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Rotary  District 3070

CONNECT, CREATE HOPE and SERVE.

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Governor's Monthly Letter

TIME TO ACT

RI President Barry Rassin says he learned more about leadership from Rotary than he did pursuing his MBA- or even as President of the hospital he ran for years. "It takes more skill to lead volunteers," he insists, "Its harder than leading employees."

There are other benefits to assuming a leadership position at Rotary. The Organization's leaders gain access to the best of the training that prepares them for their roles. As they ascend the ranks, they also expand their networks to include accomplished professionals from around the community. A new generation of good leaders is essential to Rotary's future.

They help guide the organization, contribute their professional expertise and build goodwill with other leaders while working towards a common goal: helping Rotarians create sustainable, positive change.

With that thing in mind, we all went through a meticulous routine of training ourselves for the last 5 months. From PEM-President Elects Meet, Amritsar to PETS/SETS at Jalandhar, and then to the District Assembly at Dharamshala, the clubs got a chance to gear up

for the challenging year ahead. The District Officers were themselves on the parallel

schedule run from the DTTS-District Training Seminar at Pathankot to AGTS- Assistant Governor Training Seminar at Dharampur, Kasauli Hills and then again to fine tuning sessions at District

Assembly, Dharamshala. Now that most of the clubs have formally installed their teams or are in the process, **it is the time to act.** For us, opportunities and possibilities abound in an around us and we have to exploit these to create Hope in the World. Experimentation and Innovation is the key to higher success. Please do not be afraid of making the mistakes. Mistakes are only part of the solutions which help us to distinguish the right path from the wrong one.

We all have volunteered for our respective assignments in the club or in the District. It is our responsibility now to live up to not only that is expected from us but also from what the scope of the task requires us to perform. Remember that you are the instrument of change which can and will make your place, neighbourhood, community and your little world a better place to live in where hope sustains and life smiles.

My Regards to all. Wishing the very best to all clubs, their members and members of the District Team. Have a wonderful, satisfying and exciting year.



Vipin Bhasin District Governor.



PEM (President Elect Meet) Amritsar

ABHUDHAY, the Presidents Elect Meet (PEM) was organized by Rotary Club of Amritsar on Sunday, February 12, 2023 at ICAI Bhawan, New Amritsar, G.T. Road, Amritsar. Reigning Governor Dr. Dushyant Chaudhary called the PEM to order which was followed by the National Anthem. The program started with invocation and Sh. Vijay Mehak, a lecturer in Music at local BBK DAV COLLEGE For Women, Amritsar recited the famous Shabad "Jiske Sir Upar Tu Swami so Dukh Kaisa Paave" with all religious fervour. After seeking blessings from all mighty, the programme started with welcome address. DGE Vipin Bhasin shared his vision on the coming year under "Our Year ahead". Sharing his vision DGE Vipin Bhasin elaborated on R.I. Theme for the year, "Create Hope in the World". He emphasized that the RI President had designated Rotary Year 2023-24 as a year of Hope because the humanity had suffered a lot in the recent past firstly due to COVID-19, thereafter the Ukraine War and the earthquake in

Turkey. The developed Nations had cut down their aids to the poor to divert funds on Military and Defence. Thus, the injured humanity deserves the hope for better and Rotarians can provide that healing touch.

Sh. Sushil Kansal, a Professional Motivational Speaker from Ambala delivered his motivational speech which was very well accepted and appreciated by the incoming Presidents. The platform was also used for personal interaction between the incoming Presidents and the DGE. More than 120 delegates from Amritsar and outstation attended the PEM with R.I. Officers. Amritsari Breakfast/Refreshment and lunch were served. Gifts were given by the DGE to all participants and their ladies. The program concluded at 4 P.M



Assistant Governor Training Seminar (AGTS)

The Assistant Governor Training Seminar was held at Dharampur, (Himachal Pradesh) on Saturday, Sunday, March 11-12, 2023. This residential training was attended by 39 Assistant Governors and 9 Zonal Chairs besides Distt. Officers and RI Officials. On this occasion, Assistant Governor Training Manual was released and distributed to the AGs. They were acquainted with their duties. Guest speaker PDG Manmohan Singh from RI District 3080 spoke on strategic planning, goal setting and public

image. Suggestions were invited from the delegates to improve District Administration and improved communication. Cocktails and dinner followed in a happy and enjoyable environment. The next day sessions were taken by District Trainer PDG Rtn. Parvinderjit Singh, PDG Rtn. CA Upkar Singh, PDG Rtn. CA Davinder Singh, DGND Rohit Oberoi and Deputy Governor Rtn. J. S. Dawar. Seminar ended with a lunch.



District Team Training Seminar (DTTS)



District Function of RI District 3070 District Team Training Seminar of DGE Rotarian Vipran Bhasin was organized on Sunday

Presentation s were made by the delegates under the heads , “Prevention of Breast Cancer, Rain W a t e r



March 26, 2023 in Hotel Venice, Dhangu Road at Pathankot. District Trainer PDG Davinder Singh welcomed the delegates and PDG Upkar Singh Sethi explained the logistics. Explaining the format, PDG Upkar Singh Sethi emphasized that this DTTS was designed to be a dialogue between delegates and organisers and we wanted the inputs from District Officers based upon their experience so that the other clubs in the District may also benefit from the same.

Harvesting and Environment, on happy schools, prevention of Cervical Cancer, Safe Drinking Water, Corneal Implants, On setting up of Dialysis Units”.

PDG Upkar Singh Sethi stressed on the implementation of these projects at the Club Level for the benefit of the Community. About 80 delegates along with R.I. Officers and guests attended the function which concluded after lunch at 4:30 P.M.



PETS/SETS 2023-24

Presidents and Secretaries Elect Training Seminar (**ARUNODAY**) was organized by Rotary Club of Jalandhar Central on Saturday 15 and Sunday 16 April 2023 at Majestic Grand, G.T. Road, Jalandhar. The delegates were received on Saturday 15th April 2023 afternoon at the venue and were served High Tea followed by First Plenary introductory session. Session started with National Anthem. Rotarian Kamal Sanghavi Past Rotary International Director was the Chief Guest and Rotarian PDG Bal Inamdar of R.I.D. 3141 of Mumbai was the Key Note Speaker. PDG Bal Inamdar delivered an inspiring talk under the heading "Be Unreasonable" which was well received by the delegates. The session was followed by dinner made memorable by live Orchestra.



The business session next day started with invocation followed by a motivational talk by PDG Rtn. Mukesh Arneja of R.I. District 3012 New Delhi. On this occasion project pavilions were set up showcasing prominent and sustainable projects by certain clubs of the District to inspire other clubs of the District to undertake similar projects. PRID Kamal Sanghavi summed up the proceedings of both days and gave his valuable inputs to the incoming leaders on how to attain success and deliver during their year. More than 50 Rotaryannes along with their spouses attended the event. More than 80% clubs of the District were represented in the PETS/SETS which speaks for the success of the function.





why should we give to Rotary Foundation and how to obtain grants from the Rotary Foundation successfully were taken and the speakers did full justice to the subjects.



There was gala dinner at night with Live Band. In between a meeting of College of Governors was also held with fruitful deliberations.

Next day the Chief Guest was Mr. Rinpoche, the Former Prime Minister of Tibetan Government in Exile in Dharamshala who spoke on the subject of "Leadership reflects Values". His talk was so engrossing that it took ever one's attention. After that PDG Jorson Fernandis, PDG from District 3170 Goa spoke on the subject of, "Core Values of Rotary" which was well received and appreciated. Digital District Directory was also released on this occasion. DGE Vipin Bhasin congratulated all the members of Rotary Clubs of Dharamshala for organizing such a successful mega event which will be remembered for venue, ambiance, content, the speakers and sumptuous food. Rotarians also enjoyed the fellowship of Rotarians from different places.



District Assembly - ESPERANZA



District Awards Cum Installation of District Governor



RI District 3070 Awards cum Installation Function was hosted by Rotary Club of Ludhiana North at hotel Regenta Classic, near bus stand, Ludhiana on 1st of July 2023 at 4 p.m. DG Dushyant Chaudhary expressed gratitude to all the Rotarians and Clubs who had helped in discharging his duties during last year. Services of Rotarians were recognized.

Thereafter Rotarian Vipin Bhasin was installed as DG for the year 2023-24 with traditional gaiety and fervour. Dr. Mrs. Shivani Chaudhary took out the Collar from Rotarian Dushyant Chaudhary and handed it over to the incoming first lady of the District Mrs. Rita Bhasin who put the same around the neck of DG Vipin Bhasin. The anchor on the occasion was



DGE Dr. P.S. Grover. In his acceptance speech DG Vipin Bhasin exhorted the Rotarians to take District 3070 to newer heights. DG Vipin Bhasin also congratulated IPDG Dr. Dushyant Chaudhary for the excellent work done by him during his year. District Governors Home Club Banner was passed on by members of Rotary Club of Jammu Tawi to Rotary Club of Amritsar South.



UPCOMING EVENT

Membership Development Seminar

BADHANI COUNTRYSIDE RESORT, Pathankot

SUNDAY

27 AUGUST, 2023

HOST :

R.C. OF PATHANKOT



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