



Abhivvyakti

Governor's Monthly Letter



**Creating Awareness About
Cancer Through An All
Women Cycle Rally**



MESSAGE

Rtn. JENNIFER JONES

President 2022-23
Rotary International



We've all taken our own path to become a member of Rotary. Some of you joined because your father was a Rotarian. Some of us signed up because an employer tapped us on the shoulder and asked us to attend a meeting. Others became members only after a U.S. Supreme Court ruling made it possible. Yet each of us entered through one mechanism – an invitation.

An invitation that unlocks our imaginations and allows us to know that everything and anything is possible. Each one of us has that same opportunity – the honor to extend an invitation.

It is awe-inspiring to imagine how we can look out across our communities and identify our future leaders. It's often tempting to attract people who are exactly like us. It's a special form of ingenuity to consider how people who are seemingly very different can, in fact, share our values and have some of those same talents, just waiting to be unleashed.

It's time for Rotary to take our next step in advancing Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) across our organization.

Embracing an experience where people feel included is more than just making our membership numbers more diverse. It's about making our meetings and events places where we can speak openly and honestly with each other, where our members feel welcome and safe. This means removing barriers for entry and opening doors for inclusion. Our values remain our strength – and our commitment to excellence requires us to maintain high standards for our members as well.

I believe we are all committed and determined to advancing DEI across Rotary. This is rooted in the deepest traditions of our organization, and it will ensure that we remain vibrant and relevant for decades to come.

A few years ago, our Rotary Board set the ambitious goal of increasing the share of female members to 30 percent by 2023. We have less than a year to go, but I believe we can meet and exceed this target.

We need Rotary leaders to rise from every continent, culture, and creed. We need young members and young thinkers to take on larger roles and responsibilities. We need to listen to new Rotary members just as keenly, and with as much respect, as those with many years of membership.

During our recent convention in Houston, we heard from astronauts about their journeys into space. We reflected upon a time in the 1960s when U.S. President John F. Kennedy urged the world to dream, with his declaration that we would “go to the moon [and do] other things, not because they are easy, but because they are hard.”

Fully committing Rotary to DEI and meeting our ambitious membership targets may seem as unlikely as a moon shot. But I know that when people of action are committed to a big goal, we make it worth every ounce of our energy.

MESSAGE

Rtn. ASHOK KANTOOR
District Governor 2022-23
RI District 3011



Dear Fellow Rotarians,

Time certainly has flown very quickly and we are already at the beginning of the third Rotary month of the year 2022-23. Each month has been full of relevant activities and events until now and every moment I have spent with you has brought me closer to you and to the goals we had imagined at the start of the year.

The month of August was certainly eventful and full of excitement. Our declaration of being 100% digitalized has seen fruition in every aspect of our processes and I am proud to state that every club has supported us in this vision. The GOV has already been conducted for around 45 clubs and all have uploaded their documents on the relevant digital site. Our commitment to protecting the environment continues and for easy access we have also launched the club websites within rotaryindia.org and all the clubs can update their projects and events on their own web pages.

'Hope On The Wheels' –an All Women's Cycle Rally was an event to remember ! We were inspired by the story of RIP Rtn Jennifer Jones who battled with breast cancer at a very young age and emerged victorious and cancer-free because of the positivity with which she dealt with it at every stage. We have added this inspirational story to the write-up on the inside pages and I would request all of you to go through it. Our idea of holding a cycle rally was conceptualized because we derived the inspiration from her own experience. The purpose of the rally was to create awareness about cancer and to let the masses know that while prevention was always the best cure, early detection of the disease made it curable for life! It was a stupendous success with more than 200 Women Cyclists, many of whom were non-Rotarians and our young members of Rotaract Clubs, participating in the event. What a wonderful sight it was to see the dedication with which the clubs came forward to unite and participate with enthusiastic fervor for a noble cause.

I am also happy to declare that over the past two months and mostly over the membership month of August we have chartered 12 new Interact Clubs, 4 new Rotaract Clubs, 3 new Rotary Clubs and one more new club that is in the process of being chartered. Growth and Development is a part of life and an even more integral part of Rotary. The more the merrier is an oft used cliché and we will add on to it to create our own 'more the members; more the opportunities for humanitarian service'

Best Regards

Yours Sincerely

Rtn Ashok Kantoor

District Governor RI District 3011

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*The beauty and charm of selfless love and service should not
die away from the face of this earth.*

*The world should know that a life of dedication is possible,
that a life inspired by love and service to humanity is possible.*

Mata Amritanandamayi

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MESSAGE

R'Ann ALKA KANTOOR

First Lady 2022-23
RI District 3011



Dear Rotarians and Partners,

I am delighted to be able to share this space with you again. A tremendous amount of work has happened between last month and now and I am really eager to share that wonderful sense of excitement with you.

While every month has its own unique characteristic and significance literally in the world of Rotary, the month of August is special because it falls in the midst of the monsoon and brings along with it hope and relief from the relentless heat for many people who suffer without basic amenities even today. It is also the start of many festivals in India and I was particularly happy to be at some of the colourful 'Teej' celebrations which was organised by clubs across the district . It makes me proud to see that the Partners carry out their Rotary responsibilities with as much ease as they do their Professional and Personal lives.

'Hope On The Wheels' was especially dear to me because it was focused towards the betterment of women and the underprivileged and dedicated to a cause that is so important for their health and well-being. There are millions of underprivileged persons who do not have access to facilities like Mammography or other types of Cancer Testing Equipment and it is our endeavour to reach out to every such person and ensure that they are able to undergo Cancer tests, especially Breast Cancer and Cervical Cancer Tests regularly. We hope to save many lives through this noble project and our fervent prayer today is to see a world that is healthy and disease-free. The All Women's Cycle Rally was very motivating and we thoroughly enjoyed every minute of it. The excitement on the roads of Delhi was evidence of the huge potential Rotarians possess and the ability they have to make a positive difference to this world.

I look forward to another exciting month and will look forward to more such inspirational moments to share.

Best Regards

Yours Sincerely
R'Ann Alka Kantoor
First Lady RI District 3011

INTERNATIONAL NEWS AND EVENTS

Congratulations - Rt Dr. Stephanie Urchick RI President (2024-25)

Rtn. Dr. Stephanie Urchick, has been selected by the Nominating Committee to serve as the RI President in 2024-25. A Rotarian since 1991, Dr. Stephanie Urchick has served on the RI Board of Directors and also as the Chair of its Executive Committee in 2020-2021. She is a member of the Rotary Club of McMurray, Pennsylvania, USA and has served Rotary as a TRF Trustee, Chair of the Rotary Strategic Planning and TRF Centennial Celebration Committees, member of the Atlanta RI Convention Committee, International Training Leader, RRFC, President's Representative, District Governor, and District Delegate to two COLs.

Stephanie's Professional Background is in the Higher Education, Consulting, and Entertainment Industries. She received her Doctorate Degree in Leadership Studies from Indiana University of Pennsylvania and has been Recognized and Awarded by TRF and numerous community and international organizations.



DISTRICT EVENTS

RI DISTRICT 3011 ORGANISES AN ALL WOMEN'S CYCLE RALLY -- 'HOPE ON THE WHEELS' TO PROMOTE AWARENESS ABOUT CANCER

21ST AUGUST, SUNDAY

HOPE
on the **WHEELS**
FIGHT CANCER TOGETHER.



"You are braver than you believe; stronger than you seem; smarter than you think and twice as awesome as you had ever imagined" -- this is a quote that seems most appropriate when we think of our RIP Rtn Jennifer Jones. (We have borrowed the story of the traumatic period she endured from rotary.org)

In 2009, when RIP Rtn Jennifer Jones was diagnosed with breast cancer at the age of 42, her days turned to chemotherapy and radiation. She got the diagnosis in the fall, and she had been asked to speak at the International Assembly, the training for incoming District Governors-Elect, in January 2010. Then RI President-Elect Ray Klinginsmith encouraged her to come if she was able. In consultation with her oncologist, she decided to attend. "The Sunday before, I lost all of my hair," she says. "I showed up at the event in a wig."

Some technical issues interrupted her speech, but it still made an impact, most of all on her. "At one of the lowest points in my life, someone didn't count me out," she says, tearing up. "It was just such a message that I needed at that point in time. That I had value, that I could contribute and participate. He gave me hope at a time when you think that maybe hope isn't what you're going to get."

RIP Rtn Jennifer Jones went through eight rounds of chemo and 21 rounds of radiation. Her employees stepped up to keep her business running as she stepped back. That too proved pivotal. When her health improved and she prepared to re-engage with her work, she looked at what her team had accomplished. "I sat back and thought about it," she says. "If I go back in as I was, I'm going to rob them of the leadership growth they would have had." She decided to pass the day-to-day operations of the company to her team so she could pursue Rotary almost full time.

"I wouldn't orchestrate having cancer again," she says, "but I can definitely say I wouldn't be sitting here where I am today if all of these things hadn't happened."

It was this motivational story of exemplary strength and courage and the fact that she is a true representative of successful, brave and brilliant women in this world, that inspired RI District 3011 to organise an All Women's Cycle Rally to spread awareness about all types of Cancer including Breast Cancer and Cervical Cancer. The event underpins Rotary's commitment to serve the underprivileged and it addresses the Focus Area of Disease Prevention and Treatment. The main purpose of the Rally was to Spread Awareness about Cancer. by organising a Cycle Rally for Women on 21 August 2022. The Rally, that was organised by RI District 3011 under the leadership of District Governor Rtn Ashok Kantoor, Assistant Governor Rtn Narender Kumar Lamba, Public Image Chair Rtn Sarika Yadav, and Dr Gauri Kapoor, the MD of Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Hospital, was a unique concept and the first of its kind undertaken by RI District 3011.



The Chief Guest at the event was former Ms Femina India (World) Ms Sayali Bhagat, who is a crusader of health and fitness and Guest of Honour was DG Rtn Ashok Kantoor, who dedicated the event to Rotary International President Rtn Jennifer Jones because she is everyone's biggest source of inspiration. The First Lady of the District Rtn Alka Kantoor encouraged all the Women Cyclists and urged them to be successful in their mission. There were over 200 Women Cyclists who participated in this spectacular event 'HOPE ON THE WHEELS' organised by RI District 3011 under the leadership of DG Ashok Kantoor. They cycled 20 kms from Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute & Research Centre, Niti Bagh, all around South Delhi and then back again to the Institute. They stopped enroute at pre-designated areas to test the underprivileged for Cancer and this process carried on for hours after the Cyclists completed the Rally. The Cyclists followed the following event schedule:

06:30 AM Distribution of Jackets to registered Cyclists at Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute, Niti Bagh.

07:00 AM Flag off by Chief Guest Ms. Siyali Bhagat & Guest of Honour DG Rtn Ashok Kantoor

07:30 AM Stop at First Camp at Nagar Nigam Primary School, Madangir for 10 min.

08:10 AM Second Camp stop at Sai Dham Mandir August Kranti Marg near PHD House.

08:30 AM Finish Point Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute Niti Bagh.

08:30-9:00 AM Distribution of Finishing Shields to Cyclists.

Recognition of Sponsors by Guest of Honour District Governor Rtn Ashok Kantoor. A sumptuous breakfast and a lot of bonhomie over breakfast followed the exciting event.

The District is very grateful to co-organizers Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute and Research Centre and Cycle to Serve. RI District 3011 would also like to acknowledge the huge support and contribution made by Sponsors:

Rotary Club of Delhi Central Next,
Rotary Club of Delhi Khubsurat,
Rotary Club of Delhi Manthan,
Rotary Club of Delhi Midwest,
Rotary Club of Delhi Regency Next,
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Rotary Club of Delhi West,
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V4A Cycling and Running Club,
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DISTRICT MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR

Saturday 27th August 2022, PHD House, New Delhi.

Meeting was called to order by DG Rtn Ashok Kantoor, who extended a very warm welcome to the Chief Guest, PDG Rtn Gurjeet Singh Sekhon, Guest of Honour Mr. Daman Baweja, District Membership Chair PDG Rtn Rajesh Batra, Membership Advisor PDG Rtn Vinay Bhatia, PDG Rtn N Subramanian, PDG Rtn Sanjiv Rai Mehra, PDG Rtn Damanjit Singh, PDG Rtn Suresh Bhasin, DGE Rtn Jeetender Gupta and Dr. Deepti Gupta all other Rotarians and Guests. He said the Membership Development Seminar is very important for success of Rotary. Unless there is Membership Growth, the organisation cannot grow. The Growth in Membership and Retention of Members are both very important.

A Video Clip of R I President Rtn Jennifer Jones on Membership Growth was played for the information of the audience in which she had emphasised on the Importance of Membership Development and Membership Engagement. She also stressed on Clubs to conduct Exit Surveys and Interviews to know why members leave Rotary. Imagine the impact that new members can make to Rotary since they can offer opportunities for doing Service Projects for the welfare of communities to provide comfort and care to people of vulnerable sections of society.

DG Rtn Ashok Kantoor reiterated that we should Increase Membership in our Clubs of people in the age group of around 40 to 50 years. We should also increase Membership of Women in our Clubs. We should invite non-members to Club Projects to enable them to know what Rotary is doing which may possibly attract them to join Rotary.

I am sure with the District Membership Team led by PDG Rtn Rajesh Batra, we will certainly achieve our goal of Membership Growth.

PDG Rtn Rajesh Batra, Membership Chair said, Membership Attraction is the responsibility of all members whole year round and not only in August. You all are the assets of Rotary, he said. He thanked everyone for the excellent Rotary Activities and Projects that they have been doing through Rotary.

He said the Exit Survey should be done before the members leave Rotary to know why they are leaving. New members should be properly looked after at the Club Meetings, Club Projects and Fellowship Programmes. Many of us do not propose a new member. In a survey by Rotary International, it was observed that only 8% members of Rotary had proposed new members. We can propose members in our own Club or even in another Club. Rotary is a People's Organisation. It is the responsibility of each and every Club and all members to increase Membership in Rotary. Rotary gives you much more than what you have given to Rotary. We need young people in Rotary. All Clubs need to do SWOT Analysis.

We had a total of 1.2 million members in Rotary Worldwide as on 1st

July 2022. India had 165177 members with 4475 Rotary Clubs. Today as on 24th August we in India have 171,851 members with 4521 Clubs. We are Number Two in the World both in Membership, as also in Contributions to TRF. In Membership the Top Five Countries are : USA, India, Japan, Korea and Germany. Three Asian Nations are in top five. We are number two in the world in Women Membership in Rotary with 25,524 Women Rotarians from India.

In our own District 3011, we have 119 Rotary Clubs with a total membership of 4,532 Rotarians as on 16th August 2022 with Rotary Club of Rohtak Scholars having the highest number of 250 members followed by Rotary Club of Rohtak with 116 members, Rotary Club of Gurgaon with 100 members, Rotary Club of Delhi South End with 96 members and Rotary Club of Delhi Rajdhani with 87 members.

Two more Clubs were chartered in the interim period and there were 121 Clubs with 4,521 members as on 17th August. However, one more Club, RCD Resources has been chartered recently in the interim period with number going upto 122 Clubs. Rotary Club of Gurgaon Green has been chartered this morning and the number of Clubs as on today (27th August) has gone upto 123 Clubs.

PDG Rtn Gurjeet Singh Sekhon, Chief Guest and Keynote Speaker speaking on strengthening existing Membership said that District 3011 is one of the leading and finest Districts in India. Rotary has suffered in Membership Growth since members do not follow proper guidelines and procedures and protocols.

R.I. District 3011 has 6 Clubs with less than 10 members which is a very sad state of affairs. There are 42 Clubs with less than 20 members which is also very deplorable.

He said we should try to know why members leave Rotary Clubs. Do an Exit survey. It is observed that 40% members leave Rotary in their very first year of Rotary membership. The reasons could vary from lack of Rotary knowledge or poor orientation and no proper or poor induction.

We should assign a mentor to new members. We should treat our Club as our family and let us look outside and know what the community wants from Rotary Membership. We should reinvent our



Club Meetings. We should have more flexibility and diversity. We should listen more and speak less. We should implement recommendations and act on same. We should engage and involve our Club members. Be a leader and be ready to accept criticism. We should recognise and appreciate members for their work and participation. Genuine Nurturing of Members is the only option to retain their membership.

Mr Daman Baweja from RISAO Speaking on Resources on Membership Development said Membership Development, Retention, Extension and Assimilation are all very important for Membership Growth in any Club.

It has been noted that 67.96 % members of our District 3011 are not yet registered on my rotary. Only 32.04% are registered on my rotary which is less than one-third membership of the District. He requested all Clubs to register with rotary.org.

New Members, he said, should be welcomed at the Club with Orientation Guide, New Members Kit and Rotary Membership Certificate. All these tools are available online on my rotary. Learning Centre is the tool for all information on Rotary Membership. You should do a Club Health Check Up periodically and go through the report to know your Club's weaknesses and strengths.

If you have less members, you can start a Satellite Club with 8 members and became a regular Rotary Club, when your membership increases to more than 20.

You should have clarity on financial aspects of the Club and inform the prospective members the financial obligations. Be transparent on Club flexibility options. You should have Leadership Development Goals and develop future leaderships in the Club and improve Membership Retention.

Develop an Action Plan to be a successful Club. Connect with each other for doing good work. Encourage Members to get involved in Club Activities and Projects. Do Exit Survey. Recognise and Appreciate Members for their dedication and engagement.

Membership Growth should be Club's priority. Rotary is today more inclined to diverse activities. Young members bring perspectives. Rotary is about Membership and Fellowship. So we should celebrate Rotary.

Members Contact Information including Email Addresses and Mobile Numbers should be completed and updated regularly and data should be uploaded on Rotary.org at the earliest.

A MoU was signed between PHD Chamber and Rotary District 3011 for mutual cooperation between Rotary and PHD Chamber by Mr. Pradeep Multani, President of PHD Chamber and DG Rtn Ashok Kantoor.

After signing the MoU, Mr Pradeep Multani said Rotary is a fantastic organisation. He said I am a former Rotarian and a former Rotaracter. Rotary has taught me how to deal with people. How to deal with your seniors as also your juniors. We have so many things in common between Rotary and PHD. We are all here because of net working. Rotary is a very purposeful body. Both Rotary and PHD are best organisations. Rotary taught me how to keep relationships. Rotary is our family. Anything we can do together will be a blessing not only for all of us but also for the community at large.

A panel discussion followed which was moderated by District



Membership Chair PDG Rtn Rajesh Batra. Questions were posed by several Presidents and Past Presidents which were satisfyingly answered by the eminent panelists -- PDG Rtn Gurjeet Singh Sekhon, Membership Advisor PDG Rtn Vinay Bhatia, Mr Daman Baweja, and DG Ashok Kantoor.

DG Rtn Ashok Kantoor in his closing remarks said this has been a very successful and an excellent Seminar. The Mantra for Membership Retention is INVOLVE, INVOLVE AND INVOLVE all members especially new members. He assured everyone that we will try our level best to ensure least number of members exit Rotary this year with Minimum Loss and Maximum Growth.

Mementos were presented to Chief Guest PDG Rtn Gurjeet Singh Sekhon and Mr Daman Baweja as a token of appreciation and gratitude.

Rotary Club of Delhi Central were the Main Host of this very important event. The Co-Hosts were RC Delhi Central Next, RC Delhi infinity, RC Faridabad Greater, RC Faridabad Heritage, RC Gurgaon Civil Lines and they were duly appreciated and recognised by DG Rtn Ashok Kantoor

DS Rtn Sanjiv Jawahar proposing Vote of Thanks and expression of gratitude said it was a marvellous Membership Seminar. Thanks to Chief Guest PDG Rtn Gurjeet Singh Sekhon, Mr Daman Baweja, PDG Rtn Rajesh Batra, PDG Rtn Vinay Bhatia, DG Rtn Ashok Kantoor and the wonderful audience for their presence. Quality of questions at the Panel discussion were thought provoking. He thanked all the Host Clubs for organising this thought provoking and meaningful Seminar.

On Boarding Presidents of District 3011 by team **ROTARYINDIA.ORG** for effective use of **CLUB WEBSITES**

Your club website speaks your work

Choose any one session out of below mentioned 6 sessions as per your convenience.

■ 16 th Aug 11:00 AM	■ 16 th Aug 7:00 PM
■ 17 th Aug 11:00 AM	■ 17 th Aug 7:00 PM
■ 20 th Aug 11:00 AM	■ 20 th Aug 7:00 PM

Duration of each session: 45 minutes

Must for every Club President, Secretary & IT Chair

For More Information,
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Under the able leadership & guidance of DG Rtn Ashok Kantoor, Rtn Mohit Anand Bhatia District Chair- Rotary Club Central 22-23 District Coordinator- Rotary India 22-23, along with the IT team organised 6 sessions on effective use of Club Websites.

The main purpose of the training sessions was to reiterate our commitment to 100% Digitalisation. By way of Paperless GOV and by creating a Website for every club at subsidised rates, the team, at district level are sincerely trying to make the process smooth and simple for Presidents for their day to day operations.



Congratulations!

12 New Interact Clubs Over The Past Two Months.

4 New Rotaract Clubs.



3 New Rotary Clubs And One More To Be Added Shortly.



YOUTH SERVICES

DRR INSTALLATION अभिभ

A new beginning with an atmosphere of aspiration and an enthusiastic mindset will shape the future of the District Rotaract 3011 into a new settlement.



On 28th July 2022, the Installation Ceremony, "अभिभ" of District Rotaract Representative Rtn. Rtr. PHF Ankit Singh was held. The lamp Lighting Ceremony and Four Way Teast provided the best headstart to the day. Further, the biggest highlight of the day was the Official Collaring of the District Rotaract Representative, who then Called the Meeting to Order. Later, he and the Installation Secretary Rtr. Ishita Sharma welcomed everyone. A Cultural Dance Performance and Lucky Draw Game further ignited a spark of enthusiasm among the gathering.

District Governor Rtn Ashok Kantoor graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and delighted the Rotaractors with the foundation of his experience to unfold and shape one's

professional growth along with working for the welfare of society. Several PDGs, Rotarians of RID 3011, and New Generation Committee Rotarians sparked the ambience with their presence and shared their guidance that can lead to sustainable growth and a prosperous year ahead for all Rotaractors in Rotaract District 3011 in the upcoming tenure. The DRR also addressed the audience and furnished his vision for the tenure ahead, and thereafter announced "ASPIRE ~ Nurturing Leaders for a Sustainable Tomorrow" as the District Theme for Rotary Year 2022-23.

The District Rotaract Secretary Rtr. Lakshay Vasudev moderated the Pinning Ceremony of the whole District Administrative Council and Club Presidents who were then gifted a Rotaract Kit from the District's Side. The Rotarians from the New Generation Committee and District Chief Mentor PDRR Rtn. Rtr. PHF Anmol Chawla along with District Trainer PDRR Rtn. Rtr. PHF Sarthak Bansal briefly addressed everyone giving a pathway to walk upon for the amazing tenure ahead. District Joint Secretary Rtr. Mahima proposed a Vote Of Thanks to everyone for their delightful presence and the Installation Ceremony "अभिभ" was then officially adjourned by the DRR.

DISTRICT PERMANENT PROJECT

Rotary Blood Centre - It's all about life

Rotary Clubs in Delhi set up a Voluntary Blood Centre in 2002 at 57, Tughlakabad Institutional Area New Delhi, purely as a public service to provide safe blood to people in life threatening situations. Rotary Blood Centre collects over 25000 Units of Blood from non-remunerative voluntary donors at over 400 Blood Donation Camps organized at Colleges, Corporate Offices, Religious Gatherings and Residential Areas and issues over 30,000 Units of Blood/components every year to those in need. they are the pioneer for Issuing Blood on 'No-Replacement' Basis.

Blood is processed into various components like Red cells, Plasma, Platelets, Cryoprecipitate and tested for HIV, Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C, VDRL and Malaria by the most sensitive kits and state-of-the-art equipments. Few additional tests are done as HBcAb, Antibody screening, Rh Phenotyping and NAT for HIV, HBV and HCV, to ensure extra safety of blood. We make extra efforts to provide safe and quality blood to patients. After blood donation each donor gets a Donor Card and a Certificate besides refreshment and a Souvenir. The Card issued is valid for one year. After testing of the blood is over, the test results are sent to every donor individually within 15 days of blood donation.

Quality of processes, products and people are the cornerstones upon which the Rotary Blood Centre, New Delhi is built.

The Blood Centre provides safe and good quality blood components to the patients. It has state-of-the-art-equipment to cater to the requirement of patients who require blood and is open all 365 days.

Rotary Blood Centre also runs Community Based Projects like Anemia Screening and Thalassemia Screening. Besides this, it also provides Free Blood to registered Thalassemic Patients which is part of their treatment.

Thalassemia Transfusion Centre is also coming up soon which is going to be a Day Care Centre where blood will be transfused to these patients at very nominal charges.

A well organised Blood Centre is a vital component of any Health Care Delivery System. An integrated strategy for Blood Safety is required for elimination of transfusion transmitted infections and availability of safe blood to the people. The main components of an integrated strategy include collection of blood only from

voluntary blood donors, screening for all Transfusion Transmissible Infections (TTIs) and then using the blood rationally for patients. To achieve this, they do the following ;

1. Promotion of voluntary Blood Donation.

The Centre organises Awareness Programmes for donor information, education, motivation, recruitment and retention of Blood Donors. Voluntary Blood Donors are the

cornerstone of a safe and adequate supply of blood and blood products. The safest blood donors are voluntary, non-remunerated, repeat blood donors from low risk populations

2. Collection and Processing of Blood.

To supply the safest possible blood or blood components to all the needy patients we are collecting blood only from Voluntary Donors mostly in Outdoor Camps organised by Institutions, Factories, Offices, Colleges , Market Place etc.

3. Issue of Blood.

The Processed Blood is issued to patients without taking Replacement Donation and Processing Fee is charged as laid down by State Blood Transfusion council. The blood is issued free of cost to poor patients with BPL card, Thalassemic patients, HIV patients and patients with other blood disorders.

At Rotary Blood Centre, efficiency, effectiveness, timeliness and availability are important dimensions of quality care, performance, and management of services rendered.

It is believed that systems, not people, are the more frequent causes of problems and therefore, integrated, collaborative multi-disciplinary approaches to improve processes are encouraged at all levels.



I WANT TO END POLIO. JOIN ME

PDG Dr. N. Subramanian

ENPC ZONE 4
ARRFC 2018-20,
TRF Cadre 2021-24
District chair CSR 2018-19,
District chair WinS 2017-18
District Governor 2016-17, RI District 3011
Chairman Emeritus, Rotary Delhi Central Charitable Trust

The recent rise in Polio cases in Mozambique, Pakistan, Malawi and Afghanistan are a matter of grave concern. The numbers this year till now are 20 compared to 6 cases last year, 15 of these being in Pakistan. Five cases have been detected in Mozambique. The discovery of dreaded polio virus in sewage sample in the UK and Jerusalem while indicative of strong monitoring and surveillance, the recent case report of Polio in New York after so many years should be viewed with concern about emergence of this disease in other parts of the world and reinforce the need of continuing our commitment to end Polio.

What we started 35 years ago cannot be left unfinished. Our promise of a Polio Free World must be honoured.

Let us look back at some of the significant milestones in our attempt to eradicate polio. In 1979 while reading about the eradication of smallpox on a flight home from Philippines, Past RI President Clem Renauf wondered if it was possible to address a global disease. His discussions with John Sever, District Governor in Maryland USA and Chief of Infectious Diseases at US National Institute of Health led to Initiation of Polio Eradication as a worldwide Rotary Programme under the Health, Hunger and Humanities (3-H) Grant. This was approved by RI Board in 1979 and funds to the tune of seven million dollars were raised to start Polio Immunization Project in Philippines.

In a recent address to Rotary, Dr. Harshvardhan, Former Minister of health and Architect of the Polio Programme in India described the significant role of Rotary at every step of Polio Eradication in a very lucid manner. Rotary's role in initiating a Global Partnership, Involvement of Volunteers in the NID and Contribution of The Rotary Foundation have helped the governments to save over 19 million people who would have otherwise been paralysed and over 1.4 million who would have been dead.

Rotary International in partnership with UNICEF has been a leading partner in Global Polio Eradication Initiative, the First Initiative which envisioned Polio Eradication through Mass Immunization. Rotary contributed over 2 billion dollars (15800 crores) and countless volunteer hours to immunise over 3 billion Children from 120 countries and promoted several governments to contribute over 10 billion dollars (79000 crores) towards Polio Eradication. More than 1 million Rotarians have contributed their time and personal resources towards Polio Eradication. Our Focus Areas have been building awareness, advocacy, fund raising and engagement of volunteers.

Let us understand the value of what Rotary and the global health systems have achieved. Before the availability of the Vaccines, apart from the Atom Bomb, the biggest fear in the US was Polio. In 1952, 3145 people died of Polio and 21269 suffered some kind of paralysis in the US alone.

At the start of Rotary, when it initiated GLOBAL POLIO ERADICATION INITIATIVE in 1988, over 350000 Children in 125 countries became paralysed every year due to Polio. This dropped to 26 cases in 3 countries in 2015.

1938: Foundation for Infantile Paralysis was set up, which later was renamed the MARCH OF DIMES and provided funding for treatment of many

1955: The Salk Vaccine (IPV) Trial involving 1.8 million Children commenced in the USA

1978: Start of Polio Vaccination in India

1988: Global Polio Eradication Initiative. Rotary in partnership with WHO, UNICEF and CDC formed the largest Private Public Partnership in Health.

1988: India committed to the World Health Assembly Resolution on Polio Eradication

1995: National Immunisation Day(NID) and Sub National Immunisation Day which ensured immunisation of over 177 million Children on NID and 77 million Children on SNID. This is perhaps the largest immunisation programme involving over 2.4 million workers.

1997: Acute Flaccid Paralysis (AFP) Surveillance

1999: Wild Polio Virus 2 eliminated from India

Jan 2011: Last reported case of Polio in India

Feb 2012: India removed from the list of Endemic Countries

May 2012: World Health Assembly endorsed the Polio Eradication End Strategy Plan 2013-18

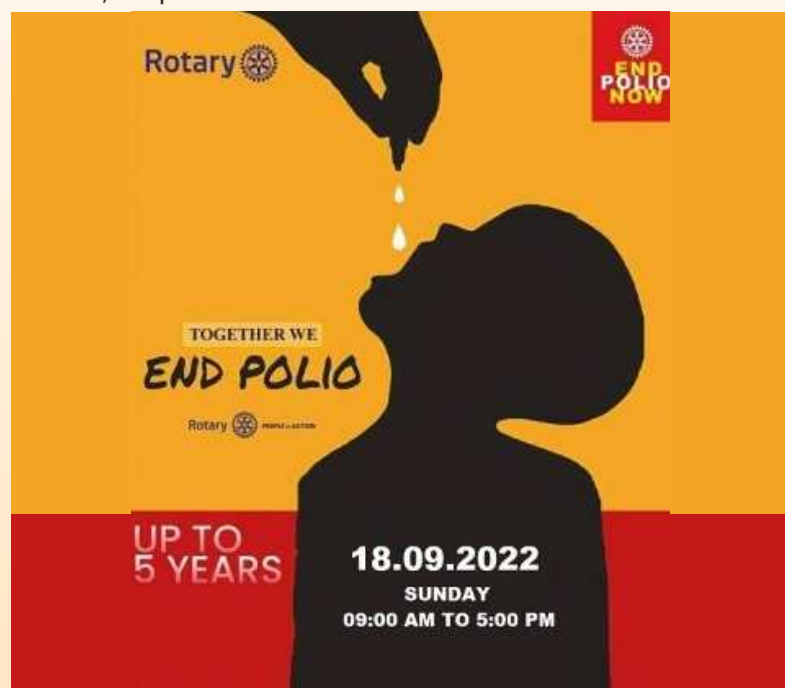
March 2014: South East Asia Region of WHO declared Polio Free

2015: India Joins 125 countries to introduce IPV in Routine Immunisation

2015-16: Shift from Trivalent (TOPV) to bivalent (BOPV)

2017 onwards: increasing concerns about VDPV numbers being in excess of WPV cases

2022: Substantial Increase in Global Cases to 20 with 15 cases in Pakistan, compared to 2021



SKILL DEVELOPMENT CENTRES IN RI DISTRICT 3011

SKILL DEVELOPMENT CENTRE –ROTARY CLUB OF DELHI SOUTHEND

Rotary Club of Delhi Southend has set up a Skill Development Centre at ITI, Pusa, New Delhi which was inaugurated by the Dy. CM of Delhi, Mr Manish Sisodia on 27th November 2019. The thought behind setting up this Long Term Project was "If you give a man a fish, you feed him for a Day, but if you teach him how to fish, you feed him for a lifetime".

Each course is for a duration of 3 months (400 hours) wherein apart from the above Industrial skill, the trainee is also imparted Training in Basic Computers and Soft Skills like Etiquettes, Personality Development, Industrial Safety and Communicative English. Each class is of 32 Trainees and the Centre trains about 500 underprivileged youth every year absolutely free of cost and also provide them an employment opportunity in a recognized and established factory / hotel.



ROTARY SKILL DEVELOPMENT CENTRE -- ROTARY AND FIA FARIDABAD

The Inauguration of the FIA- Rotary Skill Development Centre was done by Shri Vipul Goel, then Hon'ble Minister for Industries & Commerce, Environment & Industrial Training, Govt. of Haryana in the presence of Rtn. Ravi Choudhary, Past District Governor (RID 3011). In this Skill Centre, we are giving preference to minorities, unemployed and backward classes for providing the training. During the training time period, each apprentice has been given a stipend depending on their qualification by the industry and help them earn a decent livelihood. To date, they have imparted skill training under NAPS to approximately 300 students and thereafter gainfully employed them in their respective industries.



Apprentices undergoing practical training in our Skill Centre.

AAJEEVIKA SKILL DEVELOPMENT CENTRE --- ROTARY CLUB OF NEW DELHI

"AAJEEVIKA" Skill Development Project is situated at Daryaganj, Delhi. The objective of this project is to provide Vocational Training and Employment to Underprivileged Youth and to transform their lives and their communities.

The Center is being supported by Rotary Club of New Delhi and Istri Shiksha Pracharini Sabha in Partnership with NIIT Foundation. Rotary Club of New Delhi and ISPS are committed to Community Development Activities and support the implementation of various programs like education, training and skill building for the under-served population of India. This compliments the vision of "Make India a Skilled India".

In the span of 3 years from Jan'20 to June'22 this Center has delivered remarkable support to the society by providing potential employment opportunities. Overall, 3,076 prospects are registered and 2,761 trained under various employment programs majorly high-end programs like Data Entry, Digital Empowerment & Digital Marketing. Through a dedicated Placement Process, out of these, 1,467 have been placed with reputed Organizations like Mac Donalds, RAP Info Systems, My Money Mantra, Policy Planet, Kaveri Info-tech, 24 Seven etc.

This "Aajeevika" Project is dedicated to bring out a change in the society and to bridge the gap between the skill set of underprivileged youth and their respective employment organization.



BLOOD DONATION CAMP

Rotary Club of Faridabad Aravalli



Rotary Club of Faridabad Grace



Rotary Club of Faridabad Mid Town



Rotary Club of Delhi Panchshila Park



Rotary Club of Delhi Central



Rotary Club of New Gurgaon



Rotary Club of Faridabad NIT Next



Rotary Club of Faridabad Midtown



Rotary Club of Faridabad Central



Rotary Club of Rohtak Prestige



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ZONE 5

Rotary Club of Panchshila Park

AG: Rtn Neeru Bansal

President: Rtn Arun Kapoor



The Club has adopted Sarvodya Co-ed Secondary School, Shahpur Jat, Delhi and distributed 1000 packets of Sanitary Pads for the Girl Students of the School. Awareness Workshops on Menstrual Hygiene and other related subjects are also planned soon.

ZONE 19

Rotary Club of Faridabad

AG: Rtn Priyanka Madaan

President: Rtn Lilly Dhall



The Club sponsored and served lunch at Old Age Home at Tau Devilal Vridh Ashram, NH 2 Faridabad by the Annes of the club

ZONE 13

Rotary Club of Delhi Heritage

AG: Rtn. Pankaj Bansal

President: Rtn. Ambareesh Agrawal



Rotary Club of Delhi Heritage did a project for the Welfare of Children suffering from Cancer. They supported the NGO - KidsCan Cankids financially and provided essentials like towels, food etc of daily needs to the children.

ZONE 23

Rotary Club of Faridabad Arth

AG: Rtn Manoj Gupta

President: Rtn Pallavi Aggarwal.



The Members organised a Mammography Camp for detection of breast cancer in which 25 Women were tested for Breast Cancer. The Camp was supported by Dr. Richa Batra ,Senior Medical Officer.

ZONE 23

Rotary School of Faridabad Elite

AG: Rtn Manoj Gupta

President: Rtn Nitin Kapoor



The Club, in association with RCD Madhyam, RCD West & RCG Cosmopolitan organised a Health Talk by Dr. Dhananjay Gupta & Dr. Shashi Gogia at Fortis Hospital, Vasant Kunj with Learn & Saathi. They stood in support of 'Fight Against Lymphedema' to Educate the Health Warriors and Distribute Compression Stockings and Bandages to the Nursing Staff and Security Guards who spend very long hours standing in duty. An Awareness Talk and Basic Training were provided by a Visiting Doctor so that the staff knows how to take care of their Lymph Nodes for a sustainable life in the Medical Career.

ZONE 22

Rotary Club of Faridabad Central

AG: Rtn Sunil Mangla

President: Rtn I.P. Singh Lakhani



The Club did a Road Safety Project in Faridabad to warn commuters of the potholes and to stay safe while driving over/around them.

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ZONE 24 Rotary Club of Faridabad Greater

AG: Rtn Sanjay Dua

President: Rtn Manuja Madaan



The Members distributed Dry Ration to Prabhat NGO who takes care of Autistic, Poor and Orphan Children.

ZONE 20 Rotary Club of Faridabad Greater Next

AG: Rtn. Sanjay Gera

President: Rtn Shikhar Taneja



On the occasion of Janmashtami, the Club Members distributed 150 Kits which consisted of Sanitary Napkins, Sweets and Snacks to the School Kids.

ZONE 7 Rotary Club of Gurgaon

AG: Rtn Munish Khullar

President: Rtn Brig. Vinod Kumar Chopra



Rotary Club Gurgaon organized Mission Pink Health (MPH) Awareness Camp in association with Indian Medical Association, Gurgaon (IMA) at Madhumal School Sector 4, Gurgaon. A team of eminent Child Specialists, Skin Specialist, Yoga Specialist, Gynaecologist and Pathologist Delivered Talks to Girl and Boy Students.

ZONE 20 Rotary Club of Faridabad Aravalli

AG: Rtn Sanjay Gera

President: Rtn Alpika Garg



The members did the Water Proofing in 22 rooms of the Government Modern Sanskriti Senior Secondary School, NIT 3, Faridabad.

ZONE 19 Rotary Club of Faridabad Grace

AG: Rtn Priyanka Madaan

President: Rtn Anubhav Maheshwari



This unique project is related to the Birds where the Club will be providing Decorative Nests to participants of their projects/fellowships. Its like a home for birds and they can build their own nest inside to stay protected. This will help in resolving the problem of space for the birds in our concrete jungles.

ZONE 27 Rotary Club of Palwal City

AG: Rtn Sanjay Chandak

President: Rtn Kusum Gour



The Members celebrated the 75th Independence Day --- Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav with the Students of Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Village Mothuka, Ballabgarh. On this occasion a 100 litre Water Cooler was also donated to the School and the Club also organized a Blood Donation Camp and Tree Plantation Drive.

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ZONE 24

Rotary Club of Faridabad Midtown Next

AG: Rtn Sanjay Dua

President: Rtn Kavish Saluja



On the occasion of Independence Day, the members visited a Government School in Sotai and distributed Geometry Boxes and Notebooks to all the Students present there.

ZONE 23

Rotary Club of Faridabad N.I.T

AG: Rtn Manoj Gupta

President: Rtn Sunil Khanduja



The Club organized COVID Vaccination Camp at Shirdi Sai Baba Temple.

ZONE 19

Rotary Club of Faridabad N.I.T Next

AG: Rtn. Priyanka Madaan

President: Rtn Amit Arya



Rotary Club Faridabad NIT NEXT organized Acupressure Centre at Faridabad.

ZONE 23

Rotary Club of Faridabad Smart City

AG: Rtn Manoj Gupta

President: Rtn Ravi Makhija



The Members distributed Books at Ankheer Government School at Faridabad.

ZONE 12

Rotary Club of Delhi Cosmopolitan Greater

AG: Rtn. Arun Roongta

President: Rtn. Jaspal Chadha



Rotary Club of Cosmopolitan Greater organized Eye Check-Up Camp in association with RWA Shalimar Bagh and Centre For Sight in Housing Society. 54 people were tested.

ZONE 21

Rotary Club of Faridabad Sanskriti

AG: Rtn. Deepak Prashad

President: Rtn. LUV VIJ



The Club distributed Sanitary Pads to about 150 Girls at B.K.Hospital, Faridabad, in association with Sainath Sewanai Pariwar. Additionally, Food Packets were also distributed.

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ZONE 19

Rotary Club of Faridabad Tulips

AG: Rtn Priyanka Madaan

President: Rtn Sonia Luthra



RCF Tulips distributed Infant Food and other necessary items like Diapers and Wet Wipes for Children upto 8 years at Miracle Foundation in Sector 31 Faridabad as per the requirements given to them

ZONE 10

Rotary Club of Delhi Femina

AG: Rtn. Vinod Sehgal

President: Rtn. Durgesh Goel



Rotary Club of Delhi Femina donated 2 Water Coolers, 100 Notebooks and 24 pack of Sanitary Pads at Masoom School For Special Kids, Timarpur, Delhi. It was attended by President Durgesh Goel, Joint Secretary Shruti Goel, Rotarians Ekta Aggarwal, Minal Aggarwal, Kanupriya Jain and Anshu.

ZONE 11

Rotary Club of Delhi Southex

AG: Rtn. Manoj Srivastava

President: Rtn. Praveen Jain



RCD Southex undertook a Newspaper Collection Drive from its members, in an initiative to raise funds to support 17 Balwadis run in the Bastis of Delhi NCR for Pre- School Underprivileged Children. Brainchild of a social worker & volunteer Ms Neetu of Lajpat Bhawan, New Delhi, Rtn Sheila Bhargava was its proponent.

ZONE 8

Rotary Club of Gurgaon Qutab

AG: Rtn Sarvesh Dutt

President: Rtn Arti Agarwal



The Club did a project in collaboration with Rotary Club of Delhi Central and the Rotary Divyang Kendra. The Club will hold camps at RDK and provide the money to make/buy customized fitments and RCD Central will arrange and screen needy people to receive the limbs. The project will be done through the year to reach a target no. For the first lot of fitments, the Club donated 35,000 of which Rtn. Aparna Gupta and Lord Prafull donated Rs. 25,000

ZONE 2

Rotary Club of Delhi South End Next

AG: Rtn. Bipin Garg

President: Rtn. Taruna Seth



RCD South End Next planted 45 trees (3 trees per Rotarian) at Trees for Tigers, Ramtek, Maharashtra, for the Rotary Tree Plantation Drive 2022-23, the Club completes Planting 279 Trees.

ZONE 25

Rotary Club of Rewari Royal

AG: Rtn Rajesh Gupta

President: Rtn Vipin Dhingra



The Members donated one Oxygen Cylinder, One Oximeter and one key for cylinder to Pandit Dindayal S/o Ganeshi Lal, Village Pranpura, Nangalmundi

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ZONE 11 Rotary Club of Delhi Connaught Place Raisina Hills

AG: Rtn. Manoj Srivastava

President: Rtn. Tushan Ahuja



Rotary Club of Connaught Place Raisina Hills organised a Mega Health Check-Up camp on 15th August at Nuga Best Health Care Centre in Rohini. Team from Fortis Hospital was present. More than 100 underprivileged people from the area benefitted from the camp. Many members were present and Independence Day was celebrated. This project was executed in collaboration with NGO Aditya Foundation. 86 people benefitted.

ZONE 11 Rotary Club of Delhi Garden City

AG: Rtn. Manoj Srivastava

President: Rtn. Rajni Sood



Due to heavy storm, a huge tree was uprooted, damaging both Toilets Blocks & Side and Back Walls and Roof of Classroom in Balwadi, Srinivasपुरi. Both Toilet Blocks were re-built and Balwadi was fully renovated by Rotary Club of Garden City. This is their Longest Running Project with 70 kids of casual labour between 3-6 years from nearby slum, providing mid-day meal, health & pre-nursery classes. The School was reopened on 8th August after renovation.

ZONE 17 Rotary Club of Rohtak Sapphire

AG: Rtn Sandeep Garg

President: Rtn Dr Chander Garg



A 500 Litre Water Cooler was installed by the members at Government Model School, Lakhan Majra Rohtak.

ZONE 16 Rotary Club of Delhi Janak

AG: Rtn. Dr. Harvinder Popli

President: Rtn. Raju Agrawal



RCD Janak in association with Orthopaedics Association, Delhi Chapter invited two Orthopaedic Surgeons- Dr Gopal Goel & Dr. RK Mishra from Janakpuri to address Class X,XI,XII Students about 'How to handle Ortho Emergency Cases' in first instance before hospitalization at Sarvodaya Senior Secondary Vidyalaya, Dwarka, New Delhi. A Social Worker Ms Gurcharan Kaur was also invited for the talk.

ZONE 16 Rotary Club of Delhi Divine

AG: Rtn. Dr. Harvinder Popli

President: Rtn. Dr. Chander Deep Pruthi



RC Delhi Divine members celebrated Krishna Janmashtami by distributing Food to needy outside AIIMS Hospital, New Delhi. 600 people benefitted from the project.

ZONE 16 Rotary Club of Delhi Khubsurat

AG: Rtn. Dr. Harvinder Popli

President: Rtn. Pinky Ajay Singhania



RCD Khubsurat co-hosted the Women's Cycle Rally in collaboration with District Team and Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Hospital, Niti Bagh, New Delhi. The team of doctors from RGCH screened women for Early Cancer Detection by means of Pap Smear and Physical Breast Examinations for women from nearby villages. The Club also distributed Free Sanitary Pads to the women.

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ZONE 14

Rotary Club of Indraprastha Okhla

AG: Rtn. Sandeep Pal Mandal

President: Rtn. Vandana Bhalla



Rotary Club of Indraprastha Okhla distributed Notebooks, Sanitary Pads, and made a hefty Donation for children of Makers Box Foundation. This Foundation is providing 21st Century Skills to Children at the Bottom of the Pyramid. They focus on 4 Skills - Collaboration, Creativity, Communication and Critical Thinking, and use STEM Methodologies, using Robotics, Electronics, IoT and 3D Printing to teach children. Indraprastha Okhla members visited Makers Box Foundation to spend time with the children and encourage them while admiring their efforts. The members were pleasantly surprised to see young children from very poor families learning Robotics and adept at making Fancy Gizmos.

ZONE 15

Rotary Club of Midwest

AG:AG: Rtn. Aniel Sahni

President: Rtn. Samrat Yadav



RCD Midwest announced the Grand Launch of 50 Vikalp Stores in MCD (South Zone), in association with MCD and WWW Foundation. The Club would be supplying 2000 Cloth Bags to these Vikalp Stores on a monthly basis. These Vikalp Stores are setup in markets so that consumers can buy / borrow a Cloth Bag if they have forgotten to carry one from their houses. This is their first step in Fight against SUP Project.

ZONE 12

Rotary Club of Delhi Okhla City

AG: Rtn. Arun Roongta

President: Rtn. Harvinder Singh



RC of Delhi Okhla City took Annual Subscription of Six Newspapers with the view to improve general knowledge of 70 students and also to inculcate the habit of reading, in them at Arsh Kanya Gurukul, Noida.

ZONE 12

Rotary Club of Govinda

AG: Rtn. Arun Roongta

President: Rtn. Vijendra Nath Mittal



Rotary Club of Delhi Govinda organised Allergic Rhinitis Check-Up Camp which benefited 69 patients. First dose of Medicines was provided during the Camp.

ZONE 13

Rotary Club of Delhi Sainik Farms

AG: Rtn. Pankaj Bansal

President: Rtn. Romy Singh Guglani



Rotary Club of Delhi Sainik Farms distributed Towels, Toothpastes, Toothbrushes, Napkins, and also eatables like Biscuits, Chips & Cold Drinks to the inmates of Old Age Home at Sainik Farms, New Delhi.

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ZONE 14 Rotary Club of Delhi Safdarjung

AG: Rtn. Sandeep Pal Mandal

President: Rtn. Meeta Bhargava



RC of Delhi Safdarjung distributed Food Packets to over 100 Kids and Staff Members at Mahila Pratiraksha Mandal, New Delhi.

ZONE 15 Rotary Club of Delhi West

AG: Rtn. Anil Sahni

President: Rtn Gagan Kumar



RCD West Co-hosted Hope on the Wheels event to promote awareness about Breast Cancer. The Club managed the Refreshment Camp for more than 100 people at Sai Dham Temple, Khel Gaon Road, New Delhi in association with RCD Next..

ZONE 24 Rotary Club of Faridabad Heritage

AG: Rtn Sanjay Dua

President: Rtn Anoop Garg



The Club conducted an Awareness Drive on Female Hygiene at Bharat Sanskar Public School, Jeevan Nagar Kheri Pul, Old Faridabad. They distributed Notebooks, Stationery Goods to the Children and Sanitary Napkins and Snacks Packets to adolescent Girl Students.

ZONE 15 Rotary Club of Delhi West Metro

AG: Rtn. Aniel Sahni

President: Rtn. Yogesh Sethi



RC of Delhi West Metro distributed Sanitary Napkins, Food Packets and Fruit Juices under Project 'Sapno ki Udaan' in Naraina Vihar, Delhi & distributed Shoes to 15 Local Security Gaurds in Naraina Vihar, Delhi.

ZONE 16 Rotary Club of Delhi Madhyam

AG: Rtn. Harvinder Popli

President: Rtn. Satwant Sayan



Rotary Club of Delhi Madhyam did 2 projects on Independence Day. They distributed 500 Note Books, Biscuits and Sweets to MCD School "Nigam Utkrisht Vidyalaya", Mansarovar Garden, Delhi, hoisted the Flag and exchanged the Club Flag with them. They also celebrated with an NGO "Earth Saviours" at Gurugram where they distributed 50 kgs Mithai, 240 Note Books and Sweets to Abandoned Senior Citizens, Special Needs Children and Lost Souls. They even exchanged Delhi Madhyam Club's Flag with them.

ZONE 4 Rotary Club of Delhi South Central

AG: Rtn. Ashcharya Khanna

President: Rtn. Umakant Gupta



RCD South Central distributed LN4 Prosthetic Hands in a Mini Camp held at Suraj Prakash Arogya Kendra, Faridabad in collaboration with Prosthetic Hand Foundation, USA.

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ZONE **2**

Rotary Club of Delhi Infinity

AG: Bipin Garg

President: Rtn. Dipane Gupta



RCD Infinity along with RCD Delhiites organized Tree Plantation, Eye Checkup and Cataract Surgery Camps at Multicolor Steels, Bawal, Haryana. People from nearby villages and industrial area were given eye treatment and assistance as required.

ZONE **4**

Rotary Club of Delhi Millennium

AG: Ashcharya Khanna

President: Anurag Aggarwal



RCD Millennium members Rtn Ashima Arora & Rtn Madhurima Daga distributed food to 500 people outside AIIMS. The amount was sponsored by Rtn Madhurima Daga.

ZONE **17**

Rotary Club of Rohtak City

AG: Rtn Sandeep Garg

President: Rtn Ritesh Singhpuria



The Members distributed School Books and Savoury Food Items to underprivileged children.

ZONE **1**

Rotary Club of Delhi Qutub

AG: Rtn. Mona PURI

President: Rtn. G S Saluja



RCD Qutub conducted a project at Shanti Avedna Sadan where many Terminally Ill Cancer Patients are taken care of by Sisters/Nuns. Their efforts help in keeping the facility hygienic and safe.

ZONE **10**

Rotary Club of Delhi Central

AG: Rtn Vinod Sehgal

President: Rtn Sanjay Aggarwal



After nearly two and a half years of not being able to engage with schools for this very noble cause, the Gift Of Life team sprung into action at the first opportunity. They were at the DTEA School in RK Puram for three days during which they conducted a full fledged Health Check-Up Camp with the primary focus of identifying children with problems in their heart.

ZONE **1**

Rotary Club of Delhi Stellar

AG: Rtn. Mona Puri

President: Rtn. Piyush Jain



RCD Stellar Planted 6000 Saplings in a beautiful park in Ajmal Khan Road, Delhi.

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ZONE 5

Rotary Club of Delhi Southend

AG: Rtn. Neeru Bansal

President: Rtn. Shubhra Chopra



RCD Southend held a Flag Hoisting Ceremony to celebrate the 75th Independence Day at Rotary Skill Development Center, BTC ITI Pusa. The Club also held a campaign of 'HAR GHAR TIRANGA'

ZONE 15

Rotary Club of New Delhi

AG: Rtn. Aniel Sahni

President: Rtn. Madhumati Singh



Rotary Club of New Delhi organised Painting Competitions in 4 of Club's adopted MCD Primary Schools which culminated with Prize Distribution and Independence Day Celebrations Function on 13th August at Malviya Nagar MCD School. Prizes to Students of MCD Schools in Vasant Vihar were distributed a couple of days later.

ZONE 3

Rotary Club of Delhi Vasant Kunj

AG: Rtn. Apurva Chamaria

President: Rtn. Alok Varshney



RCD Vasant Kunj distributed 550 Notebooks to the Students of Composite Government School at Karheda, Ghaziabad. This was supported by Rotary Education Foundation and Rtn Dr Ravi Gugnani of the Rotary Club of Rohtak.

ZONE 3

Rotary Club of Delhi South Delhi

AG: Rtn. Apurva Chamaria

President: Rtn. Lalit Sawhney



Under the Leprosy Control Global Grant Project, RCD South organized an Awareness, Disability, Physiotherapy and Active Case Finding Camp at the Leprosy Colony at Lajpat Nagar, Satya Jeevan Kushta Ashram, Lajpat Nagar. Members distributed Snacks to the families in the Leprosy Colony. President Lalit Sawhney, PP Tridibes, Amarnath ji, Lakshmi Khanna, Rtn. Sarvpreet and Rtn. Pradeep Bahri attended this event, along with renowned doctors and other key administrative members.

ZONE 3

Rotary Club of Delhi South

AG: Rtn. Apurva Chamaria

President: Rtn. Lalit Sawhney



RCD South has completed conducting 50th Awareness, Physiotherapy and Disability Camp in Leprosy Colonies in Delhi NCR. This Camp was conducted at Gandhi Kushta Ashram. This is the 27th Colony the Club has covered.

ZONE 2

Rotary Club of Delhi Rajdhani

AG: Rtn. Bipin Garg

President: Rtn. Manoj Aggarwal



RCD Rajdhani distributed Sanitary Napkins and Food Packets to 5000 Girls under 'PROJECT SAPNO KI UDAAN'. There have been 38 successful campaigns till 20th August.

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ZONE 4

Rotary Club of Delhi Inspire

AG: Rtn. Ashcharya Khanna

President: Rtn. Rajiv Aneja



RCD Inspire in association with Ms Rama Rani Rathee, Councillor of Ward no 34, MCG, distributed Free Sanitary Napkins to the underprivileged women.

ZONE 4

Rotary Club of Delhi Delhiites

AG: Rtn. Ashcharya Khanna

President: Rtn. Reema Garg



Rotary Club of Delhiites collaborated with Delhi Club of Infinity for Steel Factory Visit organized by Multicolor Steels (India) Pvt Ltd for Rotary Members. A Tree Plantation Drive along with Eye Checkup Camp for Villagers was held where Glasses were also distributed.

ZONE 2

Rotary Club of Delhi Manthan

AG: Rtn. Bipin Garg

President: Rtn. Arun Bhutani



RCD Manthan distributed Notebooks to 150 underprivileged students under the guidance and supervision of Chairperson of Ayaas Prayas, Ms. Kaumudi Sharma. These children come from a very humble background but are hardworking and committed to improving their education and lifestyle.

ZONE 6

Rotary Club of Delhi Megapolis

AG: Rtn. Narender K Lamba

President: Rtn. Sandeep Dewan



MCD Megapolis celebrated 75th Independence Day with the School Children of Koshish- an Ongoing School Project which aims at educating the young generation who are the future of tomorrow. The Club distributed Notebooks, Pencil Boxes, Track Suits and Shoes to Children. Free Sanitary Pads were distributed to girls who were also made aware of Women Hygiene by members. A March Past was held in the nearby colonies spreading the message of Har Ghar Tiranga Initiative. Cultural Activities & Programs were organised by the School Children. DG Ashok Kantoor was the Chief Guest.

ZONE 7

Rotary Club of Gurgaon Cosmopolitan

AG: Rtn. Munish Khullar

President: Rtn. Abhishek



The Club distributed Sanitary Napkins and Food Refreshments at SD Modern Senior Secondary School, Geeta Bhawan, New Colony, Gurgaon to Girl Students under the project, "Sapno ki Udaan" in association with Sankalp Foundation and Rotary Club of Delhi Rajdhani.

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ZONE 18

Rotary Club of Rohtak Scholars

AG: Rtn Rajesh Arya

President: Rtn Preeti Gugnani



The Club organised an Ongoing Project –Menstrual Hygiene Awareness Camp And Sanitary Pads Distribution at Government Girls Senior Secondary School Gandhi Camp. The beneficiaries were 60 Girls. They gave a Talk on Menstrual Hygiene & distributed Sanitary Pads.

ZONE 18

Rotary Club of Rohtak

AG: Rtn Rajesh Arya

President: Rtn Sanjiv Wadhwa



The Members handed over a Cheque of Rs1,05,000/- to Vishesh Gurukul Charitable Trust for Needy & Special Children. This School has been adopted by the Club and they look after all their requirements.

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Keep your thoughts positive
because your thoughts become
YOUR WORDS.

Keep your words positive
because your words become
YOUR BEHAVIOR.

Keep your behavior positive
because your behavior becomes
YOUR HABITS.

Keep your habits positive
because your habits become
YOUR VALUES.

Keep your values positive
because your values become
YOUR DESTINY.

~Mahatma Gandhi

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