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A HISTORIC VISIT OF HOPE:

RI President Francesco Arezzo Ignites the Spirit of Rotary District 3141

RTN RACKHEE MEHTA

Rotary District 3141 witnessed a landmark moment as Rotary International President Francesco Arezzo visited Mumbai on the 8th and 9th of November 2025. Across two memorable days, the district showcased its spirit, strength, and commitment to Rotary's global mission of compassion, inclusion, and transformational impact. Guided by the presence of RI President Francesco and the leadership of District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani, the visit radiated purpose, pride, and renewed dedication to service.

A Heartwarming Start at Nehru Science Centre

The visit began with an emotionally uplifting programme at the Nehru Science Centre, where specially abled children delivered performances filled with courage and creativity. Their pure, powerful expressions of talent moved everyone present and reaffirmed that the human spirit rises far beyond limitations. RI President Francesco interacted warmly with the young performers, inspired by their resilience and enthusiasm. DG Dr. Manish Motwani echoed this sentiment, noting that these children represented the perseverance and potential Rotary seeks to nurture across communities.

Following the programme, an elegant luncheon was hosted for AKS members and major donors. The gathering reflected a shared mission rooted in compassion and meaningful action. RI President Francesco expressed deep appreciation for India's exceptional contribution to The Rotary Foundation, commending the country's leadership in scale, innovation, and service impact. DG Dr. Manish thanked the donors for their unwavering generosity, emphasizing that their philanthropy powered Rotary's most transformative initiatives. The afternoon closed with heartfelt gratitude and a renewed shared purpose.

Day Two Begins: The Grand Car Rally Across Mumbai

The second day began with vibrant energy as nearly 35 cars assembled for a grand rally across Mumbai. With RI President Francesco and DG Dr. Manish leading the convoy, the rally became a moving symbol of Rotary's unity and momentum. The route showcased the city's scenic beauty—from the coastal road to the iconic Sea Link—where a massive welcome hoarding greeted the President. His delight reflected the affection and respect he received from the district.

The rally continued through Happy Street and Mulund, where Rotarians welcomed the President with festive cheer,



Rotary International President Francesco Arezzo and DG Dr. Manish Motwani during the Mumbai visit

music, and fellowship. The journey concluded gracefully along Pipeline Road, with the serene Powai Lake offering a picturesque finish.

Press Conference with the RI President

The morning's energy transitioned into an important media engagement—a press conference in honour of the RI President. Journalists from leading television channels and newspapers attended, eager to understand the significance of the visit and Rotary's future direction. District Governor Dr. Manish stated, "Rotary's mission is to create lasting change—in individuals, in communities, and across the world. The presence of our International President today adds great inspiration to our journey of service."

RI President Francesco ad-

dressed media questions with clarity and depth, acknowledging India's leadership in global Rotary initiatives and expressing strong confidence in District 3141's ability to drive sustainable impact. The conference amplified Rotary's message across the city and beyond.

Immediately afterwards, the district launched one of its most impactful initiatives—the Pink Auto Project, dedicated to empowering women through sustainable livelihoods. RI President Francesco and DG Dr. Manish jointly flagged off the first fleet of Pink Auto Rickshaws, marking a significant step in promoting women's independence and economic mobility. President Francesco lauded the project for blending immediate relief with long-term transformation. DG Dr. Manish announced the district's ambi-

tious plan to scale the initiative to 1,000 Pink Autos, reaffirming Rotary's commitment to bold action and inclusive progress.

Luncheon with Senior Leaders

A warm luncheon hosted at DG Dr. Manish Motwani's residence provided RI President Francesco the opportunity to spend meaningful time with the School of Past District Governors and senior district leaders. The interactions were genuine, reflective, and rooted in shared responsibility. Discussions touched on Rotary's evolution, the district's growing impact, and the collective vision for the future.

Inauguration of the District Eye Hospital

RI President Francesco then inaugurated the Smt. Nirmaladevi Sardarmal Jain Rotary District 3141 Eye Hospital, one of the district's most significant healthcare milestones. With the unveiling of the donor wall and formal opening of the facility, Rotary strengthened its mission of ensuring accessible, quality eye care. In a city where sight-related challenges affect thousands, the hospital stands as a beacon of dignity and compassionate service.

Unveiling of the Heart & Multispeciality Hospital

A defining moment of the visit came with the inauguration of the Spandan & Rotary District 3141 Heart & Multispeciality

Hospital. DG Dr. Manish spoke passionately about the acute shortage of cardiac care in underserved communities and how this 59-bed facility would serve as a lifeline for countless families. Along with providing critical care, the hospital is expected to generate employment and skill-building opportunities for local residents. With the MoU scheduled for December and refurbishment set to begin in January 2026, the project signifies Rotary's long-term investment in healthier futures.

Festa di Amicizia: A Celebratory Close

The President's visit concluded with Festa di Amicizia—an evening of fellowship, culture, and meaningful dialogue. From national anthems to reflections on service, the event encapsulated the warmth and unity of Rotary. In a fireside conversation, RI President Francesco shared inspiring thoughts on compassion, continuity, and leadership, leaving members energized and deeply motivated.

Across two impactful days, RI President Francesco Arezzo and DG Dr. Manish Motwani illuminated the extraordinary power of Rotary—its humanity, its unity, and its boundless potential. This visit will be remembered as a milestone that strengthened Rotary District 3141's resolve and shaped its path toward an even more inspiring future.

A Proud Moment: PDG Sharma Elected to Council on Legislation



PDG Shashikumar Sharma

Rotary District 3141 proudly announces that PDG Shashikumar Sharma, who served as District Governor for 2018–19, has been elected to the prestigious Council on Legislation (COL), Rotary International's highest legislative body. A Rotarian for over 32 years, he brings with him a distinguished record of leadership across the printing indus-

try and Rotary. He has served as Past President of the Bombay Master Printer Association, Past President of the All India Federation of Master Printers, Past Editor of Print Vision / Printing Times, and Past Chairman of PAMEX Printing Exhibition. Within Rotary, his contributions have been equally remarkable. He has represented the organisation globally as the Ro-

tary International President's Representative (2019–20), served as Assistant Regional Rotary Foundation Coordinator (2020–21), Assistant Zonal Ambassador Rotaract (2021–22), Chairman – Coffee Table Book (2021–22), District Promotion Chair – Rotary International Presidential Conference (2021–22), and Assistant Rotary Public Image Coordinator (2022–23).

He was also the Rotary International President's Representative for District 3204 in 2024–25. His election to the COL is a testament to his vision, experience, and unwavering commitment to strengthening Rotary's future. His disciplined leadership style, strategic clarity, and unwavering commitment to service make him an outstanding choice for this global responsi-

Festa di Amicizia: Celebrating Friendship and Service in Mumbai



BY PDG SANDIP AGARWALLA

The Rotary Clubs of Bombay and Bombay North, under Rotary District 3141, came together on November 9th, 2025 to host "Festa di Amicizia"—an evening dedicated to friendship, fellowship, and the spirit of Rotary. Held at the Trident Hotel, Mumbai, the event honoured Rotary International President Francesco Arezzo and Signora Anna Maria Criscione. The evening was hosted by President Bimal Mehta of the Rotary Club of Bombay and President Kamal Chokshi of the Rotary Club of Bombay North, in the presence of District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani and Convenor PDG Sandip Agarwalla.

The programme began with a warm welcome by President Bimal Mehta, followed by the National Anthems of India and Italy. A significant highlight was the launch of the Rotary Verified Business (RVB) initiative, with certificates handed over by RI President Francesco. The evening concluded with an inspiring fireside conversation with President Francesco and a vote of thanks by President Kamal Chokshi.

President Bimal Mehta set the tone with an address filled with warmth and gratitude. He paid tribute to the global leadership of President Francesco and Signora Anna Maria and acknowledged past Rotary leaders, governors, and dignitaries for their unwavering service. Welcoming the gathering, he said, "As hosts, we take great pride in showcasing the warmth, hospitality, and community spirit that defines our district." His message emphasised friendship, meaningful conversations, and renewed commitment



to Rotary's mission.

District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani reflected on the high-impact Rotary Service Week, during which the district conducted cancer screenings, cybercrime awareness drives, major blood donation efforts, and initiatives for senior citizens. He highlighted the launch of ten Pink Autos under the ambitious 1,000 Pink Auto project for women's empowerment. Dr. Motwani also announced two landmark healthcare initiatives—a Rotary District Heart & Multispecialty Hospital and a Rotary District Eye Hospital. Stressing the importance of retention and member engagement, he introduced two new networking platforms: the Rotary Internship Employment Program and Rotary Verified Businesses, urging clubs to ensure every Rotarian feels valued and empowered.

Past RI Director and Past Trustee Ashok Mahajan delivered an eloquent address tracing Rotary's inspiring journey in India—from the first club chartered in Calcutta in 1920 to the present 170,000 Rotarians across 40,000 clubs. He spoke of India's leadership in polio eradication, its extraordinary generosity to The Rotary Foundation, and its success in producing four RI Presidents. Underscoring India's ethos of service, he invoked Gandhi's words: "The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others."

In conversation with PDG Sandip, RI President Francesco shared thoughtful reflections on Rotary's future. He reaffirmed Rotary's commitment to polio eradication, acknowledged the need for continuity across leadership terms, and recounted moving lessons

from projects in India—especially one involving children whose courage and leadership deeply inspired him. Calling Mumbai "a vibrant and sparkling city," he praised the generosity of its people. When asked which value he wished to instil in every Rotarian, he answered simply: "Compassion—the ability to suffer with another."

Audience questions brought further insights. President Francesco encouraged young Rotarians to be bold and revolutionary, just as Rotary's founders were. On motivating new members, he urged clubs to rethink traditional formats and create modern, relevant spaces for younger generations. Addressing global membership decline, he identified stronger retention and regionalisation as Rotary's most vital priorities for the future.



An inspiring evening celebrating friendship, leadership, and service, featuring RI President Francesco Arezzo, launch of Rotary Verified Business, impactful district initiatives, and a powerful fireside conversation on Rotary's future.

Momentum at mid-year

INSPIRED MOMENTS



Dr. Manish Motwani

Dist Governor, 25-26

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

How swiftly time flies! It feels as though we only just began our Rotary journey for this year, and yet five months have passed in a flash. We now stand at the halfway mark — and what an inspiring journey it has been! As we take pride in what we have accomplished together, let us also look forward with renewed energy, for there is still so much more we can do.

Rotary Service Week: A Proud Moment for All of Us

What a remarkable week we experienced from 2nd to 9th November! The Rotary Service Week was undoubtedly one of the proudest moments of our year. It was a shining display of teamwork, leadership, precision, and passion. My heartfelt compliments to every Rotarian who led, participated, supported, or contributed in any way. Whether you organized an event, executed a project, or helped spread the word — you were part of something extraordinary.

While I generally avoid naming individuals for fear of unintentionally leaving out someone deserving, it would be impossible not to acknowledge a few exceptional contributions. Rtn. Rajendran Unnikrishnan led from the front — every day, every event, and every location reflected his meticulous planning and commitment. The entire RSW team, along with our Inspired Presidents and their teams, worked with remarkable coordination. A special mention goes to the wonderful "Happy Street" event at Thakur Village, brilliantly executed by President Prashaant Mishra and the Rotarians of RC Bombay Kandivali.

Health Initiatives: Continuing the Fight Against a Silent Threat

A major highlight of Rotary Service Week was our large-scale focus on Cervical and Breast Cancer detection and awareness — a perfect alignment with December's Rotary theme: Disease Prevention and Treatment. These efforts reminded

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us that the battle against life-threatening diseases cannot end with a single week. The threat is too real, and the consequences too severe, for us to slow down. Early detection saves lives. Every camp we organize, every woman we reach, and every conversation we spark is a step toward a healthier community. Let us continue this momentum — because the need is immense.

Pink Auto Project: A Wave of Generosity and Empowerment

This month also saw tremendous energy behind the Pink Auto initiative. Our gratitude goes to RC Mumbai Dahisar and their CSR partner, Mr. Suru Mathews of Leap India, for launching the first 10 autos during RSW.

A huge cheer to Rtn. Noopur Desai, whose generous commitment to underwrite 100 autos has given the project significant pace and confidence. Equally inspiring are Rtn. Nikunj Jha-

veri and Rtn. Dilip Shah, who have announced a remarkable matching scheme — contributing USD 700 for every USD 1,000 donated by others, for up to 100 autos.

This is the spirit of Rotary — partnership, compassion, and collective action. Friends, this is truly the time for clubs to step forward. Our goal of placing 1,000 Pink Autos across the District may sound ambitious, but with such large-hearted support, it is well within reach. Equally important is ensuring that we identify the right beneficiaries — women whose lives will genuinely transform through this empowerment. I have full faith that our project team will continue to handle this responsibility with the highest diligence.

A Historic Visit from the Rotary International President

Another unforgettable moment this month was the visit of our Rotary International President Francesco Arezzo, and his wife Anna Maria Criscione. Meeting him was deeply inspiring — he is gentle, humble, patient, and compassionate, and his simplicity left a lasting impression on everyone. His wife, along with the President's aide, John Paul and Monique, were equally warm and were touched by Indian hospitality and the impactful Rotary projects they witnessed.

A particularly touching moment

was when John personally contributed USD 1,000 to the Pink Auto project — a beautiful reminder that service inspires service. My compliments to Rtn. Dilip Shah for serving as the aide to the RI President and fulfilling this responsibility with distinction.

Our Legacy Projects: Progress With Purpose

Our vision for long-term impact continues to take shape. The Rotary Hospitals for Eye Care (Nirmala Devi Rotary Eye Hospital) and Heart Care (Spandan Rotary Heart Care Hospital) are progressing steadily. We have set the wheels in motion, and the developments are promising. These hospitals will stand as lasting legacies — symbols of Rotary's commitment to accessible and affordable healthcare.

My gratitude to our former Rotaractor and partner Dharmesh Jain (current Managing Trustee of the hospital) and all the large-hearted donors supporting the Eye Hospital. My gratitude is also due to RC Bombay Pier, President Noopur Desai, and their donors for driving the Heart Hospital initiative.

Celebrating Leadership and Excellence

Congratulations to Past District Governor Shashi Sharma on being elected as our District Representative to the Council on Legislation (COL). Heartiest congratulations as well to

PDG Prafull Sharma on being elected as the Alternate Representative. We extend our best wishes to both of them for a successful and impactful tenure.

Looking Ahead: December and Beyond

As we enter December — the month dedicated to Disease Prevention and Treatment — let us renew our commitment to health, healing, and service. With Christmas around the corner, bringing the message of peace, joy, and goodwill, may we carry that spirit into every project and interaction.

The New Year is fast approaching, bringing fresh hopes, new challenges, and endless opportunities to serve.

While I may not be able to name every individual who has contributed significantly, please know that I am truly grateful for your commitment, leadership, and unwavering support. I salute each one of you for your dedication. Wishing you and your families a joyful, peaceful, and fulfilling season. May the spirit of Rotary continue to guide us, inspire us, and unite us as we move into an even more impactful second half of the year.

**With heartfelt appreciation,
Yours in Rotary Service,
Dr. Manish Motwani
District Governor 2025-26**



RSW: Eye care for every one

RTN.DR.HARESH ASNANI

On a rainy Sunday morning, the entire district joined hands to kickstart the 8-Day Service Week by organizing eye camps across the district, from Colaba to Dahanu.

A total of 48 camps benefited 6562 individuals screened for refractive errors, cataracts, and other eye diseases. Out of these, 541 cases of cataract were detected and referred to specialty hospitals for surgery at a concessional rate or free of cost. Spectacles were prescribed to those who needed them, with around 50% of the camps even giving away spectacles for free or at a concessional rate.

While individual clubs have all contributed significantly, some stood out. Mumbai Western Elite organized a comprehensive medical camp attended by 792 beneficiaries, showcasing breathtaking effort and execution. Rotary Club of Palghar conducted five simultaneous camps at different locations. Lotus Eye Hospital supported the Rotary Club of Coastline by hosting the inauguration function attended by the District

Governor, RC Bombay Central conducted a large camp in a crowded slum area in Worli, with 500 attendees despite heavy rain.

This exercise began with metic-



ulous planning by Group Avenue Head, Avenue Chair Rajendran Unnikrishnan, District Governor Dr Manish Motwani, and Advisor PDG Shashi Sharma. We held online and physical meetings to plan and execute the camps. I thank all the Zonal Chairs, Co-chairs, and Project Directors for their excellent motivational skills and organizational abilities, which encouraged the Presidents to create a working plan for the camps. The RSW saw excellent coordination between clubs in each zone, promoting interaction and fellowship during their planning and participation in the camps.

The Eye Camps went a long way towards increasing the visibility of Rotary and spreading awareness about Rotary's activities in the community. The Eye camps were

publicized using local community networks, posters and banners at prominent locations, distribution of pamphlets, social media and by word of mouth. Many camps received excellent media coverage via print, social media and television.

I thank our supporting partners, including Dr Agarwal's Eye Hospitals, Lotus Eye Hospital (Rtn. Navinbhai Shah), Dhiren Eye Care, Rotary Eye Hospital Malad, Ramkrishna Nethralaya, Bhaktivedanta Hospital, Bachchooali Eye Hospital, Zen Hospital, PD Hinduja Hospital, Sun Pharma, Rtn Dr Sunil Vasani, Rtn Dr Jatin Ashar, Rtn Dr. Svetlana Toshniwal, Dr Manish Sharma, Rtn Lalit Gangwani and Dr Rohit Mody for their solid support. My sincere apologies for any inadvertent or unintentional omissions from this list.

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RSW EYE CAMP DATA				
2nd NOVEMBER 2025				
ZONE	CAMPS	BENEFICIARIES	CATARACTS DETECTED	
CENTRAL	8	758	83	
SOUTH	9	1097	78	
WEST	6	800	90	
NORTHWEST	11	2442	143	
NORTH	14	1465	147	
TOTAL	48	6562	541	



District's 48 eye camps served 6562 people, identified 541 cataracts, and showcased exceptional multi-club coordination and community impact.

This activity has positively impacted Rotary's efforts towards prevention of blindness. One of RSW's objectives was to bring clubs together in each zone to execute projects and events. This objective was fulfilled satisfactorily thanks to the active participation of all clubs and members.

Sincere thanks to DG Dr Manish, GAH and AC Rajendran Unnikrishnan for trusting me with the responsibil-

ity of organizing Eye Camps for the District Rotary Service Week. It was really gratifying to see such a large number of talented people coming together for one single cause. Kudos to all the Presidents, Club RSW Chairs and all District officials involved in organizing and making the Rotary service week a resounding success.

Rtn. Dr. Haresh Asnani, Project Head, RSW Eye Care

RSW: Stay Safe, Stay Cyber Smart

What a Day !!! What a Buzz !!! What an Impact !!! What a Satisfaction !!! You all did it !!!

SUNIL MEHTA

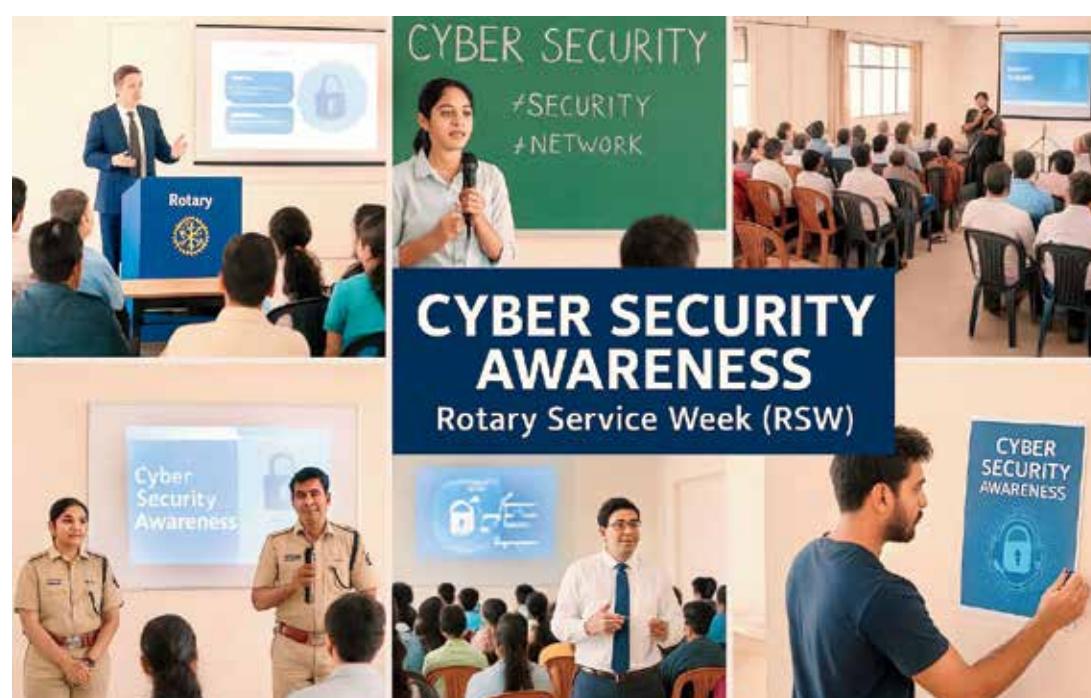
District Avenue Chair - CyberSecurity & Awareness

My sincere gratitude to District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani for his strategic vision to have CyberSecurity Awareness as one of the full day activities during RSW besides trusting and nominating me to Head the CyberSecurity Awareness Avenue and guiding whenever necessary.

Cyber Security Awareness on a single day at this large scale and simultaneously all over the district is perhaps a first of its kind in our Rotary World and this is just the beginning.

My Sincere gratitude to District Group Avenue Head and District RSW Avenue Chair Mr. Rajendran Unnikrishnan for their patience, continuous support & guidance, setting up meetings, besides steering all the RSW activities and every nitty-gritty involved 24x7. They have now become the Wikipedia of RSW - RSWpedia.

My sincere gratitude and appreciation to each and every individual who participated directly or indirectly in all the activities, with every little possible contribution, be it giving & devoting time, identifying venues, interacting with schools, colleges and elderly community centres, identifying



presenters, over 250 members volunteering to get trained in cybersecurity, creating awareness posters, social media campaigns, interacting with media, spending endless late hours and reading material, very humbly asking questions, clearing doubts, inviting and arranging speakers from the police, industry and our rotary world, arranging

logistics, keeping everyone engaged and charged and finally making the presentations at the chosen venues and the audience, clicking pictures, uploading them on all social media platforms, sharing their reports as well. With your sincere efforts and participation, I am sure, this will definitely create a huge impact to many and gener-

ate meaningful buzz on many social media platforms about how Rotary International and specially our District is serious & involved about creating Cyber Security Awareness for all as well. We have not only received fantastic responses from all the beneficiaries/audience but also from all the Rotarians, Annes, Rotaractors and InnerWheel members

who participated.

The Police personnel who participated were also super excited to see the enthusiasm and passion with which our members and teams across presented as experts on the subject.

We, collectively, have also created a great impact and awareness within our District Rotary community and their respective family members as well. Am sure all other districts will soon follow suit to set a similar impact to amplify the awareness across.

Do share your individual reports with & Mr. Unnikrishnan pictures and social media upload links with the PR & Social Media team (Bhavin Toprani - 9820090239) for further recognition, amplification in the district as well and beyond.

The statistics for the clubs who have responded so far are as follows

- Number of Clubs who Participated- All
- No of Venues Covered - 70
- No of Beneficiaries Covered
- 5623 Training the Trainers (over 3 sessions) - 175
- Visibility & Social Media posts across : Immense

Kudos, congratulations and gratitude to all of you once again. Keep the spirit and momentum alive going forward as well.

Best wishes.

Sunil Mehta

A new vision: Nirmaladevi Sardarmal Jain eye hospital

RTN. NIKUNJ JHAVERI
Dist coordinator, Hospital

On November 9th, 2025, Rotary District 3141 inaugurated the Smt. Nirmaladevi Sardarmal Jain Rotary District 3141 Eye Hospital in Mumbai. The event was graced by Rotary International President Francesco Arezzo and District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani, with the Rotary Club of Mulund Hill View entrusted to operate the hospital, promising accessible, high-quality ophthalmic care to the community.

A major milestone in local health services, the hospital was made possible through the magnanimous support of Dharmesh Jain and his daughter Mehek, whose provision of the premises played a pivotal role in the creation of this vital initiative.

A wall of gratitude was unveiled to honour the generous donors. District Coordinator – Hospitals, Rtn. Nikunj Jhaveri, anchored the proceedings, acknowledging each donor:

- Premlata Vandravan Shah Charities (Rotary Club of Bombay Hanging Garden), facilitated by Rtn. Dilip Shah
- Late Shri Nirmal Muraril Chamaria Eye Bank (Rotary Club of Mumbai West End), facilitated by Rtn. Bharat Jhunjhunwala
- Axis Electrical Components Pvt. Ltd. (Rotary Club of Mumbai Elegant), facilitated by Rtn. Tehmina Khandwala
- Nick Israni (Rotary Club of Bombay North)
- Rotary Club of Bombay Bayview
- Tarulata Ramesh Chandra Daftary (Rotary Club of Bombay Hanging Garden), facilitated by Rtn. Amrish Daftary
- Rashi Peripherals Ltd. (Rotary Club of Mumbai Divas), facilitated by Rtn. Meena & Rtn. Krishna Choudhary

The celebration included a lively Lazim dance by the Interact Club of Jay Bharat School, welcoming distinguished guests, Past District Governors, and Rotary presidents from across the district. The unveiling of the donor wall

commemorated this collective act of service and gratitude.

The Smt. Nirmaladevi Sardarmal Jain Rotary District 3141 Eye Hospital is set to deliver meaningful change in eye care, advancing Rotary's commitment to community health and welfare.

Nikunj Jhaveri
District Coordinator-Hospitals



Pink Auto Project: Driving Change. Steering Empowerment



RTN. ALKA MURLI

9th November, 2025 marked a historic milestone for Rotary District 3141 with the flag-off of 10 Pink Auto Rickshaws under the transformative Pink Auto Project. Celebrated in the august presence of Rotary International President Francesco Arezzo and District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani, the event, held at Mulund, Mumbai, showcased Rotary's unwavering commitment to women empowerment through livelihood generation, skill building, and inclusive growth.

The Pink Auto Project—conceived as a mega women empowerment initiative—

aims to create real, tangible, and sustainable change at the grassroots level. It identifies women who aspire to build a secure and independent livelihood, offers them professional driver training, facilitates licensing and permits, and supports them in becoming proud owners of their very own auto rickshaws. This ensures not only financial stability but also a renewed sense of self-confidence and dignity.

Addressing the gathering, Rotary International President Francesco Arezzo expressed deep admiration for Rotary in India and its impact-driven approach. He remarked that India continues to inspire the Rotary world with its scale,

dedication, and community-centric initiatives. Praising the Pink Auto Project, he highlighted its unique value proposition—immediate livelihood generation paired with long-term socio-economic impact. "Rotary in India is doing truly immense work," he noted, "and this initiative reflects the heart of Rotary—service that transforms lives."

District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani, in his energetic address, shared his immense pride in flagging off the first batch of 10 Pink Autos. He stated that this was only the beginning of a much larger mission. With infectious enthusiasm, he announced the ambitious vision of scaling up the project

to 1,000 Pink Autos within the next eight months.

Dr. Motwani highlighted that the project's strength lies in its long-term sustainability, its ability to create empowered women entrepreneurs, and the ripple effect such empowerment will have across the communities. "This initiative," he said, "has immense potential to redefine how we nurture economic independence among women."

The lead club for this impactful initiative, Rotary Club of Deonar, led by its President Rtn Alka Murli, played a pivotal role in shaping and driving the project forward. In her remarks, President Alka spoke passionately about the

transformative power of an opportunity. She shared how, when given the right platform, women have the ability to rise, shine, and rewrite their future. The Pink Auto Project, she said, is not merely about mobility—it is about enabling dreams, restoring confidence, and creating pathways to progress.

The flag-off event concluded with tremendous optimism and a shared vision for a more empowered tomorrow. As the Pink Autos roll out onto the streets of Mumbai, they carry with them not just passengers—but hope, pride and a promise of a brighter, more inclusive future for women.

President Alka Murli
RC Deonar

Rotary District 3141 launched 10 Pink Autos empowering women through training and ownership, inspiring confidence and livelihoods, with leaders envisioning expansion to 1,000 autos for lasting community impact.



RSW: Women wellness : Cancer screening



RTN SHRUTI DHARAMSEE

The Rotary Service Week Breast & Cervical Screening Initiative held on 5th November stands as one of the district's most remarkable health service achievements. Conceived under the dynamic leadership of District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani, the project demanded exceptional planning, coordination, and teamwork. With over 35 camps proposed and only 15 trained breast screening technicians initially available, executing the entire project on a single day appeared nearly impossible. Yet, through extraordinary collaboration, the district not only met but significantly surpassed expectations.

UE Life Science partnered as the primary technical collaborator for the iBreast Exam, offering streamlined training and deployment support under the guidance of Rtn. Asim Shah. Rotary Club of Mumbai Nova served as the co-hosting backbone for all breast screening camps, ensuring smooth execution, uniformity, and timely coordination across locations. Special thanks to Shalmali for the coordination

To strengthen manpower, Rotaract club of Medicrew provided vital assistance by president Radharani for mobilizing medical students just 15 days prior to the event. With students available only on Sundays, night-time training sessions from 9-11 PM were conducted intensively. Rotary Club of Mumbai Ghatkopar West played a pivotal role by organizing rapid-response training camps, screening 400+ women during practical sessions and successfully certifying 35 new breast screening technicians. The final batch was completed on 2nd November.

For cervical screenings, the district collaborated with SSO, with Ashi coordinating gynaecologists across multiple locations. Medical guidance and operational support from senior Rotarians, including Rtn. Krishna Desai, and Rtn. Meena Kothari, ensured high-quality and consistent service delivery across all centres. In addition, Aditya Birla Group CSR under PRIP Rtn. Ashok Mahajan and Rtn. Sudhir Joshi provided critical financial support. Significant funding assistance for cervical screenings was also facilitated by Rtn. Vishal, President of RC Mulund, who contributed 50% support for these

camps.

On the final day, 125 Rotary clubs united as host or co-host clubs, running 35 screening centres across the district. With exemplary teamwork and unwavering service commitment, these efforts resulted in 2,490 breast screenings and 1,106 cervical screenings, setting a powerful benchmark for Rotary Service Week.

The project was further strengthened by dedicated individual hosts and coordinators who ensured local arrangements, logistics, mobilization, and on-ground support. These include all the club presidents along with their POC Saumya, Sonia Tinani, Shaila, Vishal Thakkar, Nalini Kanan / Alaknanda, Dr. Gautam Goel, Dr. Kamlini Pathak, Nutan Bhalla, Nilu Nimish, Sonal Doshi, Minal Turakhia, Dr. Laila Dave / Nilesh Suchak, Chandraprabha Khona / Dr. Arun Sawant, Kalpana Jain, Sunil Talwar, Pankaj Gupta, Dr. Nilima, Asim Shah, Shiv Shankar Agarwal, Rakesh Kamdar, Devendra Bhatt, Ketan Tapiawala, Dr. Dimple Modi, Nitin Vaze, Dr. Sonam Khandezod, Shaila Mahajan, Kamlesh Patil (Palghar), Devi, and Suyog.

Participating clubs included: Divas,

Royales, Jewels, Iconic, Sea Coast, Juhu Beach, Elegant, Brave Hearts, Bombay West, Mahim, BKC, Airport, Khar, Coastline, Juhu, RC Mulund, Deonar, Chembur Mumbai, Bombay Chembur West, Ghatkopar, Mumbai Ghatkopar West, Bombay Uptown, Sion, Wadala, Powai, Chembur, Mumbai Bhandup, Sher-E-Punjab, Mumbai Lakers, Mid City, Bombay Pier, Bombay Bayview, Mumbai Island City, Hill South, Downtown Sealand, Peninsula Group Clubs, Malabar Hill, Cosmopolis, RC Bombay East, RC Mumbai Elegant Plus, RC Mumbai Rising Stars, RC Mumbai NW Malad, RC Bombay Kandivali, RCM West Coast, RCM North End, RCM West End, RCM Versova, RCJVPD, Mumbai North Island, Mumbai Borivali East, Mumbai 101, Borivali SkyCity, Mumbai National Park, Rotary Club of Borivali, Mumbai Goregaon West, Rotary Club of Lokhandwala Kandivali, Mumbai Dahisar, Umroli, Boisar, and Palghar.

Shruti Dharamsi, who worked tirelessly to ensure that each location was provided with adequately trained technicians. Thanks everyone."

Rtn. Bhavin C. Toprani added, "Good morning. Thanks Shruti. Awesome work by all of you! Do upload all activities on your club social handles and Connect by Insta collaboration, stories, and FB tags so they can be shared."

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Project head Breast and cervical screening RSW

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Project zonal heads: Rtn. Mayuri Basin, Rtn. Asim Shah, Kalpesh Patil, Ekta Agrawal

District Avenue Chairs: Rtn. Ram Kotak, Rtn. Twinkle Singhvi

Appreciation & acknowledgement note

Rtn. Shiv Agarwal, North End, shared, "It was a very successful project. My heartfelt gratitude to the District team and particularly to Rtn. Shruti Dharamsi, who worked tirelessly to ensure that each location was provided with adequately trained technicians. Thanks everyone."

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Special thanks to the district team

Group Avenue Head

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Project Head: Rtn. Shruti Dharamsi

RSW: Honouring our special stars



RTN.KALA SHRIDHAR

Thank you DG Dr Manish Motwani, Group Avenue Head, Avenue Chair Rajendran Unnikrishnan for including me as a Project Head for a cause close to my heart.

The day for Specially Abled under RSW on 8th Nov was a true celebration of spirit, resilience, and inclusion.

A series of impactful activities were conducted across various locations.

The day devoted to the specially abled, under Rotary Ser-

vice Week, truly embodied the essence of Rotary — diversity, equality, inclusion, leadership, and fellowship in the words of RI President Francesco who personally witnessed the inspiring performances by the specially abled at the Nehru Science Centre along with DG Dr Manish and the District dignitaries.

Heartfelt thanks to all the inspired Presidents and their RSW Chairs for coming together to make this day impactful.

A shout out to Zonal Chairs and the Project Directors for specially abled for their dedica-

Rotary Service Week's "Specially Abled" day was a celebration of spirit, inclusion, and resilience, impacting over 2,700 beneficiaries across 25 priceless projects.

tion and support in making this a grand success. Special mention of Zonal Co Chair South Zone, Rtn Kalpana Jain who did the initial recce for the venue for the event. Also, gratitude to Zonal Director Rtn AV Suresh for valuable inputs and suggestions. Thanks to Zonal Director

Rtn Manju Uttamchandani for her active involvement in the south zone event. A heartfelt gratitude to Zonal Chair Rtn Rajesh Panchamiya for arranging sponsorship of Charlie Chikkis to all the participants of the 8th November event also ensuring smooth coordination for de-

livery of the same. Thanks to Group Avenue Head and also Avenue Chair Rajendran Unnikrishnan for all the guidance and support throughout beginning from the zoom calls till the execution of the event.

A heart-warming day filled with sports, entertainment, empowerment activities, and community support for specially-abled beneficiaries across all five Zones of Dist. 3141. There was print as well as online media coverage of the event at Nehru Science Centre (South Zone), the TT tournament for specially

abled (West Zone) and the Trek for specially abled (North west Zone)

A Day of Inclusion, Joy & Inspiration

Across all zones, clubs came together to create a day filled with opportunities, smiles, learning, and empowerment for over 2,700+ specially-abled beneficiaries. Value of the 25 projects is PRICELESS!!!!

Rtn Kala Sridhar
Project Head for Specially Abled

RI President opens Spandan Heart and Multi-specialty Hospital



RTN. SUHIT ZAVERI

Rotary District 3141 marked a historic milestone on 9th November 2025 with the inauguration of the Spandan & Rotary District 3141 Heart & Multispecialty Hospital, a flagship community healthcare initiative aimed at transforming medical access for the underserved populations of Deonar, Govandi, Mankhurd and neighbouring areas.

The hospital was formally inaugurated at the hands of Rotary International President Francesco Arezzo and his spouse, in the august presence of District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani. Their participation underscored



Rotary's global commitment to strengthening healthcare equity and creating sustainable service institutions.

The ceremony began with the traditional lighting of the lamp, symbolising hope, healing and service. A beautifully designed

hospital banner was unveiled, marking the official commencement of this landmark project.

Rtn. Nikunj Jhaveri, Project Head, anchored the ceremony and outlined the vision, planning journey, and expected community impact of the Heart

Rotary District 3141 inaugurated the 59-bed Spandan Heart & Multispecialty Hospital, advancing affordable healthcare, cardiac services, and community upliftment for underserved Mumbai communities.

& Multispecialty Hospital.

President Noopur Desai, of the Rotary Club of Bombay Pier, the lead club sponsoring and championing the project, delivered an inspiring address. She reaffirmed the club's complete commitment to realising DG Manish's vision and mobilising Rotary's collective strength to bring advanced cardiac and multispecialty healthcare to the community. She also assured that RCBP would stand firmly behind the project until completion.

DG Dr. Manish Motwani highlighted the acute shortage



of cardiac care facilities in the region and emphasised how this 59-bed upgraded Heart Hospital will be a lifeline for thousands of families living in the surrounding slums and resettlement colonies. He also stressed the dual benefits the project brings:

1. Advanced, affordable, accessible healthcare
2. Local employment generation and skill development

The gathering included Rotarians across the district, hospital trustees, project donors, and dignitaries. All key contributors were felicitated for their unwavering support. A small conference interaction

followed by high tea made the event warm and engaging.

The MoU is scheduled to be finalised in early December, after which the refurbishment of the existing structure will begin in January 2026. The building will be converted into a fully equipped 59-bed cardiac and multispecialty hospital, anchored in Rotary's commitment to "Unite for Good".

This hospital represents the finest blend of Rotary's passion, community partnership, and sustainable impact—a service project that will continue to save lives for decades to come.

RI President meets the press

RTN. SUNIL HARIBAL
RTN. KISHOR PAREKH

The day's energy rose to a new high with a significant media engagement—an exclusive Press Conference held in honour of the Rotary International President, Francesco Arezzo. The atmosphere was charged with anticipation as journalists representing prominent television networks, widely read newspapers, and influential digital platforms gathered to understand the deeper purpose behind the President's visit. This was not merely a routine interaction, but an opportunity for the district to present Rotary's evolving vision before a broad and diverse audience. District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani, addressing the media, articulated this vision with conviction, stating, "Rotary's mission is to create lasting change—in individuals, in communities, and across the world. The presence of our International President today adds great



inspiration to our journey of service." His words captured both the essence of Rotary's purpose and the collective pride of the district. RI President Francesco responded to questions with sincerity and insight, acknowledging India's outstanding contributions to global Rotary missions and expressing profound confidence in District 3141's ability to drive innovation and deliver sustainable results.

The press interaction broadened Rotary's message across Mumbai, reinforcing themes of service, compassion, and community upliftment. What followed was a defining moment of the visit—the unveiling of one of the district's most impactful initiatives, the Pink Auto Project. Designed to empower women through dignified and sustainable livelihoods, the initiative reflects Rotary's commitment to building

self-reliance and expanding opportunities. RI President Francesco and DG Dr. Manish jointly flagged off the first fleet of Pink Auto Rickshaws, marking a visionary step toward enhancing women's socio-economic mobility. The President expressed deep admiration for the project, noting that Rotary in India continues to demonstrate a rare blend of immediate humanitarian relief and long-term transformational

change. DG Dr. Manish further announced a bold goal of scaling the initiative to 1,000 Pink Autos, underscoring the district's commitment to ambition backed by action. The flag-off ceremony was filled with emotion—symbolizing hope, empowerment, and the promise of an inclusive future.

The afternoon transitioned into an elegant and warm luncheon hosted at the residence of DG Dr. Manish Motwani in honour of the RI President. This gathering offered a more personal setting for meaningful dialogue with the School of Past District Governors and senior district leaders. The conversations were reflective and insightful, touching upon Rotary's evolution, the district's remarkable service footprint, and the shared responsibility of preparing Rotary for its next century of global impact. The camaraderie in the room reinforced the deep bonds that connect Rotary leaders across generations.

A second press conference

was held on 9th November on the occasion of flagging off the 10 Pink Autos by the RI President. This event too drew wide media interest, with reporters from newspapers, news channels, and digital publications present. A formal press release, co-ordinated skilfully by Rtn. Nargis Gaur and Rtn. Nirmal Phophalia, ensured that the project received structured and well-framed coverage.

The district enjoyed extensive positive coverage across multiple media platforms. Television reports appeared on Star News Today, PR News (across YouTube, Facebook, and Instagram), Mera Bharat Samachar, Maharashtra Samachar, and Khabare Mumbai. Blog coverage came through PR News. Print media reports were featured in Navbharat Times, Divya Bharat, Navrasht, Newshub (English and Marathi), Divya Bhaskar (Gujarati), Active Times, Mumbai Lakshdeep, Janmabhoomi (Gujarati), Gujarat Samachar, Standard Post, and Tehelka Samachar.



Celebrating Courage and Talent Beyond Limits



RTN KALA SRIDHAR RSW Project Head for Specially Abled

Under Rotary Service Week on 8th of November events were held across the District for the Specially Abled.

The event at Nehru Science Centre celebrated talent and artistry and to recognize courage, perseverance, and the indomitable human spirit.

The performances by specially abled children stood as symbols of strength, resilience, and the sheer joy of self-expression. Their enthusiasm and determination reminded us that true ability lies in willpower, dedication, and the desire to rise above all odds.

The event was distinguished by the presence of RI President Francesco Arezzo and his wife, Anna Maria, along with his aide, John de Giorgio and his wife Monique Chambers.

DG Dr Manish, Group Avenue Head, and Avenue Chair Rajendran Unnikrishnan along with other District Dignitaries graced this event which exemplified the finest values of our organization—Service Above Self, inclusion, and a deep commitment to uplifting every member of our community.

Speaking on this occasion RI President Francesco showered praise on the participants for the wonderful show put up. He was very touched when he inter-

acted with the Foot and Mouth artist Bandenawaz. First Lady Anna got emotional seeing the ghoomer dance by the students of Kamla Mehta School for the Blind.

DG Manish said in his address, "You are each a true inspiration. Today's performances reminded us that every talent deserves its stage, and every heart deserves the freedom to shine."

The performances also included dances by the Rotary

Sanskardham School, SEC, ADAPT and SVRR. The paintings of artist Bandenawaz were gifted to all Dignitaries.

This was followed by a musical Housie which was enjoyed by all.

Welcome address was given by Rtn Kala Sridhar, President Noopur Desai introduced the RI President and DG Dr Manish. Vote of Thanks was given by President Sunil Talwar. Gifts were given to all the par-

ticipants.

The event stood as a celebration of talent, courage, and compassion. The message of the event was a call to embrace empathy, gratitude, and hope, and to carry forward Rotary's legacy of fellowship, inclusion, and humanitarian service. Together, let us build a world where every person—regardless of ability—is cherished, respected, and empowered to shine to their fullest potential.

An Exclusive Rendezvous with RI President Francesco Arezzo



AKSHAY MEHTA

Rotary District 3141 hosted a distinguished and heart-warming afternoon on Saturday, 8th November 2025, as AKS couples gathered at Sette Mara, The St. Regis, Mumbai for an exclusive interaction with RI President Francesco Arezzo and Anna Maria Criscione.

The event was hosted by the Rotary Foundation and our District lead by DG Dr Manish Motwani, First Lady Dr Mahek Motwani, and the TRF Team. Nearly 40 AKS couples were in attendance, creating an atmosphere of warmth, pride, and celebration of Rotary's culture of giving.

RI President Arezzo ad-



dressed the gathering with inspiring remarks on Rotary's global mission and the extraordinary impact made possible by AKS contributions. He spoke highly of India's commitment to The Rotary Foundation and ap-

preciated the remarkable work of District 3141. DG Dr Manish Motwani thanked all AKS members for their unwavering support, emphasizing that their generosity continues to power Rotary's most transformative projects. DG Dr Manish also shared some of the important projects that the District was focusing on such as the Rotary Eye Hospital, the Rotary Heart Hospital, etc.

The afternoon ended with memorable photographs of all AKSs, individually, with the Presidential couple.

A shared sentiment from all present:

an outstanding, meaningful, and beautifully curated event that every AKS couple truly cherished.

Car Rally with RI President



Deepak Choudhary

The morning began with an impressive convoy of approximately 35 cars rolling out from Trident, setting the tone for a spirited journey ahead. The procession, led by RI President Francesco Arezzo and DG Manish, made its way gracefully along Mumbai's iconic coastal road and the majestic Bandra-Worli Sea Link, creating a spectacle of unity and excitement.

A brief halt on the Andheri Highway offered a heartwarming moment as participants gathered to admire a grand hoarding welcoming the Rotary International President. His delight was evident as he saw his name and photograph proudly displayed—a gesture that truly resonated.

The convoy then made its way to Kandivali's vibrant Happy Street, where a grand reception awaited. Cheers,



smiles, and celebratory energy filled the air as the cars lined up in formation, marking a memorable welcome. From there, the fleet continued its journey toward Mulund, maintaining its spirited momentum.

One of the most scenic

stretches was the drive along Pipeline Road, flanked by the serene beauty of Powai Lake. The tranquil waters and lush surroundings offered a refreshing contrast to the urban buzz, making it a fitting finale to a day filled with camaraderie, celebration, and purpose.

Celebrating Seniors with Compassion and Dignity



RTN. RAJENDRA UNNIKRISHNAN

It was my pleasure to be the project coordinator for senior citizens program for Rotary Service Week. The clubs in Zone were divided into 3 groups and each group coordinated with each other to be the Lead Host in the various projects.

Senior Citizen programme by Senior Citizens at Rotary Service Centre wherein the following clubs sponsored the event and snacks for 200 were sponsored by Mumbai North Island. The clubs who sponsored the event were Mumbai Khar, Bombay Airport, Mumbai Seacoast, Mumbai Elegant, Mumbai Divas, Mumbai Juhu Beach, Mumbai Coastline, Mumbai BKC, Mumbai Jewels, Mumbai Juhu Elite, Mumbai Royales, Mumbai Mahakali Heights, Mumbai Juhu, Mumbai Mahim. DG Dr. Manish Motwani, Group Avenue Head, Avenue Chair Rtn. Rajendran Unnikrishnan graced the evening. This was in synergy with Inner Wheel clubs of west zone.

Senior Citizen Camps at Mira Road, Gorai Total Beneficiaries 55 senior citizens, Items provided: -meals, groceries, blankets, bedsheets and clothes. Grooming of all resident seniors- haircut and shaving etc.

The Rotary Club of Bombay Airport (RCBA) hosted a delightful program dedicated to senior citizens at Lokmanya Tilak Sangh, Vile Parle. The event was heartfelt appreciation for their love, warmth, affection, and commitment to family bonding.

The highlight of the evening was a captivating musical performance where senior citizens showcased their talent by singing popular Marathi and Hindi songs centered around the theme, "Chand" (Moon). The singers rendered beautiful melodies with great sur (pitch) and tal (rhythm). Many demonstrated a remarkable grasp of classical notes, suggesting formal training. The audience thoroughly enjoyed



the enchanting program.

The musical treat was followed by delicious snacks and masala milk, providing a perfect end to the entertainment.

Mumbai Elegant Senior Citizens, the generation which guides us and leads us. Giving back to them in a sweet way. Elegant was Lead Club at Jivan Asha, Veera Desai Rd, Andheri(W) with Co-Host Club Rotary Club of Mumbai Iconic, Braveheart and Mumbai West, Beneficiaries - 60

Senior Citizens Program Kisan Gopal Rajpuriya vaspath ashram (Gorai)

Mumbai Juhu Olive Elder care Malad houses 36 senior citizens in various states of mental illness. We had carried Sandwiches and Juice as per request, to be added as a festive element to their lunch. We donated 1 wheelchair, 4 walkers and 4 packets of diapers.

RCJB Organised sound and

bath meditation along with Dinner, Venue :- Saint Anthony Old Age Home at Bandra. Beneficiaries:- 40

RC Mulund Hill View-Heavy Old Age Home, garage compound, gaodevi road , near vitthal mandir, sadan wadi Bhandup west

RC Mulund Hills-Shree Old Age Home, Nagpal marg Mulund Colony

RC Addiction and Prevention , RC Mumbai Greens, RC Mulund South ,RC Mulund ,RC Mulund Hill View ,RC Mulund East - Raja Industrial Estate,PK road, Mulund West

RC Sher E Punjab and RC Mumbai Kalakar - Dignity foundation Jogeshwari and home for the aged Andheri East, Balkanji Bari hall, Rajawadi Ghatkopar E, Mumbai Wadala East, Deonar, Chembur Mumbai and Bombay Chembur West - Bhakti Park, Wadala east **Bombay Uptown, Sion, Ghat-**

kopar and Mumbai Ghatkopar West - Manav Seva Sangh, Opp Gandhi market Sion

RC Mumbai Bhandup - Runwal forest, opp Navy canteen, Kanjurmarg

Chandivali Mumbai +Bombay Powai - Nahar Orchid CHS, Farm road, near Powai

Mumbai Lakers - Old Age Home Mulund

Sea Face Lead Club - Maru Ghar, Hariom Niwas 27/28 Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar Rd, Near UBI Vaturuksha Society, Sambhav Society, Gorai 1,

Queens Necklace - JJ Dhar-amshala, Old age home, Juhu Boman Behram Rd, Near Sagar Hotel, Nagpada Junction and Shepherds Home, off clare road, Oppo Nagpada Police stn, King George infirmary, Worli - diapers, medicines, clothes, foodgrains to be provided

RC Mumbai Western Elite, RC Mumbai Rising Stars - Apna Ghar, Goregaon East

RC Bombay Kandivali - Anandvan, Old age home, Juhu Boman Behram Rd, Near Sagar Hotel, Nagpada Junction - Food entertainment and clothing provided

Pier Lead Host - Dignity Foundation-Mazgaon Centre, Mahila Janseva Kendra, B.I.T Chawal No3, Tad Wadi, Near BMC school, Oppo Mazgaon Court and Dignity Foundation

RC Mumbai PARLESHWAR, RC Mumbai NW Malad, RC Mumbai Elegant Plus, RC Mumbai North End, RC Mumbai Andheri, RC Mumbai Filmcity - PRABODHAN THAKRE, VILE PARLE

RCM West End - Kisongopal Rajpuria Vanprastheshram

RC Mumbai North Island, Mumbai North End - Man-

sukram Mevada Rajashram, Dondgri, Bhayandar West, Mumbai 401106

Borivali Skycity, Mumbai Borivali East - Oberoi Skycity Auditorium, Borivali East - entertainment & Food

Mumbai Goregaon West, Mumbai 101 - Keshav Gore Hall, Ground Floor, Aarey Road, Goregaon West, - Musical Programme & Snacks

Rotary Club of Borivali, Mumbai National Park - Nana Nani Park, Veer Savarkar Udyaan, Borivali West - Games / Entertainment & Snacks

Mumbai Dahisar - Udan Club at N L Complex, Dahisar and Kisangopal Rajpuriya Vanprasthashram at Uttan, Mumbai - Entertainment and Breakfast, Dinner

Palghar-Shitaladevi Mandir Hall, Kelave, Palghar

Dahanu - Oldage Home, Ambesari, Dahanu Road and Senior Citizen Group, Paar Naka, Dahanu Road - Food, Fruits Distribution & Soft Music, Games, Music & Snacks

Manor Highway - Beyond 60 Oldage Home, Near Vegas Hotel, NH-48, Ten Naka

Virar-Aanandavan Wellness Centre, Vasai

Rotary Happy Street 2025

Bringing Communities Together in Joy & Wellness



RTN. RACKHEE MEHTA
RTN. KALA SHRIDHAR



NORTH WEST ZONE

The Rotary Club of Bombay Kandivali (RCBK) proudly led the vibrant and high-energy Happy Street 2025, transforming the bustling road into a festive, vehicle-free stretch dedicated to fitness, wellness, creativity, and community engagement. RCBK curated a memorable morning filled with enthusiasm, participation, and unity.

The event witnessed an overwhelming response, with more than 5,000 community members joining to celebrate health and happiness. The morning opened with the powerful beats of Dhol-Tasha, the traditional trumpet, and the spirited Lazim dance, creating a grand welcome for the Rotary International President Rtn Francesco Arezzo, District Governor Rtn Dr. Manish Motwani, other District Dignitaries, Presidents of co-host clubs, and Patron Partner clubs. The RI President's presence added immense pride, further elevating the significance of the celebration.

Rotaractors and Interactors played a vital role by managing hospitality, guiding guests, and coordinating stage activities with exceptional discipline and dedication, ensuring seamless execution throughout the event.

The Family Zone drew enthusiastic participation with Zumba, yoga, meditation, and energetic workouts like Bhangra, Ghoomar, and Salsa. A fun Fortune Teller booth and colourful selfie corners quickly became crowd favourites.

The Kids & Teens Zone buzzed with activity, featuring art stations, games, and craft corners for children, while teens enjoyed beatboxing sessions, a cap-

Happy Street 2025 united 5,000+ people with fitness, culture, performances, health camps, and vibrant Rotary fellowship led by RCBK.

tivating Mentalist act, stand-up comedy, and an impressive Mixed Martial Arts demonstration.

The Health Check-Up & Community Corner offered free BP, sugar, and general health screenings alongside a well-received dental camp by our fellow Rotarian. An organ donation awareness desk added meaningful value to the initiative, strengthening Rotary's commitment to community service.

Dynamic stage performances were witnessed and made the event vibrant.

Happy Street Co-Host Clubs

RC North West Malad (Gold Co-Host), RC Mumbai Western Elite, RC Bombay Film City, RC Mumbai West Coast, RC Mumbai Marvel, RC Virar, RC Mumbai Horizons, RC Mumbai Inspire, RC Skycity Borivali, RC Mumbai 101, RC Mumbai Andheri.

Patron Partner Clubs

RC Mumbai Dahisar, RC Borivali, RC Mumbai Goregaon West, RC Borivali Wonders, RC Mumbai National Park, RC Mira Road. Happy Street 2025 beautifully celebrated Rotary's spirit of service, fellowship, fitness, and joy.



NORTH ZONE

Lead by RC Palghar Happy Street was held at Aryan High School Road.

Cohost clubs were

RC Ghodbandar, Manor Highway, Umroli, Dahantu, Virar Innerwheel Palghar.

325 people attended the camp and total cost was Rs 50000/- The event started with ribbon cutting and Lezim by Interactors. It also included Atharva Shirsh by Jivan Vikas Highschool Interactors, Sessions on Yoga and Karate, solo and group dance performances and singing.

Added attraction was the Tug of war between Rotarians and Rotracts, between girls and between boys. The highlight was the Group dance by deaf and dumb students.

Skit on Vende mataram on completion of 150 years was performed by ITI students while the students of Aryan School performed a skit on environment. (मळा बाजारात जायच नाय).

The food stalls at the venue were also a huge hit.

The event was graced by CC Bhagwan Patil, AG Prashant Patil,

Presidents and members of Host clubs and their families.

The energy throughout the day was vibrant, with each performance adding colour, enthusiasm, and community spirit to the celebration. Children, parents, and visitors from the neighbourhood participated wholeheartedly, creating an atmosphere of joy and togetherness.

Rotarians and volunteers ensured seamless coordination, making the event memorable for every participant. The Happy Street initiative truly transformed the area into a festive, activity-filled zone where people of all ages engaged in fitness, culture, and entertainment. The health and fun booths kept the crowd engaged, while the interactive games brought out cheerful competition among the attendees. Local residents appreciated the effort taken by Rotary to bring such an engaging community programme to their doorstep.

The presence of Innerwheel members added warmth and strong support to the execution. The disciplined participation

Happy Street Palghar brought together 325 participants for fitness, culture, performances, health camps, games, and community activities, showcasing vibrant youth involvement, strong club collaboration, and Rotary's spirit of service.

of Interactors and Rotracts highlighted the power of youth involvement in community-building. Overall, the event showcased the perfect blend of culture, fitness, entertainment, and service—echoing Rotary's commitment to uplifting communities.



UNUNSUNG HEROES 2025 –

Rotary District 3141 Celebrates The City's Quiet Champions



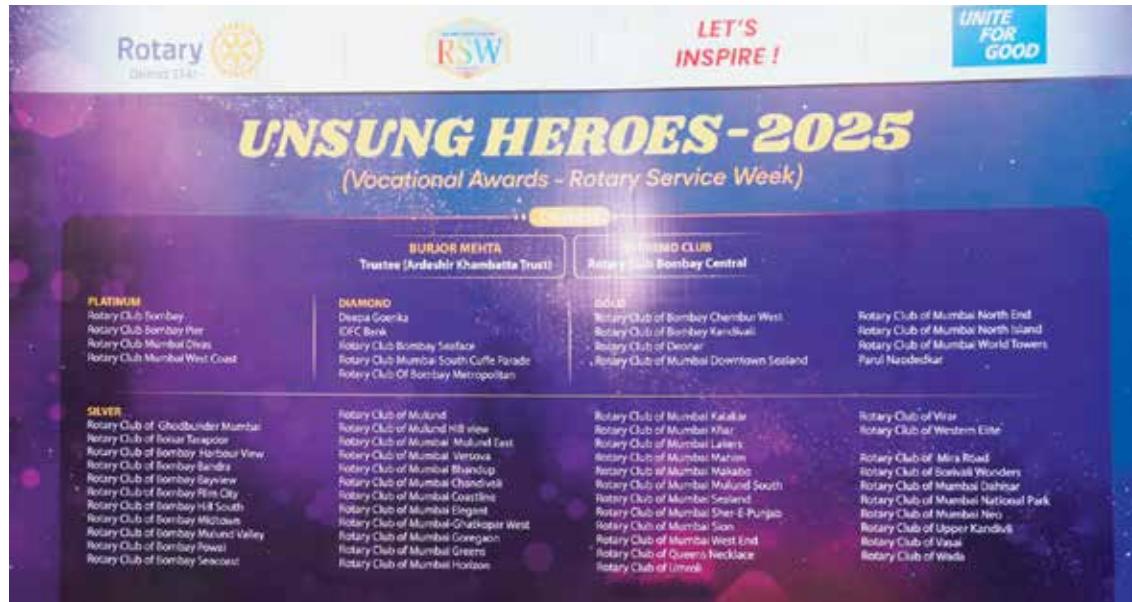
RACKHEE MEHTA

Mumbai has always been a city powered not just by skyscrapers and speed, but by its people—ordinary individuals who do extraordinary things away from the limelight. On November 7, Rotary District 3141 brought these silent champions to centre stage at the electrifying Unsung Heroes – 2025 awards held at the YB Chavan Auditorium. It was an evening that celebrated heart, grit, and humanity, honouring 15 real-life heroes whose actions speak louder than any applause.

From the very first moment, the mood was magical. Inclusion leader and storyteller Zainab Patel set the tone with her stirring performance, "The Heartbeat of Mumbai." Her words painted vivid scenes of the city's resilience—the people who lift others up, the hands that help without hesitation, the kindness that often goes unnoticed. The audience was drawn into an emotional journey that perfectly framed the purpose of the night.

District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani, the driving force behind the event, brought contagious energy to the celebration. His vision—to create a platform that honours those who quietly transform lives—was evident in every detail. Supporting him were RSW Group Avenue Head, RSW Avenue Chair Rtn Rajendran Unnikrishnan, and the powerhouse District Vocational Service Team, each contributing passion, precision, and purpose to the evening's success.

The auditorium was bursting with Rotary spirit, with 425 attendees, including 40+ Club Presidents and their teams. The gathering felt like a grand family reunion, filled with applause, cheers, heartfelt moments, and stories that left many in the audience wiping their eyes. It was one of those nights where the energy could be felt in every corner—Rotarians standing united to celebrate the city's unsung warriors.



This year, the district received a remarkable 71 nominations from 130 clubs, each one a compelling story of selfless service. From individuals working with vulnerable children to those aiding senior citizens, the differently abled, the homeless, and countless others in need, every nomination represented a chapter of hope and humanity. The Distinguished Jury Panel had the unenviable task of narrowing the list to 15 awardees—a process that demanded rigorous scrutiny, verification, and heartfelt deliberation. But the final selections truly reflected Mumbai at its finest.

Each awardee walked onto the stage to thunderous applause, their stories shining brighter than any trophy. These are people who ask for nothing, give everything, and carry on quietly, day after day. Their recognition felt long overdue, and the audience embraced every moment of their celebration.

A special vote of thanks was extended to Rtn. Rajendran Unnikrishnan, whose leadership, dedication, and guidance formed the backbone of

List of Awardees and nominating clubs

1	Kumud Mishra	RC Mumbai Mulund East
2	Vilas Bhanga Banjara	RC Mumbai Ghatkopar West
3	Vishal Parulekar	RC Palghar
4	Pramod Dawane	RC Umroli
5	Kisan Lokhande	RC Mumbai North Island
6	Mumtaz Qazi	RC Bombay Neo
7	Bina Ramesh	RC Horizons
8	Nirmala Peters Mehendale	RC Mumbai Parleshwar
9	Shital Bhatkar	RC Bombay Hills South
10	Sujata Raikar	RC Bombay Central
11	Hamraj Bhumeshwari Ramesh Joshi	RC Bombay Bayview
12	Dr (Capt.) Kanta Mukherjee	RC Marine Drive Mumbai
13	Sridevi	RC Bombay Juhu Beach
14	Viral Rajesh Rayathatha (BK Viral)	RC Bombay Juhu Beach
15	Milind Thatte	RC Mumbai Royales

this flagship district event. Their behind-the-scenes efforts ensured that the evening unfolded seamlessly and beautifully.

Rotary District 3141's Unsung Heroes 2025 honoured 15 extraordinary individuals at YB Chavan Auditorium, celebrating their silent service and impact. With 425 attendees and 71 nominations, the event highlighted Mumbai's compassion, resilience, and true spirit of humanity.

The event also highlighted the commitment of the district's zonal leaders—

West: Rtn. Pushpa Suryanurthy

Central: Rtn. Chetan Kotak

North-West: Shelza Choudhary

South: Rtn. Dilip Shah

North: Rtn. Sashank Thakare

The Unsung Heroes 2025 awards were more than just a ceremony; they were a powerful reminder of what true heroism looks like. It isn't always dramatic. It isn't always loud. Sometimes it's a quiet act of kindness, a hand extended at the right moment, a life changed in silence. As the district celebrated Rotary Service Week, this event stood as a shining symbol of the organisation's unwavering commitment to uplifting humanity.

With hearts full and spirits renewed, Rotary District 3141 moves forward with even greater purpose—to continue recognizing, celebrating, and supporting the everyday heroes who make Mumbai a kinder, stronger, more compassionate city.



The Rotary Service Week: A Transformative Experience

The Rotary Service Week, held from 2nd November to 9th November 2025, transcended its original intent of being a week dedicated solely to collective community service. It evolved into a far more significant event, embodying DG Dr Manish's vision for his dream project during the first half of the Inspire year. This initiative became a profound journey of learning and enrichment for all involved.

Team Formation and Role Clarity

Comprising a dynamic team of 64 members, the initial challenge was to ensure every member clearly understood their respective roles and responsibilities. The team was structured into two layers: administrators and project executors. It was imperative that both groups developed a well-defined plan of action to drive the project forward.

Zonal Organisation and Strategic Direction

The organisational structure was further divided across zones, with each zone containing three club groups, making a total of fifteen groups. Achieving clarity and unity of purpose across these groups was crucial for the success of the Rotary Service Week.

Leadership and Communication

DG Dr Manish consistently emphasised the significance of the Rotary Service Week at every installation ceremony, highlighting its importance to both himself and the District. He clearly conveyed the importance of teamwork to all club presidents, prompting them to reserve RSW week and prepare for special activities.

Initiating Collaboration

The foremost and most challenging task was to convey the concept of coming together as one cohesive unit to all club presidents, encouraging them to work collectively. This required overcoming initial doubts and fostering a spirit of cooperation among leaders, each with their own responsibilities and perspectives. The RSW booklet effectively shared information



Rajendran Unnikrishnan
Avenue Chair



AKS Dilip Shah
South



Pushpa Suryamurthy
West



Shelza Choudhary
Northwest



Shashank Thakare
North



Chetan Kotak
Central

with presidents, thanks to District Avenue chair Rajendran Unnikrishnan's outstanding efforts.

Fostering Collaboration and Navigating Communication Challenges

Reflecting on the early stages of the Rotary Service Week preparations, a distinct pattern emerged in team dynamics and inter-club collaboration. At the outset, there was a sense of scepticism among club presidents regarding the feasibility of working closely with other clubs. Each president, being a capable leader in their own right, carried the weighty responsibility of managing their respective clubs. This initial disbelief posed a challenge to establishing a collaborative spirit across the district.

To address this, Unnikrishnan and I took the initiative to organise zone-wise meetings for each RSW online activity. These meetings served as a platform for open dialogue and facilitated a gradual shift in mindset. As discussions progressed, participants began to appreciate the core objective of the Rotary Service Week: to magnify the collective impact and visibility of Rotary projects within the community by pooling resources and efforts.

Introducing the concept of

Rotary Service Week united 64 leaders across 15 groups, transforming collaboration challenges into collective strength. Clubs shared resources, overcame setbacks, forged partnerships, and delivered impactful medical services—exceeding expectations and inspiring future joint projects district-wide. The experience also strengthened inter-club bonds, proving that unified action can create far greater outcomes than individual efforts.

a 'lead club' led to some initial misunderstandings. Many members misconstrued the role, assuming that the designated lead club would be solely responsible for bearing all expenses associated with the projects. Despite this misconception, several clubs willingly volunteered to take on the lead role, demonstrating a willingness to step forward for the greater good.

Communication between lead clubs and participating clubs presented its own set of challenges. There was confusion over who should initiate contact—lead clubs expected other clubs to reach out, while the participating clubs held the opposite expectation. This ambiguity required time and repeated engagement to resolve, but it ultimately paved the way for clearer communication channels.

Frequent and, at times, complex meetings were held with zonal chairs, project heads, and their respective teams, particularly due to technical considerations. Club presidents played a pivotal role in communicating the Rotary Service Week's objectives and budgetary requirements to their Boards and members, while simultaneously encouraging the formation of inter-club partnerships.

The zonal chairs—Chetan

Kotak, Pushpa Suryamurthy, Shashank Thakare, Shelza Choudhary, and Dilip Shah—were instrumental in coordinating these regular meetings. Their efforts with their co-chairs ensured that, over time, club groups took ownership of the process, with meetings becoming increasingly self-driven. Project heads continued to keep all groups updated on preparation status and the availability of technical support, thus maintaining momentum and fostering a collaborative environment throughout the preparatory phase.

Key Observations and Emerging Synergies

During the course of the RSW preparations and implementation, several important and noteworthy observations came to light. As the clubs began to

build connections with each other, there was a visible transformation in the way they operated. Rather than functioning as individual entities, the clubs evolved into a proactive and cohesive team, working together towards shared objectives.

One of the significant developments was the manner in which resource constraints were addressed. In cases where developing clubs faced budgetary limitations, the larger and

more established clubs stepped in to provide support, acting as a guiding force and helping to alleviate financial pressures. This 'big brother' approach fostered a sense of unity and collaboration, ensuring that all clubs could participate effectively.

The collective enthusiasm among members saw a remarkable surge, particularly in the final two weeks leading up to the RSW. This heightened excitement translated into energetic participation and a strong drive to achieve the goals set forth for the event.

It was also observed that many clubs possessed the necessary resources and expertise to independently organise their own eye-care and cancer screening teams. This self-sufficiency contributed greatly to the overall impact and reach of the initiative.

Furthermore, the involvement of strategic partners played a pivotal role in expanding the scope of services provided. Notably, the SSO Oncospecialty collaborated with District 3141, bringing their team of doctors to conduct cervical cancer screening camps. Such partnerships significantly enhanced the effectiveness and depth of the projects undertaken during the RSW. The Rotaract club of Mediraj came in and got trained for

the Breast I-Scan.

Project heads Dr Haresh Asnani, PP Sunil Mehta, Shruti Dharamsi, Yogesh Zaveri, Pushpa Suryamurthy, Kala Sridhar, Nargis Gaur, and Tehmina Khandwala all made significant contributions.

Overcoming Unexpected Challenges and Celebrating Surprises

Throughout the course of preparations, the journey was not without its share of unexpected developments. There were occasions when permissions from authorities, which were crucial for the smooth conduct of activities, were denied at the last minute. At times, venues that had been finalised were suddenly cancelled, and access to schools and colleges was not always granted as anticipated.

Despite these setbacks, the resilience and unity of the clubs shone through. Each obstacle gave rise to inventive solutions—better venues were identified and arranged, and collaborative brainstorming among clubs led to even more effective outcomes. The spirit of camaraderie was evident as clubs readily supported one another in moments of need, ensuring that the momentum never faltered.

Amidst these challenges, there were also moments of great delight. One such highlight was the unexpected visit of RI President Francesco Arrezo during the RSW, which served as a tremendous morale booster for all involved. Time and again, clubs came together to rescue each other, turning potential setbacks into opportunities for strengthened partnerships and shared success.

Visiting projects across the district was exhilarating. We felt fulfilled when DG Dr Manish Motwani said the RSW exceeded his expectations.

We express our sincere gratitude to DG Dr Manish Motwani for this enriching opportunity to connect with Rotarians of our district and serve our communities through RSW.

Now, thanks to ROTARY SERVICE WEEK, clubs look forward to doing projects together!!

**(RSW Group Avenue Head),
PP Rajendran Unnikrishnan
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Vocational Awards



Kala Sridhar
Specially Abled



Tehmina Khandwala
Happy Street



ROTARY CLUB OF BOMBAY SEAFACE

Together Against Cancer, Fighting Fearless



President : Rtn. Sonal Doshi

Sec : Dr. Meena Kothari

Rotary Club of Bombay Seaface

Lead club

Rotary Service Week was marked by meaningful, well-executed initiatives by the Rotary Club of Bombay Seaface, bringing care, dignity, and empowerment to hundreds across Mumbai. Each project reflected the club's commitment to impactful service delivered with compassion.

Eye Camps at Bandra & Juhu

The week began with two Eye Check-Up Camps at Bandra and Juhu. A total of 205 beneficiaries received screenings and support.

Cost: 5,000

Senior Citizens Outreach

Senior citizen engagement programs were conducted at S.S. Sayani School, Khar, and Celestia Spaces, Sewri, providing care, interaction, and wellbeing activities to 300 beneficiaries.

Cost: 3,000

Blood Donation Drive at Bandra Station

A successful blood donation camp was organised at Bandra Station, yielding 80 bottles of blood through enthusiastic community participation.

Cost: 5,000

Breast & Cervix Screening

Lead host

Service Projects at Colaba, Walkeshwar & Worli

Multiple service activities were carried out across Colaba, Walkeshwar and Worli, extending support to 195 beneficiaries.

Cost: 50,000

Rs 91,600/- for 229 patients in South zone.

Breast screening Rs 200×230 = 46,000/-

Out of 229 pts Lead club Seaface and Midcity in association with other clubs have screened 193 pts for Cervical and 194 for breast

Senior Citizens Programme at Aymara Ghar, Borivali

A dedicated session for senior residents at Aymara Ghar in Borivali enriched the lives of 130 beneficiaries, providing comfort and

companionship.Cost: 10,000

District Vocational Awards at Y.B. Chavan, Nariman Point

The club contributed meaningfully to the District Vocational Awards ceremony, recognising outstanding awardees for their excellence in service and vocation.

Beneficiaries: Awardees

Cost: 25,000

Specially Abled Programme at Nehru Science Centre, Worli

The week concluded with a special initiative for the specially abled at the Nehru Science Centre, engaging 50 beneficiaries in an enriching experience.

Cost: 20,000

ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI BRAVEHEARTS

Hope in Action, Inspiring Change

Rotary Service Week Report

President Zeenat Hasta

On 2nd Nov Eye check-up was held at Shruti School, Juhu from 10 am to 2 pm. Our Club participated as Co-host for the same which had nearly 25 beneficiaries. RC Bombay west was the lead host and 3 members from Bravehearts attended the camp.

Cyber Awareness Session was held at Purshottam High School where Bravehearts was the lead host and co hosted by RCM Iconic and RCM Elegant. Rtn. Aashish was the speaker and the session interactive and informative, focusing on online safety and



responsible digital behaviour. There were 100 beneficiaries. Blood Donation Drive was held at 2 venues: Purshottam High School where there were 60 walkins and 19 units of blood was collected and Celebration Club had 1un1ts of blood was

collected. These camps were held in collaboration with Criticare Hospitals. Co Hosts at Purshottam School were RCM Iconic, RCM Elegant, RCB Juhu Beach and RCB Seacoast. The Co Hosts for Celebration Club were RCM Iconic, RCM



Elegant, RCB Juhu Beach, RCB Seacoast & RCB West. Mugs and pens were distributed to the Donors. Cervical & Breast Cancer Screening Camp was held at Khar Police Station where Bravehearts was a

Co-host .2 Members from Bravehearts were present and Free screening for cervical and breast cancer was done. The initiative helped spread awareness about early detection and preventive care among women

Senior Citizen Day was celebrated at Aasha Dham where Bravehearts was co host and Elegant was Lead Host. 3 members from Bravehearts attended and Activities included housie, singing, and fun games. Daily essentials were also distributed to the senior citizens by RCM Elegant. Activity for the Specially Abled Children was held at Manilal Municipality School Where Mumbai Bravehearts was co-host. 2 members represented the club. There was entertainment program for the specially abled and snack boxes and goodie bags were distributed to all the children.

ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI MAHIM

Cyber Awareness & Women's Health Initiatives

President Sheila Rege

Cyber Crime Awareness Camp 3rd November 2025 Lead Host: Rotary Club of Mumbai Mahim Co-hosts: RC BKC, RC Khar, RC Juhu, RC Airport, RC Coastline

Venue 1: Matunga Premier School

Time: 11:30 am – 12:30 pm



with Mr. Gautam Mengle from Cyberfrat, led a powerful and interactive session. They highlighted common online threats, safe digital practices, and real-life case studies that helped participants understand the growing risks in the cyber world. Students

and attendees were guided on detecting fraud, protecting personal data, and reporting online crimes effectively. Both sessions were well received, with active participation and questions from the audience. The initiative strengthened



community awareness and promoted responsible digital behavior. Breast and Cervical Screening Camp 5th November 2025 Lead Hosts: RC Mumbai Mahim & RC Mumbai BKC Co-hosts: RC Juhu, RC

Bombay Airport, RC Coastline, RC Khar Venue: Laxmi Narayan Baug Hall, Dadar **Time:** 9:00 am – 4:00 pm The screening camp focused on early detection and awareness, ensuring

women from the community received essential preventive healthcare. Experienced medical professionals conducted the tests with care and sensitivity. Informative counselling sessions were also provided, empowering beneficiaries with knowledge about symptoms, self-examination, and timely medical intervention. The initiative reflected Rotary's commitment to women's health and community well-being, offering reassurance and support to all attendees. Cervical Screening: 34 beneficiaries Breast Screening: 33 beneficiaries



ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI DIVAS

Rotary Divas Lead a Week of Service Impact



Rotary Club of Mumbai Divas

President: Rtn. Sunita Goyal
Secretary: Rtn. Puja Vaid
Rotary Service Week was marked by impactful and well-coordinated initiatives led and supported by the Rotary Club of Mumbai Divas. Across health, digital literacy, senior care, and community recognition, the club delivered meaningful service with commitment and collaboration.

Lead Host Projects

Cancer Screening Camps
Two Cancer Screening Camps were organised at Taraben English School, Santacruz, and the BMC Clinic, Goregaon. A total of 172 beneficiaries were screened with the support of 40 attendees.

Co-hosts: RC Mumbai Royales, RC Mumbai Jewels

Project Cost: 70,000

Blood Donation Drive

A Blood Donation Drive was conducted at Tilak Vidyalaya Institute, Vile Parle (E), yielding 83 units of blood through enthusiastic participation. The camp saw an attendance of 16.

Co-hosts: RC Mumbai Royales, RC Mumbai Jewels, RC Mumbai Mahakali Andheri

Project Cost: 10,000

Digital Awareness Camps

Digital Awareness sessions were held at Taraben English School, Santacruz, and Anmol Building Society, Andheri (E), empowering 265 beneficiaries with essential digital skills. The



project recorded an attendance of 28.

Co-hosts: RC Mumbai Royales, RC Mumbai Jewels

Project Cost: 14,000

Senior Citizens Programme

A special outreach programme was organised at Rajpuria Vanspath Ashram, Gorai, providing care and engagement to 125 senior citizens. The activity was supported by 10 attendees.

Co-host: RC Mumbai Royales

Project Cost: 35,000

Co-Host Projects

Eye Camps

As co-hosts, the club supported Eye Check-Up Camps at Nehru Nagar, Juhu, and Surajbhai School, benefiting 270 individuals through screenings and support services.

Attendance: 13



Project Cost: 70,000

Vocational Excellence Awards for Unsung Heroes

The club co-hosted the Vocational Excellence Awards at Y.B. Chavan Hall, Churchgate, recognising outstanding individuals for their service and dedication.

Attendance: 10

Project Cost: 50,000

Table Tennis Tournament for the Specially Abled

A large-scale Table Tennis Tournament for specially abled participants was supported at Goregaon Sports Club, engaging 438 participants in an inspiring and inclusive sporting event.

Attendance: 7

Project Cost: 70,000

ROTARY CLUB OF BOMBAY PIER

Impactful Service Week Highlights



Rotary Club of Bombay Pier

President: Rtn. Noopur Desai
Joint Club Secretary: Rtn. Methoo Surty
Rotary Service Week witnessed purposeful and well-coordinated initiatives by the Rotary Club of Bombay Pier. Through awareness programmes, senior citizen outreach, community recognition, and support for inclusive activities, the club contributed meaningfully to service across the city.

Lead Host Projects

Cyber Crime Awareness Sessions
Cyber Crime Awareness sessions were conducted at SIES College, Sion (W), and Blossoms School, Churchgate, educating 143 beneficiaries on online safety and responsible digital behaviour. The sessions were supported by 15 attendees.

Project Cost: 2,000

Senior Citizens Programmes

Engagement activities for senior citizens were held at Dignity Foundation Centres in Mazgaon and Byculla, enriching the lives of 140 beneficiaries. The projects recorded an attendance of 5.

Project Cost: 22,760

Vocational Excellence Awards to Unsung Heroes

The club served as a Platinum Donor for the Vocational Excellence Awards held at Y.B. Chavan Auditorium, Nariman Point, honouring unsung heroes for their exemplary service.

Attendance: 13

Project Cost: Platinum Donor Contribution

Specially Abled Programme

A special initiative for the specially abled was organised at the Nehru Science Centre Auditorium, Worli, in collaboration with multiple

Rotary clubs. The programme benefitted numerous participants, providing an enriching and inclusive experience.

Attendance: 12

Co-host Clubs: RC Bombay Hanging Garden, RC Mumbai Cuffe Parade, RC Mumbai Sobo, RC Bombay Mid-City, RC Queen's Necklace Mumbai, RC Bombay Mid-Town, RC Bombay Central

Co-Host Projects

Breast & Cervical Cancer Screening

The club co-hosted three cancer screening camps at People's Hospital (Ruparel Medical Centre), Worli; Sir Mangaldas Banganga Physiotherapy Centre, Walkeshwar; and Indu Clinic, Colaba. A total of 220 individuals were screened.

Attendance: 13

Project Cost: 1,000

Eye Health Camp

An Eye Health Camp was co-hosted at True Vision Eye Hospital, Bhuleshwar, providing check-ups and care to 112 beneficiaries.

Co-host: RC Bombay Hill South

Attendance: 6

Project Cost: 70,000

Blood Donation Drive

The club supported a Blood Donation Drive at Apar Industries Ltd., Navi Mumbai, resulting in 126 units of blood collected.

Attendance: 6

Happy Street Initiative

The club participated in the Happy Street event at Thakur Complex, Kandivali, engaging over 200 attendees in community recreation and wellness activities.

Rotarian Attendance: 5

ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI GREENS

RSW: Touching lives

As part of the Rotary Service Week, the Rotary Club of Mumbai Greens, in association with Tata Memorial Hospital, successfully organized a Blood Donation Drive on 4th November, 2025, at EFC Business Center, Airoli. 93 bottles of blood were collected, and this initiative helped replenish critical blood bank reserves at Tata Memorial Hospital and served as a platform to promote awareness about the

importance of regular blood donation. The impact of the project was worth Rs. 95,000/-.

The drive witnessed enthusiastic participation from members, volunteers, and corporate employees, showcasing a strong spirit of community service. The medical team from Tata Memorial Hospital ensured a smooth and safe donation experience for every donor. Awareness sessions were also

conducted to educate attendees about the ongoing need for blood and how each contribution saves lives.

The event further strengthened the club's commitment to health-centric initiatives and inspired many first-time donors to pledge continued support. Overall, the project proved to be a meaningful step toward fostering a healthier and more compassionate society.





ROTARY CLUB OF BOMBAY BAYVIEW



Bayview's Meaningful Week of Service



President: Rtn. Sonali Shah
Secretary: Rtn. Rakhee Mehta
 During Rotary Service Week, the Rotary Club of Bombay Bayview led impactful initiatives across health, safety awareness, and senior outreach, extending meaningful support to communities across the city.
Lead Host Projects
Blood Donation Drive
 A Blood Donation Drive was conducted at

Bandra West Station, supporting critical healthcare needs. The initiative benefitted 26 recipients, with 7 Rotarians in attendance.
Co-hosts: RC Bombay Midcity, RC Bombay Seaface, RC Mumbai Island City
Project Cost: 26,000
Cyber Crime Awareness Workshops
 Cyber Crime Awareness sessions were organised at Michael High School, Kurla, and Little Flower of Jesus High School, Chira Bazar.

The workshops educated 600 students on digital safety and responsible online behaviour. 5 Rotarians participated in the sessions.
Co-host: RC Bombay Seaface
Project Cost: 6,000
Old Age Home Visit
 A senior outreach programme was held at Maru Ghar Old Age Home, engaging 103 beneficiaries through care, interaction, and support activities. The project saw the participation of

6 Rotarians.
Co-host: RC Bombay Seaface
Project Cost: 5,500
Vocational Awards
 RCBB recommended Shri Hamraj Bhumeshwari Ramesh Joshi, was chosen for the award in recognition of his 27 years of dedicated service towards the rehabilitation of the needy and homeless, especially street dwellers and unclaimed individuals.

ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI DOWNTOWN SEALAND

Transforming Communities



Rotary Club of Mumbai Downtown Sealand
President: Rtn. Chandraprabha Khona
Chairman: Rtn. Dr. Bimal Malhotra
 Rotary Service Week saw the Rotary Club of Mumbai Downtown Sealand execute a series of impactful initiatives in healthcare, digital safety, senior welfare, and community recognition. Each project demonstrated the club's commitment to meaningful and compassionate service.
Projects
Eye Care Camp
 An Eye Care Camp was conducted at the Utility Centre, Cuffe Parade, providing screenings and support to 87 beneficiaries. The initiative

saw the participation of 6 Rotarians and was co-hosted with RC Bombay Central and RC Bombay North.
Project Cost: 9,070
Cybercrime Awareness Programme
 Cybercrime Awareness sessions were organised at Wilson College, Wilson School, and St. Joseph School, educating 530 beneficiaries on digital safety and responsible online behaviour.
Attendance: 13
Project Cost: 3,600
Blood Donation Drive (2 Camps)
 Blood Donation Drives were held at Sion Hospital and Sea Flama, Dosti Flamingos,

Sewri, generating 102 units of blood.
Attendance: 6
Project Cost: 10,000
Breast & Cervical Cancer Screening
 A cancer screening initiative was conducted at Palsai Village, Wada, benefitting 100 women. The project received coverage in Lokmat newspaper, highlighting its community impact.
Project Cost: 30,787
Senior Citizens Programme
 Senior engagement activities were carried out at Family Welfare Agency centres in Lower Parel and Dharavi, supporting 184 beneficiaries.
Attendance: 12
Project Cost: 20,500

Vocational Awards to Unsung Heroes
 The club served as a Gold Co-Host for the Vocational Awards, contributing 10,000 to honour individuals for their service excellence.
Attendance: 5

Specially Abled Programmes (2 Camps)
 Two programmes for the specially abled were organised at ADAPT Foundation, Colaba, and St. Stephen's School, Prabhadevi, benefitting 120 participants.
Attendance: 5
Project Cost: 65,000

ROTARY CLUB OF BOMBAY NORTH

Empowering Seniors and Specially Abled



Rotary Club of Bombay North
President: Rtn. Kamal Chokshi
Project Head: PP Rukhsana Khan
 During Rotary Service Week, the Rotary Club of Bombay North carried out meaningful community initiatives focused on senior welfare and supporting specially abled children through recreational and creative activities.
Projects

Senior Citizens Programme
 A special outreach programme was organised at Kamgar Nagar, Dharavi-Matunga, attended by over 70 senior citizens, along with their spouses and children. The event featured a lively musical orchestra, followed by a lunch served to all attendees, creating an engaging and memorable day for the participants.
Project Cost: 48,500
Specially Abled Initiatives

1. Picnic for Specially Abled Children – Byculla Zoo
 A recreational outing was arranged at Byculla Zoo (Jijamata Udyan) for more than 75 specially abled students, along with their parents and teachers. The children enjoyed an educational and fun day outdoors, followed by a picnic lunch provided to all participants.
2. Drawing Competition – The Stephen School for the Deaf and Aphasic, Prabhadevi

A Drawing Competition was conducted for 110 students of the school. Winners across categories received trophies and certificates, while all participants were given compass boxes and chikki packets. The activity was supported by 8 Rotaractors who actively contributed to the event's smooth execution.
Total Project Cost: 38,000



RC BOMBAY UPTOWN

Rotary Uptown's Multi-Project Community Impact

The Rotary Club of Bombay Uptown organized a heartwarming recreational program for senior citizens at Manav Seva Sangh on 6th November 2025. The event aimed to bring joy, companionship, and entertainment to the elderly residents of the home. The seniors actively participated—clapping, singing along, and even dancing—creating a truly joyous environment.

In addition, snacks were distributed to the 50 beneficiaries, adding a touch of warmth and care to the evening. The smiles and happiness on their faces were truly priceless, making the



effort worthwhile. Cost 11000
7 Club members and
Presidents from RC Deonar
Alka Murli and Chembur West
Yogita Shende attended the



event
Sports Competition for
Specially Abled Children was
organised at Central Railway
Officers Club, Matunga ,in

collaboration with Phoenix
Sports, an organization that
has been training special
children in sports for the past
19 years.

Over 100 spirited participants,
accompanied by 100 parents
and teachers, showcased their
talent and determination in
events like Carrom, Lemon

and Spoon Race, Potato Race,
Musical Chair, and more—each
game radiating smiles and pure
happiness.

This event was not just a
competition but a celebration
of courage, positivity, and the
indomitable spirit of these
amazing children—a project
that will remain etched in our
hearts forever. Cost of the
project 85000. Attended by 9
Club members.

Rotary Club of Bombay Uptown
also Co-hosted Blood donation
camp at Swami Vivekananda
College in Chembur, organized
by Rotary Club of Chembur
(Mumbai) and the Eye Check-
up camp at Parel, organized by
Rotary Club of Chembur West.

ROTARY CLUB OF BOMBAY FILM CITY

A Powerful week of Service



Rotary Club Impact Highlights

President: Dr. Jayshree Parikh
Secretary: Dr. Swapna Deniz
The club carried out meaningful community service activities across health, safety, and inclusion.

Eye Camp at MIDC, Andheri
An eye check-up camp was organised for drivers, maids, and support staff, benefiting 130 individuals. Four beneficiaries were detected with cataract, and 53 were provided spectacles.



Cyber Crime Awareness at Versova Welfare School
In collaboration with Versova, a cyber safety session was conducted featuring valuable insights by Ms. Suvarna Shinde of the Crime Branch, Mumbai, Inspector Deepshikha, and Mr.

Unmesh. Students learned about digital arrest, online fraud, and essential helpline resources.

Specially Abled – Fun-Filled Recreational Afternoon
A joyful session was organised for the children and parents



of Gharkul School, Santacruz East. Major Dr. Jyoti Khambatta, along with NCC students from Smt. M.M. P. Shah College and Universal School, hosted engaging games and activities. Specially abled performers added delight with dance

and karaoke, creating a lively atmosphere for all attendees.

Total Project Cost: 65,000
Club Members Participated: 12

ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI WESTEND

Rotary Westend Community Impact Highlights

President Himanshu Ruia

Eye Care Camp was held at Two Locations viz: Versova & MHADA, Andheri West in collaboration with: RCM Horizon & RCM Versova where RCM Westend was Co-host. 286 individuals were screened at Versova and 273 individuals screened at MHADA and 325 reading glasses distributed. Cost to Club Rs 10000.

Cyber Crime Awareness Session was held at Versova Welfare School where RCM Westend were Co-host. More than 80 participants attended the session and Cost to Club was Rs 5000.

Blood Donation Drive was held at Parle Tilak Vidyalaya where RCM Versova was lead Host and RCM Westend were Co-host. 83 blood units collected and Cost to Club was Rs 10000.

Breast Cancer Screening Camp was held at Bagarka College, J.B. Nagar Lead Host was RCM NorthEnd and RCM



Westend were Co-hosts.
86 women were screened and cost to Club was Rs 10000.
Senior Citizens Day Celebration was at Kishangopal Vanprasth Ashram, Gorai where RCM Westend were Lead Host. Entertainment program followed by lunch was



organised for 120 senior residents. Cost to club was Rs 15000.
Specially Abled
RCM Westend was Lead host and donated 15 beds to Smt. Kumudben Dwarkadas Vora Home for Blind Girls at Lallubhai Park

Cost - Rs 75000
They also partnered with RCM Neo as co-host for the Trek & Historical Walk at Ghodbunder Fort and Vasai Fort
120 specially-abled people and 43 volunteers participated and Cost to club Rs 10000



RC JUHU BEACH

Empowering Lives Through Service

President Bhavna Pandya

Eye Check-up Camp was organized at K.D.N. Shruti School, Vile Parle (West). A total of 40 beneficiaries availed eye screening services during the camp. The initiative aimed to promote eye health and early detection of vision-related issues among the participants.

Two successful blood donation camps were organized on 4th November.

The first camp was held at Celebration Club in collaboration with the Rotary Club of Bravehearts, where a total of 11 units of blood were collected.

The second camp took place at Sardar Patel Institute of Technology in association with the Rotary Club of Mumbai Juhu, achieving an impressive

collection of 107 units of blood.

Gifts to donors was sponsored by PP Smita Shah.

Medical Check-up Camp and Breast Cancer Screening Camp were organized at the Khar Police Station in collaboration with the Rotary Club of Iconic. A total of 51 beneficiaries availed medical check-ups, while 20 women underwent breast cancer screening. The initiative aimed to promote early detection and health awareness among the community, reflecting Rotary's continued commitment to preventive healthcare and community well-being.

A Yoga and Sound Bath Meditation session was organized at St. Anthony's Old Age Home, co-hosted with the



Rotary Club of Mumbai Iconic. The one-hour session, conducted by Mrs. Trusha Goda, was attended by 43 senior citizen ladies. The participants engaged in gentle hand and face muscle exercises accompanied by laughter and joy, creating a cheerful and uplifting

atmosphere. The session concluded with a delicious South Indian dinner, kindly sponsored by a member of Rotary Club of Bombay Juhu Beach. RCBJB proudly organized "Vision Beyond Sight", The Blind Chess Championship, conducted by the Mumbai

Suburban District Chess Association. A total of 42 participants competed in a 15-minute rapid round using the Swiss League format. Impressively, 24 participants were FIDE-rated at the international level. The event began at 8:00 a.m. and concluded by 2:30 p.m., with

breakfast and lunch provided. Registration charges of 300 per participant were refunded, and a total prize fund of 25,000 was distributed. The total cost of the project was Rs 1,31,000.

Rotary Club of Bombay Juhu Beach (RCBJB) organized a special Entertainment Day for the specially-abled children at Manilal Sunderji BMC School, Vile Parle (West).

Our co-hosts, Bravehearts, generously distributed goodie bags to all the children, while the Rotary Club of Seacoast ensured everyone enjoyed delicious food boxes. It was a truly heartwarming morning – a celebration of love, inclusion, and happiness – as the children cheered, danced, and savoured every moment.

RCM ELEGANT

7 Days of Service : Endless Impact

RCM Elegant Co-hosted the Eye Check camp at Rotary Service Centre with Lead Club Rotary Mumbai West. Total number of beneficiaries were 37.

Educating India to safeguard against loss of Identity, Money and fraud through training and coaching at the Cybercrime awareness session for 100 beneficiaries. RCM Elegant was Co-host at Purushottam School, Bandra East with Lead Club Rotary Club of Mumbai Bravehearts

RCM Elegant was Co-host at Celebration Club, Lokhandwala, Andheri(W)



with Lead Club Rotary Club of Mumbai Bravehearts for the blood donation drive where 15 people donated blood.

RCM Elegant also Co-hosted the Breast Cancer Screening

camp at Khar Police Station, Khar with Lead Club Rotary Club of Mumbai Iconic. There were 30 beneficiaries

RCM Elegant was Lead Club at Jivan Asha, Veera Desai Rd,

Andheri(W) with Co-Host Club Rotary Club of Mumbai Iconic, Braveheart, and Mumbai West for the Senior Citizens Day for 60 beneficiaries. Elegant was also co host for the senior

citizens program at Rotary Service Centre. RCM Elegant co-hosted the Vocational Awards event at Y B Chavan Auditorium.

RCM Elegant was Lead Club

at Blossom Disability Centre, People Education Society, Dadar where an entertainment program was organised for 45 beneficiaries.

ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI NEO

Community Impact Summary



President: Rtn. Anand Bhadkamkar

During Rotary Service Week, the Rotary Club of Mumbai Neo successfully executed several impactful community service initiatives across health, safety, and social welfare.

1. Cyber Crime Awareness Sessions

Two impactful cyber-safety sessions were conducted to educate citizens on online threats and safety measures.

a) Vasant Galaxy, Goregaon Attendees: 80 community members + 10 Rotarians attended

the event.

Speakers included Senior SI Rajendra Awaad (Bangur Nagar Police Station – Cybercrime Team)
b) Kala Gurjari, Vile Parle: 70 community members + 4 Rotarians attended the event. Speakers included PSI Anurag Dixit (Cybercrime Dept., Juhu Police Station)
2. Eye Check-up & Spectacle Distribution – AFX Sion
Post eye-screening, spectacles were distributed to 8 children.
Attendance: 4 Rotarians.

3. Blood Donation Drive – Andheri Metro Station

Co-hosted with RCM Andheri where Cost to Club was 5,000

President Rtn. Anand Bhadkamkar donated blood and 4 Rotarians attended the camp

4. Breast & Cervical Cancer Screening Camp

Co-hosted with RCM West Coast at Dutt Maternity Home by 4 Rotarians and 61 women benefitted from the camp.

5. Vocational Awards – Y. B. Chavan

Co-hosted by RCM Neo Rs 5000/. 6 members from the Club attended the event. Out of 2

nominations from RCM Neo, Mrs. Mumtaz received the prestigious Vocational Award from DG Dr Manish Motwani.

6. Trek for the Disabled – Godhbunder & Vasai Forts

RCM Neo served as Lead Host for this trek for the specially abled. 163 trekkers in 4 buses joined the T-shirts were provided to all the trekkers. The Project Cost was 2,40,000.

5 members volunteered on the trek and 10 were present for the flag-off at Dewan Centre, Jogeshwari. Event graced by District Dignitaries and members of co-hosting clubs.



ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI HORIZONS

Leads Blood & Eye Care Initiatives



Rotary Club of Mumbai Horizons

President Rtn. Sunil Bhandari
Lead Club
As part of the Rotary Service Week, the Rotary Club of Mumbai Horizons, in association with the

Rotary Club of Mumbai North End, successfully organized a Blood Donation Drive on 4th November 2025 with Tata Memorial Hospital as the Blood Bank Partner. The drive witnessed enthusiastic participation from Rotarians

and community members alike, resulting in 32 units of blood collected. A special appreciation goes out to the Rotarians who stepped forward to donate blood for the very first time – your spirit of service truly embodies Rotary's

ideals. The Rotary Club of Mumbai Horizons, together with the Rotary Clubs of Mumbai Versova, Mumbai West End, and JVPD Mumbai, held an Eye Care initiative across two locations – Sinya Mahadev

Temple, Versova, and Ambedkar Ground, MHADA, 4 Bungalows. This joint effort provided eye check-ups and free spectacles to those in need, serving 286 individuals at Versova and 273 individuals at MHADA



ROTARY CLUB OF BOMBAY HARBOUR

Service in Action



Rotary Club of Bombay Harbour
President: Rtn. Jaipal Shah
Secretary: Rtn. Srigopal Pachisia
Rotary Service Week was marked by extensive outreach by the Rotary Club of Bombay Harbour through large-scale healthcare initiatives, cybercrime education, blood donation, senior citizen welfare, and recognition of community heroes. The club's projects were impactful, well-organised, and reached

diverse sections of society.
Projects
1. Eye Care Camps
Two Eye Care Camps were conducted on 2 November 2025, benefitting over 565 individuals across locations. Camp 1 – Ratan Tata Housing Colony, Gandhi Nagar, Lower Parel
Beneficiaries: 500+
Attendance: 5
Project Cost: 58,175
Camp 2 – YMCA Protector Branch, Agripada
Beneficiaries: 65+



Attendance: 4
Project Cost: 24,805
2. Cyber Crime Awareness Sessions
Cybercrime awareness sessions were organised to educate youth and professionals on digital safety. Session 1 – EPITOME, Mathuradas Mill Compound, Lower Parel
Beneficiaries: Many
Attendance: 2
Session 2 – Wilson College, Chowpatty
Beneficiaries: 200+ students



Attendance: 3
3. Blood Donation Drive
A Blood Donation Drive was held at Sea Flama, Dosti Flamingos, Sewri, yielding 30+ units of blood.
Attendance: 3
4. Breast & Cervical Cancer Screening Camp
A day-long screening camp was held at Phadke Shree Ganapati Mandir, V.P. Road, offering preventive care services to many



beneficiaries.
Attendance: 3
5. Senior Citizens Outreach
Senior outreach programmes were conducted across three centres, collectively benefitting 103+ residents.
Total Project Cost: 1,17,000
Attendance: 5
Locations:
J.J. Dharamshala, Mumbai Central – 1
Shepherds Home, Clare Road King George Infirmary, Worli
6. Vocational Awards – Unsung Heroes
Attendance: 3

The club supported the Vocational Excellence Awards at Y.B. Chavan Auditorium, recognising outstanding contributors to society.
Project Cost: 8,00,000
Beneficiaries: Many
Attendance: 2
7. Specially Abled Programme
A support initiative was carried out at The Stephen High School for the Deaf & Aphasic, providing assistance and engagement for specially abled students.
Attendance: 3

ROTARY LOKHANDWALA KANDIVALI

A week of Purpose



President: Rtn. Sharbani Banerjee
Secretary: Rtn. Nitin Jain

Rotary Service Week was marked by dedicated on-ground initiatives by the Rotary Club of Lokhandwala Kandivali, focusing on community health, digital safety, and blood donation. The club's efforts showcased teamwork, planning, and meaningful impact across multiple



localities.
Projects
1. Eye Check-up Camp
A community eye screening camp was conducted to provide preventive eye care and timely diagnosis.
Venue: Aarey Colony
Beneficiaries: 115
Attendance: 10



Project Cost: 10,000
2. Cybercrime Awareness Sessions
Awareness sessions were organised to educate students on safe online behaviour and cybercrime prevention.
Session Venues:
Annadutt Vidyalaya, Lokhandwala Kandivali (E) Pioneer School, Akurli Road, Kandivali (E)
Total Beneficiaries: 416

Attendance: 14
Project Cost: 15,000
3. Blood Donation Drive (Co-hosted)
A blood donation camp was organised to support urgent blood bank requirements.
Venue: Thakur Village (near Fire Brigade)
Beneficiaries: 25
Attendance: 15
Project Cost: 15,000



RCM NORTH ISLAND

Donate Blood, Support Eye Care

Club President: Rtn. Narendra Panani
Club Secretary: Rtn. Rakesh Kamdar

RCM North Island co-hosted the Blood donation camp at Parleshwar College, Vile Parle East
Cost of The Project: 5,000. There were 83 donors and 4 members attended the camp.

RCM North Island co-hosted the Breast & Cervical Screening at MIDC, Marol, Andheri East

Cost of The Project: 45,000. 123 beneficiaries took advantage of the camp and 8 members from the club attended.

RCM North Island co-hosted Cybercrime Awareness at 2 locations. Goklibai School, Andheri West had 50 attendees along with 5 members and cost of the project was 2,500



The Cybercrime Awareness at VidyaNidhi School, Juhu for 100 beneficiaries attended by Rotarians costed 2,500
Eye check-up camp was held at 2 locations. The camp at Oshiwara costed 40,000 had 125 beneficiaries and 14 members attended. The camp at Model Town,

Andheri costed 20,000. Number of beneficiaries were 160 and 8 Rotarians attended.
For Specially abled participated as Co Host with RCM Neo for the Trek for Disabled. Cost of Project was 10,000. There were 13 beneficiaries and one member attended the flag off at Dewan Centre.



Senior Citizens entertainment program for 52 beneficiaries was held at Mewada Rajashram, Bhayander. Cost Of the Project was 1,00,000 and 10 Rotarians attended.)
RCM North Island also co-hosted the event at Rotary Service Centre, Juhu where 1220 senior citizens attended.

The cost of the project was 10000 and 10 members from the club attended the event.
RCM North Island co-hosted the Vocational Awards at Y B Chavan, Nariman Point @ 10,000. There were 2 nominees from the Club and one of them was awarded. 3 members from the Club attended the event.

ROTARY CLUB OF BOMBAY AIRPORT (RCBA)

On November 6th, the Rotary Club of Bombay Airport (RCBA) hosted a delightful program dedicated to senior citizens group of Lokmanya Tilak Seva Sangh at Nadkarni Hall, Vile Parle.

The highlight of the evening was a captivating musical performance where senior citizens showcased their talent by singing popular Marathi and Hindi songs centred around the theme, "Chand" (Moon). The musical treat was followed by delicious snacks and masala milk, providing a perfect end to the entertainment which had 100 attendees.

8 members attended the event apart from Co Host Presidents Shaila Rege (RC of Mumbai Mahim) and President



Ketan Mehta (RC of Mumbai Khar) Total Cost of project: Rs 15000.
Also, RCB Airport co-hosted the senior citizens program at Rotary Service centre costing Rs 2500.
RCB Airport co-hosted Eye Check-up Camp on November 2, 2025 at Lotus Eye Hospital, Juhu

Where compassion Becomes Actions



No of beneficiaries were 328. Total cost was Rs 7000 and 8 members from the club attended the event.
RCB Airport also co-hosted Cybercrime Awareness session which was attended by 2 club members.
1. Matunga Premier School. 70 students along with four teachers and principal

attended the session. Chief Guest PSI Shri Amol Patil, Sion Police Station explained to the students in a simple way how to avoid frauds and not to fall prey to paid online games and operation of accounts.
2. Second session at ICT College - Total Attendance 175. Gautam Mengle an expert of Cyber frauds and PSI Amol Patil explained the students of how frauds can be avoided and made the session very informative.

RCB Airport co-hosted the Breast & cervical cancer screening camp at Laxmi Narayan Baug, Mahim. There were 67 beneficiaries. @ members from the club attended the camp and total cost of Rs 27000 was shared by cohosts.

RCB Airport co-hosted a magic show and entertainment program for the especially abled at Lokmanya Tilak Seva Sangh, Vile Parle. The gathering was attended by 80 wonderful children from various institutions, including those for Down syndrome, the deaf and mute, the visually impaired, and other specially challenged students. One member from the club attended the event and total cost was Rs 23000.

ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI WESTERN ELITE

President: Rtn. Vishal Jasrapuria
Secretary: Rtn. Anurag Bansal

Rotary Service Week was marked by extensive community outreach led by the Rotary Club of Mumbai Western Elite, serving as the Lead Host for all initiatives. The week featured large-scale medical support, digital safety awareness, blood donation, senior citizen engagement, and activities for specially abled individuals. The projects were impactful, collaborative, and reached diverse beneficiary groups across the city.

Projects

1. Eye Check-up & Mega Medical Camp

A comprehensive medical camp offering eye screening and multiple health services.

Venue: Shree Shyamji Bapu Mandir Trust Hall, Opp. Oberoi Mall, Malad East
Co-hosts: Rotary Club of Mumbai Rising Star, Rotary Club of Mumbai Inspire, Rotary Club of Mumbai Marvels, Rotaract Club of Mumbai Western Elite, Interact Club of Mumbai Western Elite

Beneficiaries: 792
Members Attended: 75



Project Cost: 4,00,000

2. Cyber Crime Awareness Sessions

Awareness sessions conducted to educate participants on online safety, cyber frauds, and preventive digital behaviour.

Co-hosts: Rotary Club of Mumbai Rising Star, Rotary Club of Mumbai Marvels, Rotaract Club of Mumbai Western Elite, Interact Club of Mumbai Western Elite

Beneficiaries: 125

Members Attended: 10

Project Cost: 10,000

3. Blood Donation Drive

A high-impact donation initiative encouraging voluntary contribution to support blood banks.



Co-hosts: Rotary Club of Mumbai Rising Star, Rotaract Club of Mumbai Western Elite, Interact Club of Mumbai Western Elite

Beneficiaries (Units Collected): 136

Members Attended: 30

Project Cost: 25,000

4. Senior Citizens Outreach

A special engagement programme aimed at supporting and uplifting senior citizens through art.

Co-hosts: Rotary Club of Mumbai Rising Star, Rotary Club of Mumbai Inspire, Rotaract Club of Mumbai Western Elite, Interact Club of Mumbai Western Elite



Mumbai Western Elite
Beneficiaries: 90

Members Attended: 25

Project Cost: 20,000

5. Specially Abled Support Initiative

An inclusive outreach event dedicated to assisting specially abled individuals.

Venue: Lakschandi Heights, Goregaon East
Co-hosts: Rotary Club of Mumbai Rising Star, Rotaract Club of Mumbai Western Elite, Interact Club of Mumbai Western Elite

Beneficiaries: 20

Members Attended: 10

Project Cost: 20,000



ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI MULUND SOUTH

Spreading Smiles Through Service



Under the able guidance of DG Dr. Manish Motwani, Avenue Chair Dr. Saumya Agarwal, Rotary Club of Mumbai Mulund South under the leadership of President Sapnesh Neema and First lady Trapti Neema

Organized a talk on for the Aanganwadi ladies. About 100

Anganwadi Women participated. They were explained During pregnancy, a healthy lifestyle requires a balanced diet, specific vitamin supplementation, regular, moderate exercise, and strict avoidance of certain foods, substances, and environmental hazards. Now this Anganwadi Mahila's will

explain this to all the women in their areas and schools.

Project faculty was Veteran PP. Dr. Aparna Padganwkar from Rotary Club of Mumbai Mulund South.

Project was undertaken by Club's Medical Team
Dr. Aparna padganwkar.

Dr. Sameer Sadavrate .

Dr. Gurneet.

Ably supported by Zonal Co Ordinator Central Zone for project WIDE Rtn Jagruti Parekh and Ekatamic Bal Vikas Prakalp Mulund Nagri, Bal Vikas Prakalp Adhikari Shriyut

Praveen Bhavsar, Head of Children of Anganwadi Varsha Sherkar And Swapnali ma'am, Aanganwadi sevika Sunita Rande madam and members of the club who attended the project Rtn. Ranjana, Rtn. Jisa, Rtn Jagruti.

ROTARY CLUB OF PALGHAR

President: Sanjay Mahajan
Secretary: Manish Pimpale

Project 1: EYE CARE –(Eye Checkup Camp)- (5 camps)

Venue – Edwan, Kelve, Jalsar , Mahim, Vadrai – Palghar

Cost of the Project : 50000/-

Number of Beneficiaries: 306 (Total)

Attendance : 36

Project 2: Cyber Crime and Cyber Safety Awareness Program

Venue: M L Dhawale Hospital Palghar

Attendance: 27

Number of Beneficiaries: 135

Project Cast : 20000

Project 3: Blood Donation Drive (2 Camps)

Venue – 1 Palghar MIDC 2 Fredun

Pharmaceutical Limited Vevoor -Palghar

Project Cast : 50000

Attendance: 45

Number of Beneficiaries: 350

RC Palghar: Key Community Projects



Project 4: Cancer Screening Camps
Breast Cancer Screening and cervical Cancer Screening (4 Camps)
Venues: Fredun Pharmaceutical Limited Vevoor -Palghar
Project Cast : 98960
Attendance: 45
Number of Beneficiaries: Breast Cancer Screening 133 and cervical Cancer Screening 92
Project 5: Senior Citizen Sports

Venue: Anand Vrudhhaashram Satpati -Palghar
Number of Beneficiaries: 63
Attendance: 25
Project Cast : 25000
Project 6 : Vocational Award for Unsung Hero
Venue -Y.B.Chavan Auditorium ,Nariman Point
Co Host -Rotary Club of Palghar
No of Beneficiaries – 25
Attendance – 5
Project cast - 5000

Project 7 : Specially Abled – Jaipur Foot
Venue – Vitthal Mandir Hall
No of Beneficiaries – 57
Attendance – 25
Project Cast – 475000
Project 8 : Happy Street
Venue – Aryan Highschool Road
No of Beneficiaries – 250
Attendance – 54
Project Cast -40000

RC MUMBAI ROYALES

RC Mumbai Royales, in association with AWMH Maharashtra, successfully organised a large-scale Table Tennis Tournament for differently abled children from special schools across Maharashtra. Supported by the Goregaon Sports Club, Malad West, the event created a vibrant platform of talent, confidence, and inclusion. Held on 8th November 2025, the tournament saw over 475 enthusiastic students participate, cheered on by more than 60 Rotarians from our Club, the host club, and the district. The project was coordinated by Rtn. Shashi Chhachhia, Secretary of RC Mumbai Royales, whose dedicated efforts ensured smooth execution. RC M Divas joined as co-host during RSW Week, adding to the spirit of service.



The event was graced by District Dignitaries including Group Avenue Head, AC Rajendra Unnikrishnan, PH Kala Sridhar, Rtn. Bhavin Toprani, and other esteemed Rotarians, whose presence

encouraged both participants and volunteers. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the GSC Management and Mr. O. P. K. Joshua, Promoter Member of GSC, for their unwavering support.



Special thanks to President Deepika Sarda for her leadership and to Rtn. Chandramohan Dawar for mentoring this meaningful and impactful project. This tournament stands as a proud

moment for RC Mumbai Royales—a celebration of ability, opportunity, and Rotary's spirit of service. A day where courage outshone challenges and every child emerged a true champion.



RC SKYCITY BORIVALI

President : Jiten Mehta
Secretary : Sameer Chaudhary

Rotary Service Week was celebrated with well planned social-outreach activities with strong involvement of all members. RSW projects helped hundreds of beneficiaries and reaffirmed our commitment of selfless service and compassion towards the underprivileged.

Lead Club - Project 1 : Eye Checkup Camp at Visicare Eyecare and Surgery, Kandivali East
The week began with a well-organized Eye Checkup Camp where more than 75 beneficiaries were checked and recommended corrective actions. Rotary Clubs of Skycity, Borivali and RCM 101 members participated in this service initiative.
Cost of Project : 5000



Lead Club - Project 2 : Blood Donation Camps at Aurea Cafe, Kandivali and Oberoi Skycity Clubhouse

Successful blood donation drives conducted at these 2 venues led to collection of 110 bottles with enthusiastic community participation
Cost of Project : 18000

Lead Club - Project 3 : Breast and Cancer



Screening Camp conducted at Rotary Medical Center, Dahisar

Camp was conducted with strong outreach to women, leading to 168 beneficiaries getting proactively screened and with follow-up support. The project saw enthusiastic participation from members of Rotary Clubs of Skycity, Borivali, RCM 101
Cost of Project : 18000



Project 4 : Senior Citizen Meet and Gala at Oberoi Skycity, Borivali

A dedicated gala session with music, games and poetry helped us deliver an unforgettable evening of fun and entertainment for 110 senior citizens, which made them feel respected and loved.

Cost of Project : 12000

RC BOMBAY KANDIVALI

RSW Chairperson: Rtn. Krishna Chaturvedi
President: Rtn. Prashaant Mishra
Secretary: Rtn. Anubha Goyal

1. Eye Check-Up Camps (Lead Host – RCBK)
Project Chair: Rtn. Dr. Neeta Dodwad

Three Eye Check-Up Camps were conducted across Thakur Village, Kandivali at: Mumbai Public School, Janu Pada Samta Vidya Mandir, Samta Nagar Gyantara High School, Hanuman Nagar

Services Provided: Routine refraction, colour vision test, eye pressure test, retina test, fundus photography, perimetry for glaucoma, cataract screening, diabetic retinopathy screening, and glaucoma screening. Near-vision glasses and eye drops were distributed, with counselling for eye health.

Beneficiaries: 334

Cataract Detected: 33

Near Vision Glasses Distributed: 89

Further Referrals: 23 (Retina + OCT)

All medical expenses were supported by GuruNeet Welfare Foundation.

Co-host: Rotary Club of Marine Drive (President: Rtn. Ramesh Chandra)

2. Cyber Crime Awareness Program (Lead Host – RCBK)

Project Chair: Rtn. Vijay Vyas

A Cyber Crime Awareness session was held at the LM Patel Rotary Centre, Malad, with a special focus on educating senior citizens about



digital frauds and safety.

Co-host Clubs: RC of Bombay North West Malad, RC of Mumbai West Coast, RC of Mumbai Elegant Plus

Beneficiaries: ~125 senior citizens

3. Blood Donation Camp (Co-Host – RCBK)

Project Chair: Rtn. Prakash Gupta

RCBK co-hosted the Blood Donation Camp with RC of Mumbai Andheri and Inner Wheel Club of Mumbai Andheri at Andheri Metro Station.

Blood Donors: 78

4. Breast & Cervical Cancer Screening Camp (Co-Host – RCBK)

Project Chair: Rtn. Dr. Dimple Sinha

RCBK partnered as co-host with a contribution of 10,000, supporting the RC of Bombay North West Malad at LM Patel Rotary Eye Hospital, Malad on 5 November.

Women Screened: 150

The initiative extended critical preventive healthcare services to underprivileged women.



5. Senior Citizens Outreach – Anandvan Wellness Old Age Home, Vasai (Co-Host – RCBK)

Project Chair: PP Rtn. Jyoti Gandhi

RCBK co-hosted this joyful engagement programme with a contribution of 10,000, organising music, dance, art activities, balloons, hand painting, and a magic show for residents.

Beneficiaries: ~50 senior citizens

The event brought warmth and companionship to elderly residents.

6. Support for Specially Abled Children – Suryoday RBL School, Vasai (Co-Host – RCBK)

Project Chair: PP Rtn. Jyoti Gandhi

Co-hosted with RC Mumbai Inspire, with a contribution of 10,000.

Beneficiaries: 107 children

Members visited therapy and activity rooms, interacted with students, and purchased items worth 800 to support livelihood initiatives.

Students presented dance performances, reinforcing an atmosphere of inclusion and joy.

7. Happy Street 2025 – Lead Host (RCBK)

Project Chair: Rtn. Anubha Goyal

Date: 9 November 2025

Venue: Thakur Village, Kandivali East

RCBK led one of the most vibrant public events of the year, transforming Thakur Village into a vehicle-free, fitness-and-fun community zone.

Participation: 5,000+ community members

The morning began with Dhol-Tasha, Trumpet, and Lazim performances to welcome the Rotary International President, the District Governor, dignitaries, and Presidents of co-host clubs. Rotaractors and Interactors ensured smooth coordination across zones.

Co-host Clubs:

RC North West Malad (Gold Co-host), RC Mumbai Western Elite, RC Bombay Film City, RC Mumbai West Coast, RC Mumbai Marvel, RC Virar, RC Mumbai Horizons, RC Mumbai Inspire, RC Skycity Borivali, RC Mumbai 101, RC Mumbai Andheri

Patron Partner Clubs:

RC Mumbai Dahisar, RC of Borivali, RC of Mumbai Goregaon West, RC of Borivali Wonders, RC Mumbai National Park, RC of Mira Road

Happy Street 2025 celebrated the essence of Rotary—service, fellowship, fitness, and joy—and stood out as a landmark community initiative led by RCBK.

ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI VERSOVA

Seven days of Service & Smiles

President: [Pawan Choudhary

Secretary: Bhakti Sachdeva

Rotary Service Week was a truly heartfelt journey for the Rotary Club of Mumbai Versova. It was a week where service met genuine connection – and where every project touched lives in its own meaningful way.

1. Eye Care Camps

The club served as the Lead Host, conducting Eye Care Camps across two locations and benefitting 559 individuals.

Beneficiaries: 559

Locations: 2

2. Cyber Crime Awareness Sessions

Two Cybercrime Awareness sessions were organised as Lead Host, featuring expert speakers and helping participants understand digital safety and preventive practices.

Participants: 175

Sessions Conducted: 2

3. Blood Donation Drive



A Blood Donation Drive was organised in collaboration with Nanavati Max Hospital, mobilising donors and promoting voluntary blood donation.

Donors: 83

Lead Host: Yes

4. Breast & Cervical Cancer Screening Camp
Preventive screening for breast and cervical cancer was carried out as part of the club's health initiatives.

Screenings Conducted: 86

5. Senior Citizens Outreach



senior citizen engagement programme was conducted as Lead Host, creating an enriching and interactive experience for older adults.

Attendees: 300+

6. Unsung Hero Awards

Members of the club attended and supported the felicitation ceremony honouring individuals who have made exceptional contributions to society.

7. Specially Abled Children Event

The club hosted an uplifting event for specially



abled children, ensuring a joyful and inclusive experience.

Participants: 120

The week was truly enriching – filled with service, learning, and heartfelt connections. Each project held its own significance, with the Specially Abled Children initiative leaving a particularly deep impact on our hearts. The club remains grateful for the opportunity to contribute to such inspiring and transformative service.



ROTARY CLUB OF UPPER KANDIVALI

RCUK Service Milestones

The Rotary Club of Upper Kandivali (RCUK) has always stood for meaningful service, compassion, and impactful community outreach. In the first four months of the Rotary year 2025–26—from 1 July to 13 November 2025—our club undertook 17 diverse service projects, touching hundreds of lives across Mumbai. From blood donation and health outreach to digital education, mental wellness, women's health, and elder care, each project reflects RCUK's commitment to "Service Above Self." This report presents a consolidated narrative of the work done, the partnerships forged, and the lives impacted.

President Rtn. Saurabh N Mehta
Secretary Rtn. Vivek Gaonkar
Project Name: Installation of 32-inch Smart TV at IES Charkop School

A major educational infrastructure project saw the installation of a 32-inch Smart TV, enabling digital and interactive learning. Supported by Tim Hortons (refreshments for 250 students) and sponsored by RCUK donors, this project strengthened the school's smart classroom



capabilities.
Cost of the Project: 30,000
Number of Beneficiaries: 250 students
Number of Attendance: 200 Students+20 teachers
Project Name: Visit to Vartak Old-Age Home,



Kelve Road :A heart-touching outreach programme where RCUK members interacted with elderly residents, listened to their stories, and distributed:
• Towels • Pillows • Blankets
Donations were led by Rtn. Romal. The visit



reinforced Rotary's commitment to elder care and emotional support.
Cost of the Project: 30,000
Number of Beneficiaries: 70 People
Number of Attendance: 80 People

ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI KHAR

Spreading Smiles Through Service

President : KETAN Mehta

We are proud to share that our club successfully hosted and co-hosted a series of heart-touching and impactful events organised under Rotary District 3141 during Rotary Service Week.

Events Hosted by Our Club:

2nd November – Eye Camp
4th November – Blood Donation Camp
5th November – Breast & Cervical Cancer

Screening 6th November – Senior Citizens Day

To add joy and smiles, we also arranged a delightful Magic Show and Charlie Chaplin Comedy for the specially-abled children – an effort that truly filled the day with laughter, love, and encouragement. A heartfelt thank you to our dedicated members and parents whose presence and support made every event truly memorable.



ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI SHER-E-PUNJAB

Driving Meaningful Change Across Communities

President: Rtn. Minishaa I Oberoi
Secretary: Rtn. Jotinder Singh Ahluwalia

1. Eye Care Camp – Lead Host

Venue: Keshav Shruti, Bhayandar
Beneficiaries: 105
Attendance: 6 + 1
Project Cost: 30,250

2. Cyber Crime Awareness Sessions – Lead Host (4 Camps)

Session 1 – GES School, Goregaon West

Beneficiaries: 50

Attendance: 4

Time: 8:00 am – 9:30 am

Session 2 – MET College of Pharmacy

Beneficiaries: 100

Attendance: 4

Time: 11:00 am – 12:30 pm

Session 3 – Dignity Foundation, Jogeshwari East

Beneficiaries: 80

Attendance: 7 + 3 guests

Time: 11:00 am – 12:30 pm

Session 4 – Rangoonwala Foundation, Jogeshwari East



Beneficiaries: 110
Attendance: 5 + 3 guests
Time: 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm

3. Blood Donation Camp – Co-Host with RC Mumbai Lakers

Date: 4 November 2025

Venue: Times Square Building, B-Wing, 6th Floor, Refuge Area

Beneficiaries: 45

Attendance: 6

4. Cervical & Breast Cancer Screening and Awareness

Camp 1 – With RC Chandivali Mumbai

Venue: Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Hospital, Tagore Nagar, Vikhroli East

Beneficiaries: 52 (breast) + 37 (cervical)



Attendance: 2
Time: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm
Camp 2 – With RC Mumbai Lakers

Beneficiaries: 101

Attendance: 3

Time: 9:30 am – 4:00 pm

5. Senior Citizens Day – Lead Host

Date: 6 November 2025

Three Venues:

Venue 1 – Little Sisters of the Poor Home for the Aged, Andheri East

Beneficiaries: 50

Attendance: 5 + 10 Interactors

Time: 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Venue 2 – Dignity Foundation, Jogeshwari East (Co-host: RC Mumbai Kalakars)



Beneficiaries: 100
Attendance: 5 + 10 Rotaractors (JES College – Parivartan)

Time: 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Venue 3 – Balkanji Bari Hall, Ghatkopar

Beneficiaries: 100

Attendance: 4

Time: 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

6. Unsung Hero Awards – Co-Host

Date: 7 November 2025

Attendance: 5

7. Specially Abled Day Celebration – Co-Host with RC Lakers

Date: 8 November 2025

Beneficiaries: 80

Attendance: 4



ROTARY CLUB OF BOMBAY METROPOLITAN

Rotary's Week of Healing, Honour & Happiness

President: Rtn. Ketki Niser
Rotary Service Week (2nd–8th November) was marked by meaningful community outreach by the Rotary Club of Mumbai through healthcare initiatives, cancer screening, recognition of vocational excellence, and a cultural celebration for specially abled children. Each project was impactful, well-organised, and contributed to strengthening Rotary's commitment to service.

1. Eye Care Camp

Date: 2 November

Time: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Venues: Panchratna CHS Ltd., Opera House

Jayant Riddhi CHS, Girgaon

Tulsiwadi Garden

Host: Co-host

Beneficiaries: 118

A free eye check-up camp, including cataract screening, was conducted across three locations. President Rtn. Ketki Niser contributed significantly by arranging the venues, banners, and overall logistics.



2. Breast & Cervical Cancer Screening Camp

Date: 5 November

Time: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Venue: Ganpati Phadke Mandir, Sikka Nagar

Host: Co-host

Beneficiaries: 75 women

A free screening camp offering breast and cervical cancer detection services was organised as part of Rotary Service Week, providing crucial preventive healthcare to



women in the community.

3. Vocational Excellence Awards

Date: 7 November

Time: 5:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Venue: Y.B. Chavan Auditorium

Host: Diamond Co-host

An inspiring initiative under Rotary Service Week to honour individuals excelling in their fields. The club nominated Ms. Lata Nayak of Rotary Sanskardham School for her exceptional

dedication to deaf, mute, and specially abled children.

4. Smiles & Sunshine – Specially Abled Cultural Morning

Date: 8 November

Time: 10:30 am – 1:00 pm

Venue: Nehru Science Centre, Worli

Host: Lead Club (with three partnering clubs)

Beneficiaries: 250

A vibrant and heart-warming cultural morning bringing together children with diverse abilities to showcase their talent through music and dance. Participating schools and organisations included:

Kamla Mehta School for the Blind

Society for the Education of the Challenged

Society for the Vocational Rehabilitation of the Retarded

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Rotary Sanskardham School

The event celebrated inclusion, creativity, and the indomitable spirit of the children.

RC MUMBAI SOBO

Community Impact Projects at a Glance



President: Rtn. Sargam Thakkar

Secretary: Niharika Malik

In a continued commitment to community welfare, the club successfully executed impactful initiatives spanning health, digital literacy, disability support, and eye care. Each project reflects the team's dedication to service and collaboration with key district dignitaries and partners. Together, these initiatives not



only strengthened the club's bond with the community but also highlighted its focus on inclusivity and grassroots impact. With strong leadership and active member participation, each project became a testament to Rotary's spirit of "Service Above Self."

Project 1: Cancer Screening Camp
Venue: Phadke Temple Premises
Cost of the Project: Nil – Cohosted
Number of Beneficiaries: 100



Attendance: 2

President: Sargam Thakkar, Rtn.

Rakesh Jhaveri

Project 2: Digital Awareness Camp

Venue: Aryan School, Opera House

Cost of the Project: Nil – Lead Host

Number of Beneficiaries: 180

Attendance: 14 + District Dignitaries – 3

President: Sargam Thakkar, Rtn.
Rakesh Jhaveri, Rtn. Dewang, Rtn.
Swati Adukia, Rtn. Kirti Jesrani, Rtn.



Number of Beneficiaries: 50 plus

Attendance: 3

Rtn. Rakesh Jhaveri, Rtn. Kirti

Jesrani, Rtn. Monica Wadhwan

Project 4: Eye Care Camp

Venue: Panchratna Building, Opera House

Cost of the Project: NIL

Number of Beneficiaries: 100

Attendance: 3

President: Sargam Thakkar, Rtn.
Parag Mehta, Rtn Rakesh Jhaveri

ROTARY CLUB OF MUMBAI KALAKAR

Driving Meaningful Change Across Communities

Rotary Club of Mumbai Kalakar

President: Rtn. Pooja Mehhtaa

Rotary Service Week was marked by a heartwarming celebration of senior citizens by the Rotary Club of Mumbai Kalakar. Through an evening of music, nostalgia, and lively performances, the club created an atmosphere of joy, dignity, and togetherness for elderly community members. The event was vibrant, beautifully curated, and filled with affection and applause, making it a memorable highlight of the week. Senior Citizens Cultural Evening – Lead Host

Name of Event: RSW Senior Citizens

Venue: Balkanji Bari Hall, Ghatkopar

Date: 6 November 2025

A special entertainment programme was organised by senior citizens, for senior citizens, with senior citizens. The Thane-based troupe Snehada Mahila Mandal performed two engaging musical acts – Old Is Gold and Madhubala to Madhuri. The "Old Is Gold" segment was especially cherished, with the youngest performer being 70 years old. Quick costume changes, expressive acting, and spot-on portrayals of yesteryear stars had the 200-strong audience cheering,



clapping, and chanting "Once more!" in unison. Both acts were conceptualised, scripted, and anchored by Alka Wadavkar. **Beneficiaries:** 200



Attendance: Members from both Rotary Club of Mumbai Kalakar and Rotary Club of Mumbai Sher-e-Punjab
Project Cost: 50,000
Lead Club RSW Chair: Rtn. IPP

Haima Deshpande
Cohost Club RSW Chair: Rtn. Kiran Srivastava
The evening beautifully reinforced Rotary's commitment to dignity,

inclusivity, and heartfelt service. It was not just a programme, but a celebration of life, laughter, and the timeless spirit of our senior citizens.

वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम्

The World Is Our Family

OPINION



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वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम् :

The world is one family. This ancient truth is also the heartbeat of Rotary. Service comes first, but behind every act of service lies a deeper force that shapes us: family. Beyond titles, roles, and achievements, it is our families, the ones we live with, learn from, and lean on that ground us and guide our values. Family teaches us to love, to give, to forgive, and ultimately, to serve.

Inspired by this profound motto, Rotary District 3141 dedicated an entire Family Week to meaningful service activities from eye camps to cancer screenings, from supporting old-age homes to celebrating Happy Street, from caring for specially-abled children to uplifting underserved communities.

Rotary Family Week celebrated the spirit of universal family, reminding us that service, compassion, and unity begin at home but extend to all humanity through meaningful acts of kindness.



वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम्

~ महोपनिषद्: अथाय ४, श्लोक ७१.

"संपूर्ण धरती एक परिवार है"

----- GLOBAL FAMILY DAY -----

The entire world as one family.

Every club in the district joined hands wholeheartedly. It wasn't for recognition or ceremony. It was simply an expression of caring for our larger human family.

In Indian philosophy, family holds a sacred place. Our traditions teach that the home is our first temple and the family our first school. From parents we learn compassion and honesty; from elders we

receive humility, patience, and wisdom; and from children we rediscover innocence and hope. Every relationship becomes a lesson, shaping our moral compass.

Our culture never limits family to blood ties. The timeless verse "वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम्" reminds us that our love and responsibility must extend beyond our walls and embrace every living being. This thought ech-

oes beautifully in another ancient prayer:

"सर्वे भवन्तु सुखिनः,
सर्वे सन्तु निरामयाः।
सर्वे भद्राणि पश्यन्तु,
मा कश्चिद दुःखभाग्वेत्॥"

May all be happy, may all be healthy. May all see goodness. May none ever suffer.

This is the purest expression of universal family, a love not limited by relationship, geography, or identity. Rotary brings this prayer to life. Every act of service, every gesture of kindness, every project that uplifts even one person is a living embodiment of this ancient blessing.

When we feed the hungry, educate a child, comfort the elderly, or heal the sick, we are not helping strangers. We are caring for our own extended family, our nation, our communities, our world. When one part of this family suffers, we share the pain; when one part rises, we all rise with it.

If we begin to see our surroundings as our extended home, our choices will change. We will keep our environment clean as lovingly as we maintain our own living room. We will support the less fortunate, because no family member should be left behind. We will stand together during crises, because that is what families do.

Rotary gives us a platform to live this philosophy every day. It widens the circle of our affection from self to society, from society to humanity. Within Rotary, we find a second family bound by purpose, compassion, and shared joy. The friendships formed here

often go far beyond meetings; they evolve into lifelong bonds rooted in trust and warmth.

And yet, behind every Rotarian stands another family: the one at home quietly supporting, encouraging, and sharing their time with the world. Their love gives us the strength to serve. Family Week is a gentle reminder to pause, appreciate them, and express our gratitude.

The beauty of family lies in its quiet resilience. It steadies us in times of doubt, humbles us in moments of success, and holds us when life tests us. It is the foundation on which everything else stands.

As we celebrate Family Week, let us remember that family is not confined by walls or surnames. It is a feeling of oneness, of belonging, of shared humanity. It begins at home, but its embrace is limitless.

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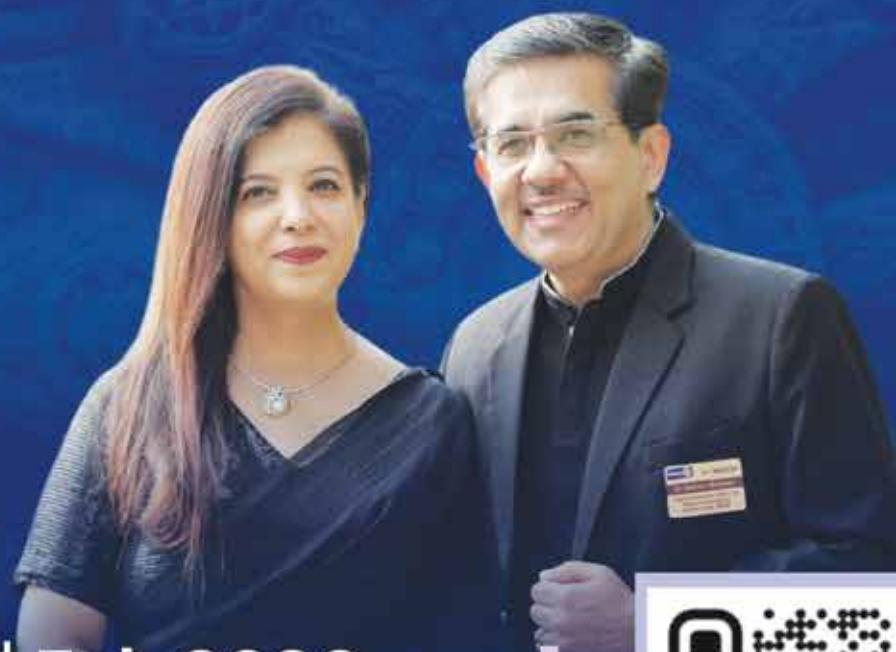


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RVB: District 3141's Mark of Trust — An Urgent Call to Ethical Businesses



Rotarian business leaders proudly receive their Rotary Verified Business (RVB) certifications during the landmark launch ceremony in Mumbai.

Rotary District 3141 has launched a monumental initiative: the Rotary Verified Business (RVB) certification. This program, conceptualized and ideated by District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani, is designed to place Rotary at the forefront of ethical, trusted, and value-driven entrepreneurship.

The Historic Kick-off

The RVB launch was a historic event. On 9th November 2025, Rotary International President Francesco Arezzo personally unveiled the certification in Mumbai. The

first certification was handed over by RI President Francesco Arezzo and District Governor Dr. Manish Motwani. At Hotel Trident, Nariman Point, the first 15 Rotarian-led businesses were honoured on stage.

The Movement Gains Momentum

The momentum has surged quickly:

- * Shortly after the launch, 10 members of RMB Titans were recognized at their social gathering. This recognition was handed over at the hands of District Governor

The Rotary Verified Business certification, unveiled by RI President Francesco Arezzo, empowers ethical Rotarian enterprises with trust and recognition, accelerating credibility, visibility, and professional growth through prestigious district events and widespread promotional support.

Dr. Manish Motwani.

- * RMB Numero Uno is scheduled to receive their certifications on 13th December.

- * Many more Rotarians will be honoured during upcoming OCVs in their home clubs.

Upcoming Grand Awards

The celebrations continue on a grand scale:

- * The next 20 verified businesses will be awarded at the District Wine & Beer Festival on 21st December.
- * Our Commitment to Credibility and Value

RVB is a mark of honour, valid for two years, awarded only after a thorough review. We are committed to taking the RVB certificate to every corner of Mumbai and India. We will implement robust online and off-line promotions to ensure this certification receives widespread recognition. When a Rotarian displays the RVB certificate in their office, it will carry immense credibility and value.

Rotary District 3141 proudly launches the Rotary Verified Business certification, a landmark initiative led by DG Dr. Manish Motwani, promoting ethical, credible, and value-driven entrepreneurship while honouring deserving Rotarian-led businesses across Mumbai.

Apply Today for a Chance at the Spotlight!

To all Inspire Rotarians: If your business upholds integrity, fairness, and service, we strongly encourage you to apply and realize the professional benefits of this recognition.

Apply for the RVB certificate and register for the District Conference (February 7th-8th, 2026, at Hotel Sahara Star)! You could be the lucky ones to receive your certificate directly at the District Conference.

To register for the RVB certificate, please scan the attached QR code and fill the registration form. Our ded-

icated team will get back to you immediately.

For those who wish to understand the process or apply, Connect with the team:

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