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## ROTARY CLUB OF SONIPAT MIDTOWN

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THE MAGIC OF ROTARY

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next meeting

Our Club Is Excited  
To Celebrate

**DO NOT  
MISS**

# Teachers Day

This special evening is dedicated to honoring the teachers who shape our future generations with their knowledge and dedication

MOC  
Rty'ne Mamta Khurana  
(W/o Rtn. Rajesh Khurana)  
&  
Rty'ne. Monika Sehgal  
(W/o Rtn. Amit Sehgal)

THURSDAY  
**05** SEP  
2024

7:30 pm onwards

Venue:  
Rotary Community Centre

All teachers will be honored with certificates and will be recognized for their contributions. Exciting games and performances by teachers will be the main attractions.

We look forward to your presence at this special celebration. Let's come together to honor and appreciate the teachers who have played such a vital role in our lives.

Rtn. Rajeev Taneja  
President (2024-25)

Rtn. Adv. Kamal Verma  
Secretary (2024-25)



# THE ROTARY WAY OF LIFE

The Rotary Way of Life encompasses a set of principles and values that guide individuals towards a life of service, fellowship, and ethical conduct. Rooted in the mission of Rotary International, this way of life fosters personal growth, community engagement, and global understanding. It encourages individuals to make a positive impact on society and work towards creating a better world.

At the core of the Rotary Way of Life is the principle of Service Above Self. Rotarians believe in the power of selfless acts and the difference they can make in the lives of others. Whether it's through local community projects or international initiatives, Rotarians are dedicated to improving the well-being of those less fortunate. They actively seek out opportunities to serve, leveraging their skills, resources, and networks to address pressing issues such as poverty, illiteracy, disease, and environmental degradation.

The Rotary Way of Life also emphasizes Fellowship and Networking. Rotary clubs bring together individuals from diverse backgrounds, professions, and cultures, fostering a sense of belonging and camaraderie. Through regular meetings, social events, and international conventions, Rotarians build lifelong friendships and forge connections that transcend geographical boundaries. This network enables them to collaborate on projects, share expertise, and amplify their impact, both locally and globally.

Ethical conduct is another fundamental aspect of the Rotary Way of Life. Rotarians adhere to the principles of integrity, fairness, and ethical leadership in all their interactions. The Rotary Four-Way Test, a set of guiding ethical principles, asks Rotarians to reflect on whether their thoughts, words, and actions are truthful, fair, beneficial to all concerned, and promote goodwill and better friendships. By upholding these values, Rotarians inspire trust and credibility in their communities and become role models for others.

Education and awareness are also central to the Rotary Way of Life. Rotary International places great importance on promoting literacy, education, and cultural exchange programs. Through initiatives like Rotary Youth Exchange, Rotaract, and Rotary Peace Fellowships, young people are provided with opportunities to develop their skills, broaden their horizons, and become global citizens. By fostering a culture of learning and understanding, Rotary creates a ripple effect of positive change that extends beyond individual Rotarians.

**The Rotary Way of Life** extends beyond individual actions and initiatives. Rotarians work collectively through Rotary International to tackle global challenges. They leverage their collective strength and resources to implement large-scale projects like eradicating polio, providing clean water and sanitation facilities, and promoting peace and conflict resolution. By working together across borders, Rotarians exemplify the power of collaboration and demonstrate that global problems require global solutions.

In conclusion, the Rotary Way of Life is a holistic approach to living that prioritizes service, fellowship, ethics, and education. It inspires individuals to dedicate themselves to making a positive impact in their communities and the world at large. Through the **Rotary Way of Life**, Rotarians exemplify the values of selflessness, inclusivity, and integrity, leaving a lasting legacy of compassion and change.

-Editor

Rotary 

# CLUB SERVICE

FOCUSES ON MAKING CLUBS STRONG. A THRIVING CLUB IS ANCHORED BY STRONG RELATIONSHIPS AND AN ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PLAN.



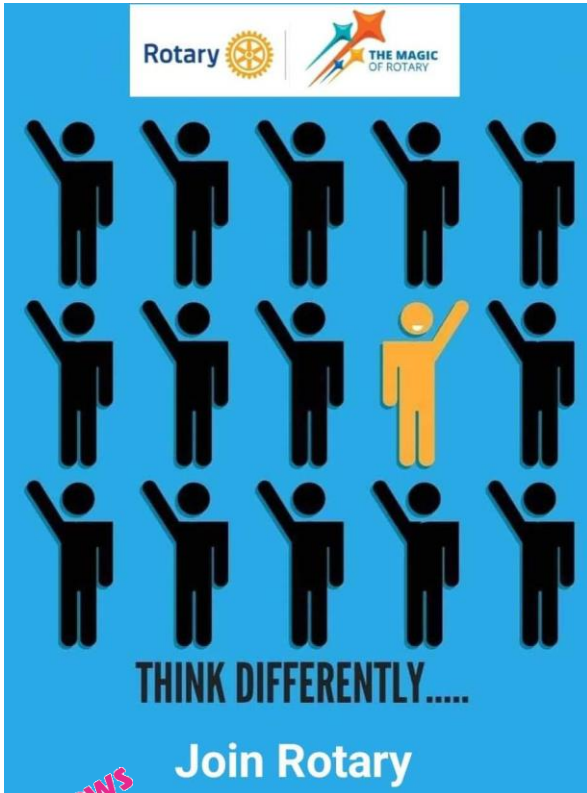
WE BUILD COMMUNITIES  
 WE BRIDGE CONTINENTS  
 WE SERVE ABOVE SELF  
 WE ERADICATE POLIO  
 WE CURE DISEASE  
 WE PUMP WATER  
 WE BUILD PEACE  
 WE BUILD MINDS  
 WE BRING HOPE

WE ARE ROTARIANS





“The essence of Rotary will likely continue to be as undefinable as like itself. Therefore, we cannot hope for many results from definitions of Rotary but must rely on Rotarians acquiring a working knowledge of the appropriate activities, which they are expected to perform and then urge them to carry those activities into practice in their daily lives.” – MY ROTARY



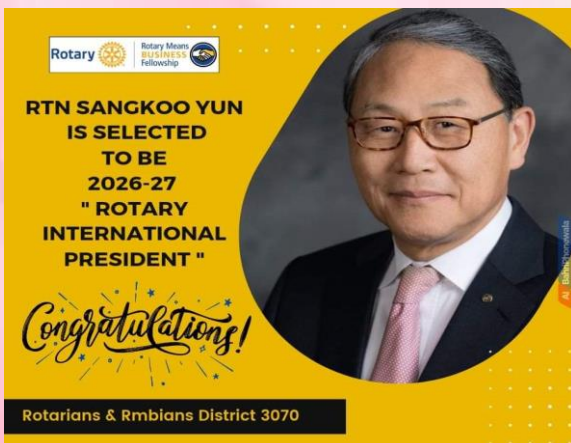
## AUGUST | Membership and New Club Development Month

At the **Rotary Club of Sonipat Midtown**, we're all about embracing new horizons and the richness of diversity.



R.I. News

### RI President | 2026-27



Sangkoo Yun, esteemed member of the Rotary Club of Sae Hanyang in Seoul, Korea, has been honored by the nominating committee with the selection to become Rotary International’s President for the 2026-27 term.

**Best Wishes and Congratulations !!**

**BUILD BRIDGES, NOT WALLS:** Join us as we welcome new voices, broadening our perspectives and strengthening our community.

**CULTIVATE CONNECTIONS:** Our club thrives on the deep, meaningful relationships among members—just like a garden needs nurturing to bloom.

**INCLUSIVITY AT OUR CORE:** Every member matters. This month, we're enhancing our efforts to ensure everyone feels valued and heard.

**WIDEN OUR CIRCLE:** Exciting opportunities lie ahead to expand both locally and globally. Be part of our journey to make a lasting impact.

**GET INVOLVED:** Whether you've been with us for years or are just starting to explore how you can contribute to positive change, your involvement is crucial. Together, we can spread the Rotary spirit far and wide.



**MY  
ROTARY**

**“USE YOUR VOICE FOR KINDNESS, YOUR EARS FOR COMPASSION  
YOUR HANDS FOR CHARITY, YOUR MIND FOR TRUTH  
AND YOUR HEART FOR LOVE.”**

**HOW TO ATTRACT AND RETAIN  
QUALITY MEMBERS**

**HIGHLIGHTING EFFECTIVE STRATEGIES FOR CLUB  
GROWTH AND FLEXIBILITY.**

These approaches have proven successful for various Rotary Clubs, enabling them to adapt to different member preferences and attract new individuals. Here are some valuable insights:

**Know Your Club's Strengths:** Consider the timing of your meetings. Morning meetings tend to attract 9-to-5 employees, while noon meetings are more appealing to retirees or parents with school-age children. If someone doesn't fit your format, recommend them to another Club. This goodwill can lead to future referrals.

**Maintain A List Of Potential Recruits:** Keep a record of potential members, whether on paper or digitally. This list will help you stay organized and continuously think about potential candidates who could be a great fit for your Club.

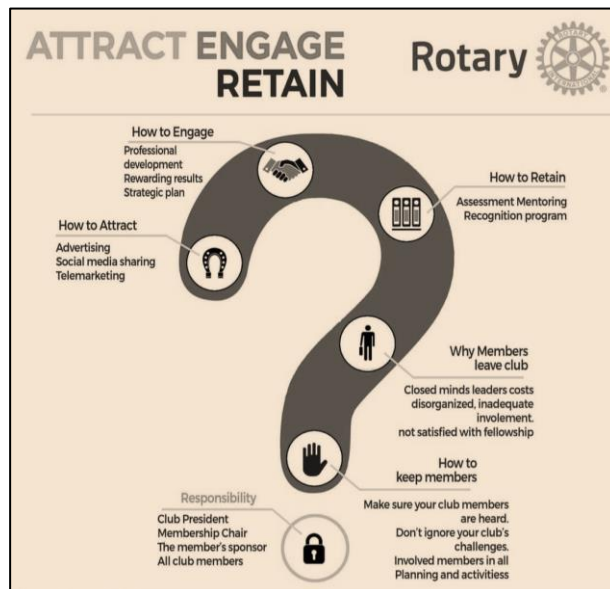
**Make Recruiting A Top Priority:** As the Club President, focus on recruiting as your primary goal. By bringing in new members, you'll infuse fresh energy into the Club, expand fundraising efforts, increase committee involvement, and ultimately foster a vibrant and engaging atmosphere. Encourage all members to support this priority.

**Create An Appealing Letter:** Craft an email or letter that highlights the fantastic aspects of your club. Mention star members, the advantages of your meeting location, the club's size, and any other unique selling points that may attract potential new members. Tailor the message to address their interests and needs.

**Highlight Potential Areas Of Responsibilities:** Prospective members want to know how they can contribute and make a difference. Outline the various opportunities for service and engagement within the club, showcasing the range of responsibilities available.

**Be Persistent:** Don't be discouraged by initial rejections or lack of response. It often takes multiple invitations or follow-ups to secure someone's attendance. Keep track of your interactions and maintain communication. Timing and circumstances can change, and your persistence may pay off.

**Promote Rotary Wherever You Go:** Take every opportunity to talk about Rotary at various →



social gatherings, such as Religious work, neighborhood events, and family parties. With practice, you'll become more comfortable and confident in sharing Rotary's mission and inviting others to join.

**Celebrate New Members:** When you successfully recruit a new member, celebrate their induction. Create a poster featuring the individual and display it prominently at the next club meeting. This recognition generates excitement among current members and encourages further recruitment efforts.

**Embrace Continuous Growth:** Recognize that there is no finish line when it comes to membership. Even if your club has reached its desired size, turnover and fresh perspectives are constant. Embracing new insights and welcoming new members will ensure the club remains vibrant and dynamic.

**Foster Vibrancy And Engagement:** Stand out by adopting unconventional approaches. Wear fun costumes or accessories on occasion, create eye-catching centerpieces for meetings, and warmly greet people outside the meeting venue. These actions show your enthusiasm and care, capturing attention and sparking conversations.

*These strategies have proven effective for clubs seeking growth and flexibility. Give them a try and see the positive impact they can have on your club's membership development.*





**MY  
ROTARY**

From the Desk of Secretary

**NEW MEMBERSHIP ASSIMILATION  
AND TEEJ CELEBRATION**

(Held on July 4, 2024)

Minutes of Meeting

#दिल में हम ने ठान लिया है! जीवन का मकसद जान लिया है!!

मानवता को पहचान लिया है! समाज सेवा ही धर्म हमने मान लिया है!!

**THE GREATEST OF ALL ACHIEVEMENT ARE THE RESULTS OF THE COMBINED EFFORTS OF HEART AND HEAD AND HARD WORKING IN PERFECT COORDINATION.**

Rotary’s favourite month of the year is August because that is when Rotary focus on membership. As a membership organisation, we recognize that our members are our biggest assets. **When Rotary membership is strong, our club is thriving, we are more visible, and our members have more resources to help communities.** That is why growing our membership is one of our top priorities. With this objective, we organised a **Membership Assimilation** on July 4 in the club along with **Teej celebration**. We offer good great experiences, especially to new members who are more likely to remain active and introduce others to the Rotary family. Either way, tell them about their experiences and we told them our success stories.

We extend our **congratulations** to 'Mr. Motivator' for winning the title of **Sultan of Teej** and 'Madhulika' for being crowned **Diva of Teej**, as judged by **Rtn. Kavita Arora** and **Rty'ne Dr. Pratibha Batra**.

A special applause goes to all the **Annets** for their exceptional dance performance. Their talent and enthusiasm added a vibrant touch to the celebration, making it even more memorable. Each of you contributed to making the event memorable with your outstanding displays of talent.

**All the members, especially the new members, enjoyed meeting.**

**SPECIAL THANKS**

**A Big Shout Out**

to all the children who delivered remarkable performances :

- Purvi | Janya | Rishika
- Vritika | Pridhi | Parv
- Kriyansh | Maule
- Kritika | Gurbani | Mahi

**A Big Thanks Judges**

- Rtn. Kavita Arora**
- Rtn. Dr. Pratibha Batra**

**Thank you!**

for

**House of Friendship**

- Rtn. Rajesh Khurana**
- Rtn. Karan Khurana**



**Rtn. Karan and Ira Khurana**

The amount of efforts that the couple put into the meeting to complete it was tremendous. The energy levels and the sincerity which was displayed were exemplary. This has set up higher standard in Rotary. Thank you for making the programme successful which our Rotarians loved it.

**THE MAGIC STARTS WITH US**



**THE MAGIC OF ROTARY**

**MAGIC IS BELIEVING IN OURSELF IF WE CAN DO THAT. WE CAN MAKE ANYTHING HAPPEN**





# GLIMPSES | NEW MEMBER ASSIMILATION



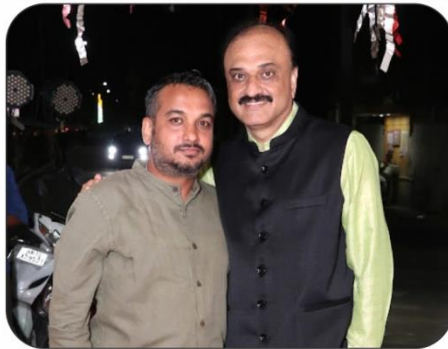


# GLIMPSES | NEW MEMBER ASSIMILATION





# NEW MEMBER ASSIMILATION



## "People of Action"



### People of Action

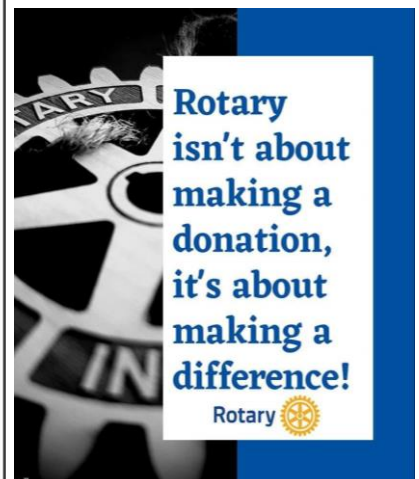
Rotary is where neighbors, friends, and problem-solvers share ideas, join leaders, and take action to create lasting change

"People of Action" is a slogan used by Rotary International to describe its members. It reflects the organization's emphasis on taking action to make a positive impact in the world.

Rotary members are indeed "People of Action" because they:

- **Take action to address local and global challenges**
- **Volunteer their time and skills to make a difference**
- **Collaborate with others to achieve common goals**
- **Invest in projects and programs that benefit communities**
- **Inspire and empower others to take action**

By being "People of Action", Rotary members demonstrate their commitment to service, leadership, and positive change.





*“Thanksgiving is a time to reflect on the immense value of the reflection of the relationships we’ve built and the goals we have achieved together” – Editor*

## THANKSGIVING CEREMONY

BY IPP RTN. RAVINDER BHARDWAJ

### SPECIAL THANKS

Dear Rotarians,

Pooja and Myself would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to all of you for attending on August 14 Thanksgiving ceremony. Your presence truly made the evening memorable, and we are so thankful for the opportunity to serve our society alongside such dedicated Rotarians

Throughout the year (2023-24,) your unwavering support has been invaluable, and was a beautiful reflection of the community spirit we cherish in our club. We hope everything was up to your expectations, and if anything was amiss, we sincerely apologize and ask for your forgiveness.

**THANK YOU ONCE AGAIN FOR YOUR KINDNESS, GENEROSITY, AND TRUST.**

**ALSO THANKS THE THEN DISTRICT GOVERNOR RTN. PRIYATOSH GUPTA AND RTY'NE RACHNA BHABHI WHO GRACED THE OCCASION.**

Warm regards,

*Pooja & Ravinder Bhardwaj*

# THANKSGIVING CEREMONY





# THANKSGIVING CEREMONY





Minutes of Meeting

From the Desk of Secretary

### CELEBRATION OF INDEPENDENCE DAY IN OUR CLUB

*"Freedom is never dear at any price. It is the breath of life.*

*What would a man not pay for living ?" -Mahatma Gandhi*

On August 15<sup>th</sup> in celebration of the **78th Independence Day**, the members of Rotary Club Sonipat Midtown gathered at the Rotary Center for a **flag hoisting ceremony** in the morning.

After the ceremony, a **tree plantation drive** was carried out, and the members actively participated in this initiative. **Club President Rtn. Rajeev Taneja and Rtn. Anju Taneja** encouraged everyone to contribute to the tree planting efforts, motivating them to play their part in enhancing the environment.

May the spirit of Independence Day inspire us to contribute to our nation's growth and unity." **"Let's celebrate the achievements of our country and continue to work towards a future filled with hope and progress."** "On this Independence Day, let's celebrate the courage of our ancestors and the freedom we enjoy today."  
*- Rtn. Kamal Verma*

## INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS & TREE PLANTATION





**Minutes of Meeting**

**From the Desk of Secretary**

**Board Meeting**

(Held on 11-08-2024 at Regards Restaurants, Sonipat @ 8:00 pm)

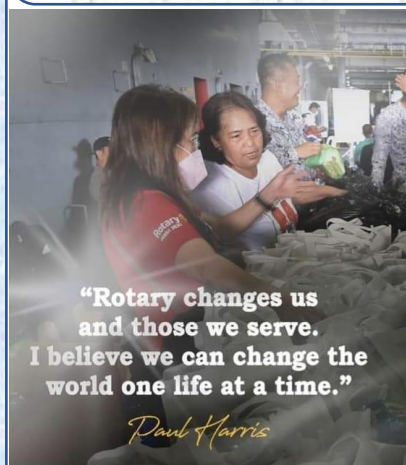
- Approval of Last Board meeting by the board members.
- Discussion held for Elect the Club President for the Year 2025-26 as due to some personal health issue, President Elect Rtn. Dinesh Madan, has withdrawn himself from the post of President Elect and now **Rtn. CA Bhupesh Khanna** unanimously elected the President for the year 2025-26 by all the Board Members.
- Discussion held for the vacate post of Vice President for this year as Rtn. Bhupesh Khanna becomes the Vice President for this year and now became the President Elect. So now, **Rtn. Mukhtyar Singh** declared as Vice President for this year.
- Discussion held for filling the vacate post of Board / Committee Chairs. **PP Rtn. Rajeev Seth, PP Rtn. R.K. Seth, PP Rtn. OP Batra, Rtn. Rajeev Batra, Rtn. Sharwan Kataria, Rtn. Umesh Hasija** are appointed as Board / Committee Chair members.
- Discussion on Upcoming Events & Projects in the upcoming month:-
  - Thanksgiving by IPP Rtn. Ravinder Bhardwaj on 14<sup>th</sup> Aug.
  - Celebration of Independence Day & Flag Hosting at Rotary Centre on 15<sup>th</sup> Aug.
  - Tree Plantation at Rotary Centre on 15<sup>th</sup> Aug.
  - Automatic Sanitary Napkin Vending Machine & Tree Plantation at GVM ITM.
  - Celebration of Janamashtami & Radha Madhav Kirtan on the Birthday of Late PP Rtn. Rakesh Devgun on 22<sup>nd</sup> August.
  - Health Card Distribution.
  - Sharing for Caring on Last Sunday of month i.e. 25<sup>th</sup> Aug.
  - Adoption of Anganwari & Tree Plantation at Anganwari.
  - Blood Donation Camp.
  - Teacher’s Day Celebration on 5<sup>th</sup> Sept. at Rotary Community Centre.

**Thank you!**

for

**Hosting BOD Meet**

**Rtn. CA Bhupesh Khanna  
Rtn. Mukhtyar Singh**



**CLUB NEWS**

**A TALK**

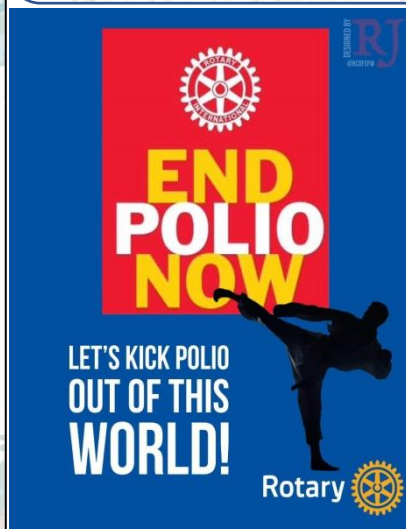
PP Rtn. (Dr.) Jagdish Batra delivered a talk to BBA classes in OP Jindal Global University, Sonipat on Family Business, Financial Market, Business Organisation and his practical Tips were appreciated.

Congratulations and many thanks for a great presentation. True guidance is like a small torch in a dark forest. It does not show everything at once, but gives enough light for the next step to be safe.



**Rtn. CA Bhupesh Khanna**

On committing to Lead the Club in Rotary Year 2025-26. It is a brand new opportunity. Accepted this as a challenge as this is a recognition and testament to your hard work, dedication and outstanding performance in your service to this society. Congratulations and best wishes for this new job. All the Best !!





## CLUB SUPPLIED 4 FANS TO SCHOOL

*Service is what life is all about. Great acts are made up of small deeds. As we serve others we are working on ourselves, every word, every gesture of genuine compassion naturally nourishes our own hearts as well.*

RC Sonipat Midtown supplied 4 Fans to Govt. School in Mimarpur village in Murthal, Sonipat at the School on 6<sup>th</sup> August. This effort aims to enhance the learning environment for the students and by ensuring more comfortable atmosphere in the class rooms.

**A Big thanks to IPP Rtn. Ravinder Bhardwaj and Rtn. Sharwan Kataria** for their generosity and thoughtfulness by sponsoring these Fans for School children.

### Donation of 4 Fans to Govt. School in Mimarpur village



## New Member

**Rtn. Kuldeep Thakur**

(DOB : 20-08-1985)

Classification :

LIC (Insurance Advisor)

Mob. : 9729994567

Spouse : Monika

(DOB : 09-09-1993)

Add. : H.No. 680/29, Vikas Nagar

Sonipat (Hr.)

Wedding. Anniv. : 20-10-2010

Children :

Son -Jatin : 10 Years,

Daughter -Kavya : 06 Years

## What time is it?



## SPONSORING THE SCHOOL FEES OF

### 2 poor girls of Bal Gram Rai

**Rtn. Anju Taneja and Rtn. Sunny Jain** sponsored the School fee of 2 poor girls of Bal Gram Rai who had passed their 12<sup>th</sup> grade exams successfully and intent to continue her further studies in College.

We sincerely express our gratitude for your exceptional effort in this regard. We truly appreciate all that you have accomplished.

*Real Generosity -- the habit of giving freely without expecting anything in return. Look for a way to lift someone up. And if that's all you, do that's enough.*

Bal Gram	
Rai, Sonipat Regd. No. 74 (1957-58)	
Run by the B.O. T. Haryana Rajya Bal Bhawan, Panchkula (Haryana)	
No. 68	Date 9/8/2024
Received with Thanks From	M/ Rajeev Taneja & Sunny Jain
in Account of	College fees (Rotary Club Exp)
for the sum of Rs./Kind	
1	Fees for college fees of child
2	
3	1) Nazma - 2450/-
4	2) Sonam - 2450/-

## The Magic of Rotary



The Magic of Rotary can have its greatest impact when Rotary members and community leaders come together to solve problems and transform lives. That magic starts with you, and now is the time to put it into action.

You have the power to bring about positive change, both in your club and in your community. When we move into the future united in a common purpose, there's no limit to what we can achieve.

मैंने स्वप्न देखा कि जीवन आनंद है,  
मैं जागा और पाया कि जीवन सेवा है।  
मैंने सेवा की और पाया कि सेवा में ही आनंद है।

रचयिता || रबीन्द्रनाथ टैगोर



Minutes of Meeting

From the Desk of Secretary

## Janam Ashtami Celebration In Our Club

(Held on 22-08-2024 at Rotary Community Centre)

*"Anything happened, happened for the good. Whatever is happening, is happening for the good. Whatever will happen, will also happen for the good" - Lord Krishna*

### RADHA MADHAV KIRTAN

(Tribute to Shri Rakesh Devgun, Late Ex. Rotarian and Mr. Raghav Verma)

Radha Madhav Kirtan organised by our club on 22<sup>nd</sup> August at our Rotary Community Centre. Rtn. Kamal Sardana and Rty'ne Jyoti Sardana were the Chairpersons of the Kirtan. Sh. Rajiv Shashtri ji was the main 'Gayak'. The Kirtan was followed by Parshad.

### Glimpses - Radha Madhav Kirtan



*Thank you!*

**Rtn. Kamal Sardana and Rty'ne Jyoti Sardana**



Heartfelt thanks for incredible event you put together. Your attention to detail made it truly special.

### A Big Thanks

to our Annets

**Akshima | Bhumi | Riya**

whose hard work and dedication were evident in every aspect of the organization. From planning to execution, your efforts were truly commendable.

### OUR HEARTFELT CONDOLENCES

*"Some truths in life are hard to accept; their memories will never be forgotten"*

Our deepest condolences on the loss of Raghav, promising son of Rtn. Mukul Verma, (M/s Bishansons) on August 16, 2024.

His bright spirit and enthusiasm will always be remembered. May Almighty give peace to the departed soul and gave strength to the bereaved family to bear this irreparable loss ! Om Shanti.

### Homage

Mr. Manoj Kumar Gupta, brother of DGEN Rtn. Amit Gupta passed away on 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2024. May God give peace to the departed soul and strength to the bereaved family to bear this irreparable loss.

### 2023-24 ROTARY CITATION



Awarded to the Rotary Club of

Sonepat Midtown

for helping **Rotary create hope in the world.**

*R. Gordon R. McInally*  
R. Gordon R. McInally  
President, Rotary International



## District Interact Leadership Assembly (DILA) "Yuva Virajya"

Empowering Future Leaders District Interact Leadership Assembly (DILA) "Yuva Virajya" of District 3012 at Amity University, Noida

We are thrilled to share the success of our recent District Interact Leadership Assembly (DILA) held at Amity University, Noida! On 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2024.

The event brought together passionate and dynamic Interactors from across the district 3012, all eager to enhance their leadership skills and collaborate on impactful projects. Assembly was a platform for learning, growth, and inspiration, as they discussed innovative ideas and strategies to make a difference in our communities. Together, we are building a brighter future.



"The world changes from year to year, our lives from day to day, but the love and memory of you shall never pass away"

On the Birth Anniversary (22.08.24) of Late Rtn. Rakesh Devgun (Ex-member of our Club), his wife Rtn. Seema Devgun and her Family has adopted a Green Belt along with 60 mtr. Road towards Ethnic Indian his loving memory. They planted trees and arranged Bhandara there near Rai Chowk, Sonipat.



सामाजिक कार्यकर्ता राकेश देवगण की स्मृति में किया पौधारोपण  
सोनियत (त्यागी): रोटरी क्लब मिड टाऊन के पूर्व प्रधान एवं सामाजिक कार्यकर्ता स्व. राकेश देवगण की स्मृति में वीरवार को राई के पार्क में पौधारोपण किया गया। इस दौरान 100 से अधिक पौधे लगाए गए। एडवोकेट पारस देवगण तथा सीमा देवगण का इस कार्य में सहयोग रहा। क्लब के पूर्व प्रधान रवि भारद्वाज, संदीप जेतली और सन्नी जैन ने भी पौधे लगाए।

## SHARING AND CARING PROJECT OF OUR CLUB

"Caring means being present, fully attentive and genuinely interested in the well - being of others"

The Magic of Rotary invites us to innovate and adapt, encourage our club to think creatively and embrace new ways of addressing community needs. As part of our Club's 'Sharing and Caring' monthly project, we organized a 'Langar' for needy on August 25 at our Rotary Community Centre.



The Bhandara was generously sponsored by Rtn. Madhulika. We express our deepest gratitude to her for the support.

## A Proud Moment



Congratulations to The Rotary Foundation (India) for being recognized as the **Best CSR Implementing Partner (Global Organization)** at the 14<sup>th</sup> India CSR Network Awards.

This award highlights

Rotary International's steadfast dedication to driving positive change through strategic Corporate Social Responsibility partnerships across India. In the past three years, Rotary Foundation (India) has experienced an impressive 81% growth in project numbers, partnering with over 300 corporations and supporting initiatives valued at \$21 million USD as of 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024.

Thank you to the partners and supporters who have contributed to this journey. Together, we're making a lasting difference in communities throughout India and beyond.

..Shared by PDG Mukesh Arneja

## CLUB NEWS | Rtn. Joginder Singh (Grand Opening of your Jannat Café)

Wishing you all the success and prosperity in this exciting journey ahead." "Heartiest congratulations on the grand opening of your Jannat Cafe ! May this new chapter be filled with joy, growth, and endless opportunities."





## FOUR - WAY TEST

Applying the "Rotary Four-Way Test" to Tree Plantation Initiatives:

**1**

**Is it the Truth?**

**Environmental Education:**

Educating the community about the true benefits of tree plantation, such as reducing carbon footprints, enhancing biodiversity, and combating climate change, fosters a culture of truthfulness and environmental responsibility.

**2**

**Is it Fair to All Concerned?**

**Inclusive Participation:**

Ensuring that tree plantation activities are open to everyone, regardless of age, background, or location, promotes fairness and inclusivity. This guarantees that all members of the community can participate and benefit from the initiative.

**3**

**Will it Build Goodwill and Better Friendships?**

**Community Engagement:**

Tree plantation projects encourage community members to work together towards a common goal, fostering teamwork, cooperation, and a sense of shared purpose. This helps build goodwill and stronger friendships among participants.

**4**

**Will it Be Beneficial to All Concerned?**

**Environmental and Social Benefits:**

Planting trees provides numerous benefits, including improved air quality, enhanced mental well-being, and beautification of the community. These benefits extend to everyone, making tree plantation initiatives advantageous for all concerned.



Rtn. Kavita Arora	01 Sep.
Rtn. Deepanshu Jain	02 Sep.
Rtn. Pulkit Jain	02 Sep.
Rtn. PP R.K. Kumra	02 Sep.
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Rtn. Dr. Ankur Batra	06 Sep.
Rtn. PP Rajesh Relan	08 Sep.
Rtn. Kuldeep Thakur	09 Sep.
Rtn. Dr. O.P. Chaudhary	15 Sep.
Rtn. Dr. V.B. Miglani	19 Sep.
Rtn. PP Harish Rajwada	24 Sep.
Rtn. Dr. Ashish Rawal	27 Sep.
Rtn. Mohan Kapoor	29 Sep.



Rtn. Karan Khurana & Rty'ne Ira Khurana	02 Sep.
Rtn. Sharad Sharma & Rty'ne Archana Sharma	18 Sep.
Rtn. PP Dr. DRFC Manoj Bhatla & Dr. Alpna Bhatla	25 Sep.
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## What Rotary Has Given To Me ?

People often ask me why I am so committed to Rotary.

Here are some reasons, in addition to the graphic below:

- ✦ I have 1.4 million friends around the world. Some I just haven't met yet.
- ✦ If I am travelling, chances are a Rotary friend will meet me, tour me and possibly home-host me.
- ✦ I've learned and enjoyed personal development growth, networking with community and global leaders.
- ✦ I've made a difference with impact for others in need, through Rotary project volunteering.
- ✦ It's a great opportunity to work with like-minded people of action, while enjoying fun and fellowship.

Learn more about Rotary and consider joining us.



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