ensure their comfort while on duty. The initiative was wellreceived and appreciated by officials, reinforcing Rotary's commitment to community service.



#### **GIRIDIH GREATER**

The Rose Garden Development project was organized at CCL DAV Public School as part of an environmental protection initiative, with 50 rose saplings planted to enhance greenery.



#### **HAZARIBAGH JAGRITI**

The Rotary Club of Hazaribagh Jagriti, in collaboration with Paras Hospital Ranchi, organized regular "Know Your Number" health check-up camps at Jheel Area, Hazaribagh. Multiple cataract surgeries were conducted at Rohini Devi Rotary Netralaya, benefiting numerous individuals. The club celebrated Makar Sankranti by distributing food items and organizing games for children in Kansar village. Eye check-up camps under Ujjwal Drishti Abhiyan were held at various schools, screening students for vision problems. The club provided breakfast at a home for the mentally challenged and snacks for an old-age home. Eye check-ups were also organized for drivers at Nagwa Toll Plaza, with many patients screened and surgeries performed. National Girl Child Day was marked with discussions and activities at a local school. A health check-up camp for 50 people was

conducted at Nagwa Toll Plaza, along with an eye camp for drivers. Members visited the Rotary Saheli Centre, promoting women's empowerment through stitching training. Various initiatives, including cataract surgeries, health check-ups, eye screenings, and community service projects, reinforced the club's commitment to public welfare.



#### JAMSHEDPUR EAST

Long Service Awards were institutionalized for SDDS teachers, recognizing their 10 years of dedicated service with a reward of Rs 10,000 each. To support health and well-being, 10 nutritional food packets were distributed to needy TB students. Additionally, renovation work was carried out at SDDS School, enhancing the learning environment for students.



#### JAMSHEDPUR FEMINA

RCJ Femina organized a program on vocational training for mothers of schoolchildren at Saraswati Shishu Vidya Mandir, discussing the importance of such courses in an engaging and informative session attended by 27 women. They also conducted a menstrual hygiene session at Vivekanand International School Mango for 100 students of Classes 9 and 10, where sanitary napkins were distributed. Additionally, a vocational centre was inaugurated at Saraswati Shishu Vidya Mandir, with women registering for stitching and beautician courses.



#### **JAMSHEDPUR GREEN**

Rotary Club of Jamshedpur Green organized a PPH camp at Jamshedpur Co-operative College, where faculty and staff underwent health examinations, and awareness was raised on lifestyle changes for disease prevention. Republic Day was celebrated with a flag hoisting at EUROKIDZ Mango, followed by a cultural program and prize distribution. An Interact Club was

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formed at +2 Adibasi High School Bangurda for tribal students. A CPR training session was conducted at +2 Adibasi High School, Patamda, where students and staff practiced life-saving techniques. An awareness program on Polio was held, emphasizing the importance of vaccination and Rotary's role in eradication. Nutritional diet items were distributed to HIV-affected orphan children receiving treatment at MGM Hospital. Vitamin D supplements were provided to the inmates and staff of Ashirwad Old Age Home after prior testing of bone density and Vitamin D levels.





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#### **JAMSHEDPUR**

Free eye-checkup camps were organized at different locations, benefiting vegetable vendors, porters, and local residents, with spectacles provided to those in need. Weekly food distribution drives were conducted in village clusters, ensuring nutritious meals for hundreds of residents. The Rotary Saheli Centre continued to empower women through vocational training in stitching, embroidery, and beautician courses, with participants also crafting paper and school bags for local supplies. Medical aid was extended through free checkups, medicines, and nutritional support, including services for tuberculosis patients and mother-child care at the Bhelaipahari clinic. A shelter facility was provided for patients visiting the Cancer Hospital from nearby villages. Additionally, language and sewing classes were introduced for skill development, and a computer training program was launched for rural youth. Republic Day celebrations were marked with flag hoisting, cultural events, and discussions on constitutional values at various Rotary centers.



#### JAMSHEDPUR MID TOWN

Rotary Club of Jamshedpur Midtown has been actively engaged in impactful community initiatives. Under the "Waves of Change" project, the club is rehabilitating sexually abused and traumatized individuals, beginning with the sponsorship and safe relocation of a Class 12 student, ensuring her wellbeing through financial support and continuous counselling. Weekly river cleaning drives at Gandhi Ghat and Domuhani Ghat were conducted, with collected debris sent for recycling. The club contributed funds for the monthly nutritive diet of children at a centre. Free mental health counselling and therapy sessions were provided to students of St. Mary's Hindi School, helping those identified through a teachers' training program. Additionally, RCJMT co-hosted a webinar during the 2025 January Vocational Service Month, where a panel of women Rotarians discussed using their vocations to benefit society.



#### **JAMSHEDPUR STEEL CITY**

A cataract screening and surgery camp provided much-needed medical support to patients. An E-Waste Collection Drive was launched to promote environmental sustainability through door-to-door collection and awareness programs. A large-scale blood donation camp successfully collected hundreds of units to support those in need. Essential supplies, including baby blankets, were donated to new-borns at an NGO-run hospital. A signature ongoing project ensures freshly cooked meals are provided daily to hundreds of patient attendants at a government hospital. A special vaccination camp administered doses to young girls to protect against cervical cancer. A mega health check-up camp offered blood tests and medical consultations across multiple specialties, benefiting a large number of individuals. Career-building and mental health awareness sessions were conducted for students to support their professional growth.



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#### **KODERMA**

The Rotary Club of Koderma organized a mega eye check-up camp in a remote area, providing essential eye care services to over 200 patients. This special initiative ensured that those diagnosed with cataract issues would receive free surgeries at the Rotary Eye Hospital, bringing the gift of clear vision to many in need.



#### **MADHUBANI MILLANNIUM**

A Blanket Distribution Program was organized by Rotary Club of Madhubani Millennium. The event took place at Madhubani Railway Station and Sadar Hospital, Madhubani, where a total of 50 blankets were distributed among the needy to help them combat the harsh winter.



#### MOTIHARI

On the occasion of Republic Day 2025, RC Motihari, in collaboration with Motihari Chamber of Commerce, organized a School Bag Kit distribution for needy students at a government school near Sagauli, East Champaran. Over 150 students benefited from this initiative, receiving kits that included study materials, sports equipment, food, and hygiene essentials. Additionally, with the support of Rotary District 3250, RC Motihari gifted Almira's with books to 11 government schools in the presence of district officials, Rotarians, club members, and representatives of various social organizations.



#### **MUZAFFARPUR**

A Free Blood Check-Up Camp was organized to raise awareness about the importance of a healthy lifestyle. The initiative aimed to encourage people to monitor their health regularly and take preventive measures against potential illnesses.



#### NALANDA

In an effort to enhance Rotary's public image, 20 car owners actively participated in a Rotary logo sticker distribution drive. These stickers, prominently displayed on their vehicles, serve as a means to spread awareness about Rotary's mission and community service initiatives.



#### NARKATIAGANJ

Under the Positive Health Project, RC Narkatiaganj, in collaboration with its youth wing Rotaract Club and Gram Niyojan Kendra, organized a haemoglobin test camp for 200 girls and women from Dalit Basti of Maheshpur village under Kundilpur Panchayat. Additionally, on the occasion of National Girl Child Day, a health check-up and counselling camp was conducted for underprivileged girls and women in Maheshpur village. As part of the initiative, an anaemia and cervical cancer awareness program was led by gynaecologists for 300 girls aged 13 to 32 years from surrounding villages, ensuring greater health awareness and preventive care.



#### PATALIPUTRA

Rotary Pataliputra distributed 30 sweaters to underprivileged children at Adalat Ghat slum area during the cold season. The Club operates initiatives like affordable dialysis services, a blood bank, and an eye hospital providing essential medical care to underserved communities. They also run Mukti Raths, offering dignified last journeys



#### **PATLIPUTRA ADVIKA**

The Rotary Club of Patliputra Advika distributed stationery and indoor game to 650 children in the 22 schools running in the name of sanskarshala located in different slums of Patna. They also donated dustbins in these schools. Medical camp in Mobile Health checkup Van was organised in slums.



#### **PATNA ARYAN**

Club celebrated the 76th Republic Day with Kidzee Ashopur children and their Rotary family, fostering a spirit of patriotism and togetherness. Additionally, Rotary hoardings and posters were prominently displayed during the Rajgir tour and New Year celebration, enhancing Rotary's visibility and outreach.



#### **PATNA CITY SAMRAT**

The Rotary Club of Patna City Samrat conducted a Mega Eye Check-Up Camp, benefiting 700-800 individuals, with 187 successful cataract surgeries in six phases. An awareness campaign for eye and organ donation was also held. To maximize outreach, 250 banners and a public announcement vehicle were deployed, targeting 500 surgeries this year. Rotarians actively participated in the Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji mega procession, distributing sweets, snacks, and hot drinks. A press conference highlighted the club's service projects, enhancing Rotary's public image. A Mega Science Exhibition was hosted with Jesus & Mary students and Interactors, promoting leadership development. The club completed a blanket distribution project, providing 800 blankets to slum dwellers, laborers, old age home residents, and orphanages. A cataract surgery camp for 67 patients and a press conference with dignitaries showcased Rotary's commitment to service and community welfare.



#### **PATNA KANKARBAGH**

The Rotary Club of Patna Kankarbagh took significant initiatives for community welfare and awareness. In response to the rising road accidents, the club installed road safety hoardings at key junctions during National Road Safety Month. To support the underprivileged, the club organized blanket distribution drives in multiple locations, providing 700 blankets to those in need. Additionally, a woollen

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clothes distribution program successfully benefited over 200 individuals. A general health check-up camp for morning walkers at Ramsunder Das Park addressed concerns like blood pressure, blood sugar, and pain management, while also promoting plastic-free living through the distribution of eco-friendly bags.



#### **PATNA MIDTOWN**

Rotary Patna Midtown continues its unwavering commitment to community service through impactful healthcare and awareness initiatives. In collaboration with Savera Cancer Hospital and Bright Sight Eye Hospital, the club organized Cancer Screening and Eye Checkup Camps, along with CPR, Cancer Awareness, and First Aid talks in Jehanabad. Marking January's focus on Cervical Cancer, the club conducted a Mammography and PAP Smear Camp and an awareness talk by Dr. Pritanjali Singh. On Republic Day, they launched the Mukti Rath, inaugurated a library, and donated food grains at Kishore Dal/Bal Niketan, spreading joy at Antarjyoti Blind Girls School. Their dedication to health, education, and empowerment continues to create lasting change.



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#### PATNA MILLENNIUM

The Rotary Club of Patna Millennium successfully facilitated cataract surgeries through its Netra Jyoti Seva initiative, restoring vision and hope to those in need, with 8, 22, and 10 surgeries completed in separate events at Pragya Netralaya, Hajipur. They organized the launch of a Mobile Eye Clinic Van and installed sanitary pad vending machines and incinerators, coupled with a free eye check-up camp benefiting approximately 500 individuals. Their blood donation camp on Republic Day saw the collection of 53 units, Multiple Bhagwat Bhandara events were held at Sadar Hospital, Hajipur, spreading community service and compassion..



#### PATNA WEST

The free meals distribution initiative in the slum areas of Patna serves 100 to 150 individuals daily, ensuring consistent support for underprivileged communities



#### RANCHI

Rotary Club of Ranchi actively conducted multiple impactful initiatives. A Physiotherapy Camp at Rotary Hall received an overwhelmingly positive response. A Medical Camp at Nawa Maskal School, in association with a hospital, provided screenings for nearly 100 patients across various specializations, along with free medicines. In celebration of Vocational Service Month, the club honoured professionals exemplifying outstanding ethics, recognizing doctors, teachers, nurses, police personnel, and firefighters for their service. A medical check-up camp benefited over 75 individuals, with free medicines distributed. An Ayushman Bharat enrolment camp at Rotary Hall successfully registered 157 senior citizens aged 70+. A Bone Density, Thyroid, and Haemoglobin camp at a hospital conducted 85 Bone Mineral Density, 62 Thyroid, and 52 Haemoglobin tests, marking another impactful initiative by the club.



#### TATHAGAT

The Rotary Club of Tathagat marked the New Year by serving tea, biscuits, and chocolates to the public. They organized sports activities for children at St. Joseph Academy, promoting education through recreation, and held a press conference to raise awareness about drug-free living among youth via an upcoming marathon. The club continued its Rotary Children project, educating 550 underprivileged children at St. Joseph Academy. At the Saheli Centre, workshops and training sessions empowered unemployed women with skills in tailoring, beautician work, and computer applications to promote self-reliance. Additionally, a career counseling session for Class 10-12 students guided them on post-board career choices. The club also recognized Interactors for their contributions to literacy efforts with certificates and mementos.



#### **VIKRAMSHILA PINK**

RC Vikramshila Pink distributed blankets to 100 needy individuals in the Barahpura area. This thoughtful initiative aimed to provide warmth and comfort to vulnerable members of the community during challenging weather conditions, reflecting a strong commitment to humanitarian service.





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# **ROTARY BASICS**

# **Overview of Rotary International Major Programs**

Rotary International Programs: Fostering Leadership, Service, and Global Impact

Rotary International offers a variety of programs aimed at fostering fellowship, leadership development, professional growth, and service opportunities. These initiatives engage people of all ages, professions, and backgrounds, creating a global network of individuals working to make a difference. Below is an overview of Rotary's major programs:

#### 1. POLIO PLUS

#### **Purpose:**

Rotary's flagship initiative aimed at eradicating polio worldwide.

#### **Key Features:**

- A partnership with organizations like the World Health Organization (WHO) and UNICEF.
- Support for immunization campaigns, advocacy, and surveillance systems.
- Since its launch in 1985, PolioPlus has contributed to reducing polio cases by over 99%.

#### 2. ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE

#### **Purpose:**

Promotes international understanding and cultural exchange by offering students aged 15–19 the opportunity to live and study abroad for up to one year.

#### **Key Features:**

- Both short-term (weeks to a few months) and long-term (academic year) exchanges.
- Encourages cultural immersion, language learning, and global connections.

#### **3. ROTARY PEACE CENTRES**

#### **Purpose:**

Educates and trains individuals to become peacebuilders and leaders in resolving global conflicts.

#### **Key Features:**

- Fully funded fellowships for master's degree programs or professional development certificates in peace and conflict resolution.
- Partnerships with leading universities worldwide.

#### 4. ROTARY COMMUNITY CORPS (RCC)

#### **Purpose:**

Engages non-Rotarians in local service projects to address community-specific needs.

#### **Key Features:**

- Teams of volunteers who work with local Rotary clubs.
- Focus on grassroots development and sustainability.

#### 5. ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS (RYLA)

#### Purpose:

A leadership development program for young people, emphasizing community service, professional skills, and personal growth.

#### **Key Features:**

- Workshops, seminars, and hands-on activities.
- Participants learn skills such as communication, problem-solving, and teamwork.

#### 6. INTERACT CLUBS

#### Purpose:

A program for young people aged 12–18 that fosters leadership, community service, and global citizenship.

#### **Key Features:**

- Sponsored by local Rotary clubs.
- Projects often address local and international challenges.

#### 7. GLOBAL GRANTS AND DISTRICT GRANTS

#### Purpose:

Provides funding for Rotary clubs to implement large-scale, sustainable projects or smaller local initiatives.

#### **Key Features:**

- Global Grants focus on Rotary's seven areas of focus and require international collaboration.
- District Grants support short-term local projects tailored to community needs.
- 8. ROTARY FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGE (FAMILY EXCHANGE)

#### Purpose:

Facilitates international travel and cultural exchanges among Rotarians and their families.

#### **Key Features:**

- Participants host each other in their homes.
- Promotes fellowship, cultural understanding, and collaboration.

#### 9. ROTARY ACTION GROUPS (RAGS)

#### **Purpose:**

Allows Rotarians and participants to collaborate on specialized areas of interest, such as health, education, or environmental issues.

#### **Key Features:**

- · Connects members with shared passions to enhance impact.
- Supports Rotary clubs and districts in planning and executing projects.

#### **10. SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS**

#### **Purpose:**

Provides educational opportunities to individuals, particularly in areas related to peacebuilding, leadership, and Rotary's focus areas.

#### **Key Features:**

- · Includes fully funded Rotary Peace Fellowships.
- Many scholarships are designed to support graduate-level education.

#### **11. VOCATIONAL TRAINING TEAMS (VTTS)**

#### **Purpose:**

Allows groups of professionals to travel abroad to share knowledge, build skills, and enhance vocational expertise.

#### **Key Features:**

- Teams are tailored to specific project goals.
- Participants collaborate with local communities to address vocational needs.

#### **12. SHELTER BOX PARTNERSHIP**

#### Purpose:

Provides emergency shelter and disaster relief to families displaced by natural disasters and conflicts.

Key Features:

- Rotary clubs collaborate with ShelterBox to distribute aid.
- Supplies include tents, tools, and essential items for survival.

#### **13. ROTARY FELLOWSHIPS**

#### Purpose:

To connect people worldwide with similar interests for friendship and service opportunities.

#### Key Features:

- Includes groups focused on travel, sports, arts, technology, and more.
- Promotes networking, cultural exchange, and collaboration across professions and interests.
- Open to families and youth participants, fostering intergenerational engagement.

#### **Program Synergies**

Rotary's programs often overlap in ways that maximize impact and create lifelong connections:

- Youth Programs: Interact, RYLA, and Youth Exchange often serve as stepping stones to deeper Rotary involvement, with participants progressing to Rotaract or Rotary membership.
- Family Involvement: Programs like RCC and Friendship Exchange provide opportunities for family members to participate in service and cultural exchanges.
- Peacebuilding:

The principles of leadership, cultural exchange, and ethical service in youth programs align with the goals of Peace Fellowships, preparing young people to take on leadership roles in global peace initiatives.

These programs collectively reflect Rotary's mission to foster goodwill, develop leadership, and make a lasting impact on individuals and communities worldwide.



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# **E-Waste Project**

**RC Jamshedpur Steel City** 

#### "Recycle Today for a Greener Tomorrow!"

#### Rotary Club of Jamshedpur Steel City Organizes E-Waste Collection Drive

E-waste management has emerged as a critical environmental concern, requiring responsible disposal of discarded electronic devices such as old phones, computers, and appliances. Improper disposal leads to harmful toxins contaminating soil and water, making it crucial to recycle and reuse these items to conserve valuable resources and reduce pollution.

While working on environmental projects under the Rotary banner, the Rotary Club of Jamshedpur Steel City recognized the growing issue of e-waste accumulation. Observing large piles of unused cords and gadgets, the club realized that many individuals face the same challenge—where to discard electronic waste responsibly?

#### The E-Waste Collection Drive

To address this issue, the club launched an E-Waste Collection Drive with two primary objectives:

- Raising awareness about the harmful effects of e-waste.
- Providing a proper disposal platform for electronic waste.

The drive was inaugurated on January 11th in the presence of AG Rtn. Nikita Mehta and senior officials from TATA Steel. The initiative received overwhelming appreciation from the public. A designated drop-off point was set up at Beldih Club, along with a door-to-door pickup service to make e-waste disposal more accessible.

#### EXHIBITION – HARMONY: Promoting Sustainable Products

The inauguration was part of a larger initiative—"EXHIBITION-HARMONY", which showcased eco-friendly and sustainable products. Exhibitors from West Bengal, Odisha, and Jharkhand participated, promoting environmental consciousness while also serving as a fundraiser for the club. The event saw an enthusiastic response from Jamshedpur residents, successfully raising ₹35,000 to support Rotary initiatives.





#### **Impact and Future Commitment**

The most fulfilling outcome of these efforts was the awareness created about e-waste management and sustainability. The Rotary Club of Jamshedpur Steel City remains committed to continuing such initiatives, ensuring a greener and more sustainable tomorrow.

Through small but impactful steps, Rotary proves that "We Can Create Magic – The Rotary Way".

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ROTARY CLUB OF PATNA MILLENNIUM

**Mobile Eye Clinic Van** 

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# **Mobile Eye Van**

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**RC Patna Millennium** 

# रोटरी पटना मिलेनियम की अनोखी पहल : दृष्टि सेवा अब हर द्वार

नेत्र ज्योति सेवा परियोजना के तहत मोबाइल आई क्लिनिक वैन का शुभारंभ

रोटरी पटना मिलेनियम ने नेत्र ज्योति सेवा परियोजना के अंतर्गत मोबाइल आई क्लिनिक वैन शुरू कर एक ऐतिहासिक उपलब्धि हासिल की है। इस पहल का उद्देश्य हाजीपुर औद्योगिक क्षेत्र के लगभग 2 लाख श्रमिकों को निःशुल्क और उच्च गुणवत्ता वाली नेत्र जांच सेवाएं प्रदान करना है, जिससे उनके जीवन स्तर में सकारात्मक बदलाव आए।

एक नई रोशनी की ओरः

इस परियोजना का पूरा खर्च रोटरी पटना मिलेनियम के सदस्यों द्वारा वहन किया गया है, जो सेवा के प्रति उनकी निस्वार्थ भावना को दर्शाता है। वैन के उद्घाटन समारोह में लगभग 800 लोग उपस्थित थे, जिसमें जिला गवर्नर बिपिन चाचन मुख्य अतिथि के रूप्में शामिल हुए।

अब यह मोबाइल आई क्लिनिक वैन उन लोगों तक पहुंचेगी, जो आंखों की समस्याओं से जूझ रहे हैं लेकिन सही इलाज के अभाव में उनका जीवन अंधकारमय हो रहा है। यह वैन आंखों की संपूर्ण जांच कर आवश्यक उपचार की दिशा में कदम बढ़ाएगी, जिससे हजारों लोगों को लाभ मिलेगा।

गांव-गांव पहुंचेगी यह सेवाः

रोटरी पटना मिलेनियम का लक्ष्य हाजीपुर के सभी 250 ग्राम पंचायतों तक इस सेवा को पहुंचाना है, जिससे कमजोर और जरूरतमंद वर्ग को रोशनी की नई उम्मीद मिले। यह परियोजना रोटरी के आदर्श ''सेवा सर्वोपरि'' को साकार करती है और समाज के वंचित वर्गों को बेहतर भविष्य की ओर ले जाने में महत्वपूर्ण निभाएगी।

यह पहल सिर्फ एक शुरुआत है- आने वाले समय में यह लाखों लोगों के जीवन को संवारने की प्रेरणा बनेगी। आइए, हम सभी मिलकर इस सेवा अभियान का हिस्सा बनें और अंधकार से रोशनी की ओर एक नया सफर शुरू करें।





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# **River Cleaning Project**

**RC Jamshedpur Mid town** 

#### "Swachh Nadi, Swasth Jeevan – Clean Rivers, Better Tomorrow!" Swarnrekha River Cleanup Mission

Under the leadership of President Rtn. Preeti Saini, the Rotary Club of Jamshedpur Midtown partnered with Swachhatapukare Foundation in August 2024 to support the Swarnrekha River Cleanup Mission, an initiative running for 5.5 years to restore and preserve the river.

Now in its 23rd week, Rotarians actively join weekly cleanups, led by Project Chair Rtn. Gopal, whose dedication has inspired many. The mission is not just about removing visible waste but also about proper disposal, recycling, and promoting public awareness. Volunteers frequently find avoidable waste, highlighting the need for better waste management. The pollution has severely impacted marine life, with frequent encounters of dead fish, emphasizing the urgent need for action.

Being a rain-fed river, Swarnrekha lacks a continuous water source, making pollution a serious threat to its survival. If left unchecked, it risks turning into a stagnant, polluted water body. Every day, thousands visit the riverbanks, often unknowingly contributing to its degradation.

The Rotary Club of Jamshedpur Midtown's commitment to this project demonstrates how consistent, small efforts can drive significant change. Through their dedication, they aim to create a cleaner, healthier Swarnrekha River for future generations, reinforcing the importance of environmental responsibility and sustainability.





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# **Rotary Eye Camp**

**RC Gaya** 

# रोटरी नेत्र परीक्षण शिविर : दृष्टि के साथ जीवन रोशन करना

रोटरी क्लब गया, श्रृष्टि दृष्टि चैरिटेबल ट्रस्ट के सहयोग से, सैकड़ों लोगों को नेत्र परीक्षण और आशा प्रदान करने के इस महत्वपूर्ण अभियान पर कार्यरत है। ग्लोबल ग्रांट संख्या 17562316 के अंतर्गत, यह सराहनीय पहल 31 जनवरी से 26 फरवरी 2025 तक रोटरी नेत्र अस्पताल, रोटरी भवन, गया में आयोजित की जा रही है।

इस पहल का उद्देश्य जरूरतमंदों को गुणवत्तापूर्ण नेत्र देखभाल प्रदान करना है। शिविर में प्रतिदिन 100 मरीजों को मोतियाबिंद जैसी समस्याओं की पहचान होती है, उन्हें हर शुक्रवार मुफ्त में सर्जरी कराने का अवसर दिया जाता है। यह जीवन-परिवर्तनकारी सर्जरी समाज के सबसे वंचित वर्ग को उज्जवल दृष्टि प्रदान करने में सहायक हो रही है।

इस प्रभावशाली पहल का उद्घाटन गया के सिविल सर्जन श्री राजा राम प्रसाद ने किया। उन्होंने रोटरी क्लब गया कि इस जनहितकारी सेवा के प्रति प्रतिबद्धता की सराहना की और इस पहल के महत्व को रेखांकित किया।

यह पहल रोटरी के मानव सेवा के प्रति समर्पण का प्रमाण है। गुणवत्तापूर्ण नेत्र देखभाल और दृष्टि बहाल करके, रोटरी क्लब गया न केवल व्यक्तिगत जीवन बदल रहा है बल्कि परिवारों और समुदायों को भी सशक्त बना रहा है। स्पष्ट दृष्टि से जीवन में सुधार होता है, उत्पादकता बढ़ती है, और आत्मनिर्भरता को बढ़ावा मिलता है।

रोटरी क्लब गया अपने सहयोगियों, स्वयंसेवकों और चिकित्सा विशेषज्ञों के प्रति हार्दिक आभार प्रकट करता है जो इस मिशन को सफल बनाने में अथक प्रयास कर रहे हैं। उनकी निःस्वार्थ सेवा और समर्पण रोटरी के 'सेवा सर्वोपरि' के मूल सिद्धांत को दर्शाती है।

जैसे-जैसे यह शिविर लोगों के जीवन में बदलाव लाता जा रहा है, यह हमें याद दिलाता है कि सामहिक प्रयासों से हम समाज के सब



यह हमें याद दिलाता है कि सामूहिक प्रयासों से हम समाज के सबसे अंधेरे कोनों में भी रोशनी ला सकते हैं। रोटरी की दृष्टि स्पष्ट है: एक ऐसी दुनिया जहां सभी को दृष्टि, गरिमा और उज्जवल भविष्य का अधिकार मिले।





# Cancer Free Bihar RC Patna Mid Town

जागरूकता, जांच और समय पर इलाज से बचाएं जीवन

रोटरी पटना मिडटाउन ने बिहार में कैंसर जागरूकता और निःशुल्क जांच अभियान की शुरुआत कर एक महत्वपूर्ण कदम उठाया है। सवेरा कैंसर अस्पताल और आर.एस. मेमोरियल कैंसर सोसाइटी के सहयोग से अब तक 15 कैंसर जांच शिविर आयोजित किए गए हैं, जिनमें हजारों लोगों की ओरल, ब्रेस्ट और सर्वाइकल कैंसर की जांच की गई। इस अभियान का उद्देश्य कैंसर का समय पर पता लगाकर लोगों की जान बचाना है।

इन शिविरों में कई संदिग्ध मरीजों की पहचान हुई, जिन्हें आगे की जांच और उचित चिकित्सा परामर्श दिया गया। इसके अलावा, जिला गवर्नर बिपिन चाचन के नेतृत्व में चल रहे रियायती कैंसर उपचार कार्यक्रम के तहत, सवेरा कैंसर अस्पताल में 50प्रतिशत तक की छूट दी जा रही है, जिससे अब तक लगभग 50 मरीजों को इलाज मिल चुका है।

रोटरी पटना मिडटाउन का लक्ष्य इस रोटरी वर्ष के अंत तक 50 कैंसर जांच शिविर आयोजित करना है। साथ ही स्कूलों और कॉलेजों में जागरूकता सत्र आयोजित कर छात्रों को कैंसर जागरूकता के दूत के रूप में तैयार किया जा रहा है।

यह पहल रोटरी के सेवा मिशन के अनुरूप है, जो समाज में सकारात्मक बदलाव लाने और जीवन बचाने के लिए समर्पित है। आइए, हम सब कैंसर—मुक्त बिहार के इस अभियान में सहयोग करें और जीवन बचाने की इस मुहिम का हिस्सा बनें।





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# **FEBRUARY**

Rotary's Month of Peace and Understanding



February is Peace and Conflict Prevention / Resolution Month, a time for Rotary clubs worldwide to promote harmony & understanding.

## Why February Matters for Rotary

 February 23, 1905 – The first Rotary club meeting in Chicago, now celebrated as World Understanding and Peace Day.

This month reminds Rotarians of their commitment to peace building.

#### How Rotary Clubs Can Make an Impact

- Promote Peace and Conflict Resolution Organize awareness programs, discussions, or workshops on peace building.
- Train Young Leaders Conduct leadership and conflict resolution training for youth, including Rotaractors and Interactors.
- Support Refugees and Displaced People Provide aid, vocational training, or shelter support for those affected by conflict.
- Address Root Causes of Conflict Initiate projects tackling poverty, inequality, and lack of education.
- Engage in Peace building Activities Partner with peace organizations, organize cultural exchanges, or support Rotary Peace Fellows.

By taking action this month, Rotary clubs contribute to a world where peace is not just an idea, but a reality.



# MARCH

Rotary's Theme : Water, Sanitation & Hygiene



Every March, Rotary International highlights the importance of Water, Sanitation & Hygiene (WASH), emphasizing sustainable solutions for water-related challenges. Access to clean water, proper sanitation, and hygiene is essential for health and well-being, yet millions still lack these necessities.

#### The Importance of WASH

Clean water and sanitation prevent diseases such as cholera and typhoid, significantly improving public health. Hygiene practices, such as handwashing, reduce infection transmission and enhance overall community well-being.

#### **Rotary's Efforts in WASH**

Rotary clubs worldwide contribute to WASH through:

- Building Water Systems: Constructing wells, boreholes, and rainwater harvesting solutions.
- Improving Sanitation: Developing toilets and sewage systems to safeguard water sources.
- Hygiene Education: Promoting handwashing and safe water storage practices.
- Policy Advocacy: Partnering with governments to support long-term sustainability.

#### Sustainable Impact and Involvement

To ensure lasting change, Rotary trains local leaders, adopts eco-friendly technologies, and promotes culturally relevant solutions. Individuals can support WASH initiatives by volunteering, donating, advocating for policies, and raising awareness.

Together, we can guarantee access to safe water, sanitation, and hygiene, improving lives and fostering healthier communities worldwide.



# Helping People See the Beauty of This World

**RC Jamshedpur** 

# **Restoring Vision, Transforming Lives**

The world is a beautiful place, yet many individuals are deprived of the privilege of sight. Recognizing the need for accessible eye care in underprivileged communities, the Rotary Club of Jamshedpur initiated this impactful project. Through inclusive primary eye care services, the club has brought the gift of vision to remote villages around Jamshedpur, receiving an overwhelming response.

### Progress Report: Global Grant GG2234135

- (1st July 2024 31st December 2024)
- Total eye camps held: 107
- Total distance covered by the Eye Clinic Van: 5,471 km
- Total people screened (lives touched): 4,311
- Total cataracts detected: 529
- Total cataract surgeries performed (Jamshedpur Eye Hospital): 116
- Total refractive errors detected: 1,351
- Total spectacles dispensed: 494

# **Strengthening Global Partnerships**

On 25th December 2024, the Rotary Club of Jamshedpur welcomed Rtn. John Ranger Miles and Rtn. Fiona Pauline Miles, distinguished guests from Rotary International District 1145 and Global Grant International partners from the Rotary Club of Guildford, UK.

#### During their visit:

They participated in an Eye Camp at Jamshedpur Zoological Park, benefiting contract labourers in need. Spectacles were distributed to those with refractive errors.

In the evening, at a special program, they presented appreciation certificates and Rotary T-shirts to the dedicated staff of Jamshedpur Eye Hospital & Tata Steel Foundation, recognizing their contributions to the project.

The visiting Rotarians commended the project's efficient execution and its significant impact on rural communities. They acknowledged Rotary's commitment to preventable blindness and public health, reinforcing Rotary's positive public image in underserved regions.

Report Compiled by the Core Committee:

Rtn. Dr. Vijaya Bharat

Rtn. Jagannath Santra

Rtn. N. Rammurty









# Bridging the Gap in Healthcare:

# The Mahavir Rotary Pataliputra Blood Centre

Rotary's commitment to making quality healthcare accessible has once again taken a transformative leap with the Mahavir Rotary Pataliputra Blood Centre—a state-of-theart facility dedicated to providing affordable and accessible blood services to the underprivileged.

Located on the fourth floor of Mahavir Vaatsalya Aspatal, a renowned charitable hospital in Bihar under the Mahavir Mandir Trust, this blood bank operates 24x7, ensuring that critical blood products reach those in need at the most affordable cost. Whole blood is available at just ₹500, and for those unable to afford even this nominal amount, blood is provided free of cost.

#### A Vision Turned into Reality

Recognizing the urgent need for an advanced blood bank, Rotary took the initiative to establish a facility equipped with a blood separator and ventilator, significantly enhancing emergency and critical care, especially in cases of heart surgeries, pediatric care, and maternal health.

The vision for a modern blood bank was conceptualized in 2020 under then-President Shilpi Chachan, with strong support from DG Gopal Khemka. Despite the challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic, the project was successfully completed in August 2021.

#### Advanced Technology for Better Healthcare

The aphaeresis machine at the blood bank enables the separation of whole blood into essential components such as plasma, platelets, white blood cells, and red blood cells, proving invaluable in treating patients suffering from COVID-19, dengue, cardiac conditions, and severe anemia.

Rotary's efforts ensure that high-quality blood products remain available to the most vulnerable, irrespective of their financial condition. In many cases, blood and plasma are provided completely free of charge to those in desperate need.

#### A Legacy of Service: Strengthening Healthcare in Bihar

This initiative is a part of Rotary's ongoing collaboration with Mahavir Trust, which has been instrumental in launching various impactful healthcare projects, including:

• Mukti Rath (Hearse Vehicle) – Serving Patna residents since 2014



- Dialysis Centre Offering affordable treatment across income brackets
- Heart Surgery Unit Extending critical cardiac care to the needy

The Mahavir Rotary Pataliputra Blood Centre has become a lifeline for countless patients, setting new benchmarks in public health service and social responsibility. As Rotarians, we believe in creating lasting change, and this blood bank is a testament to the Magic of Rotary, ensuring that no life is lost due to a lack of blood.

Currently, Rtn Swanyakar Kaushalendra oversees the operations of the Blood Bank. As a dedicated Rotarian, he personally ensures its smooth functioning and effective service to the community.

With unwavering support from Rotarians and well-wishers, this project continues to bridge the gap in healthcare, making Bihar's medical landscape more inclusive and compassionate.

#### Join Hands, Save Lives

Rotary invites everyone to support this noble cause, whether by donating blood, spreading awareness, or contributing to the sustainability of this life-saving initiative. Together, we can ensure that no patient in Bihar suffers due to a lack of blood.

Rotary creates magic by turning compassion into action. This blood bank is our promise to humanity—a beacon of hope, service, and unwavering dedication to saving lives.



# **Rotary International Launches New Peace Center at Bahçeşehir University**

This month, Rotary International and Bahçeşehir University in Istanbul will begin recruiting fellows for the Otto and Fran Walter Rotary Peace Centre. This new initiative will provide experienced peacebuilders from the Middle East and North Africa with a one-year professional development program, earning postgraduate diplomas in peace and development studies.

Funded by a \$15.5 million donation from the Walter Foundation, the centre will train up to 40 fellows annually, equipping them with the skills to address regional challenges



such as land disputes, climate change, food insecurity, and refugee integration. The curriculum includes seminars by the UN Institute for Training and Research (CIFAL Istanbul) and a nine-month social change project.

"The centre unites diverse peacemakers with shared goals, fostering collaboration for regional stability," says Martha Peak Helman, trustee of The Rotary Foundation. Academic director Esra Albayrakoğlu emphasizes the centre's focus on bottom-up conflict transformation through local solutions.



Located on Bahçeşehir University's Future Campus, fellows will engage with refugee communities, sustainable development initiatives, and cultural programs, benefiting from the university's multicultural environment.

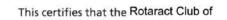
This peace centre strengthens Rotary's mission by preparing leaders to drive meaningful change in one of the world's most complex regions.

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# New **Rotaract Clubs**



# Patna Millennium

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and is entitled to all the rights and privileges of such membership.

In witness whereof the signatures of its officers, being duly authorized, are subscribed hereto this twenty-eighth day of January 2025. Admission to membership in Rotary International recommended by

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# **New Interact Clubs**





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