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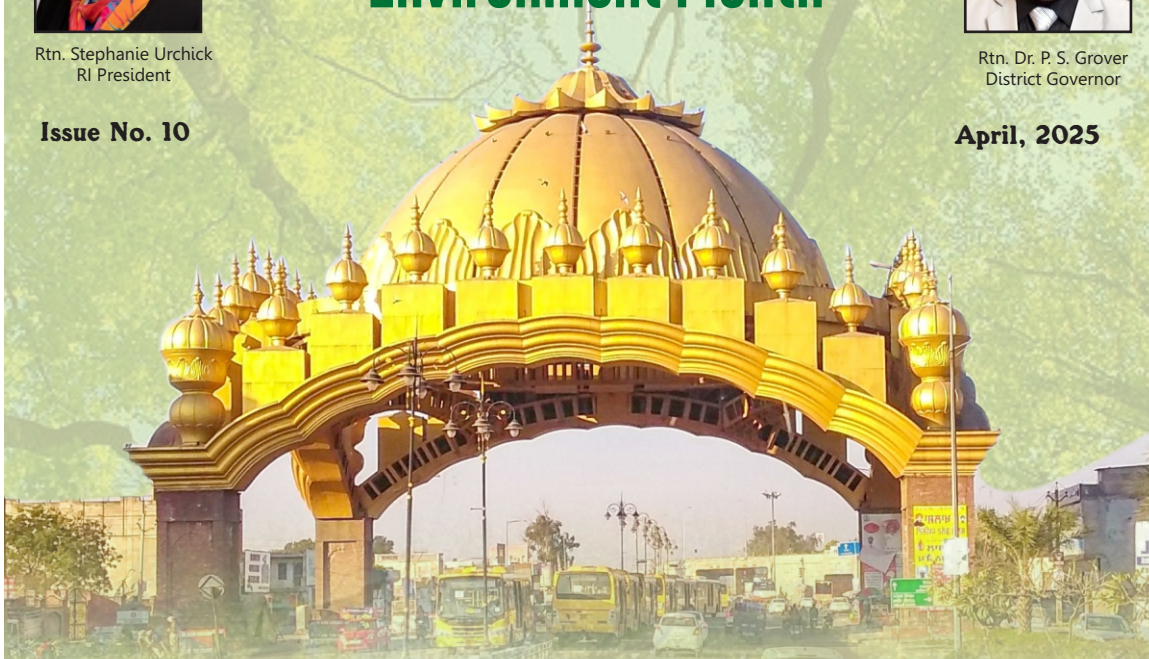


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April – Rotary's Environment Month

As we step into **April, Rotary's Environment Month**, we renew our commitment to protecting and preserving our planet. Rotary International has recognized the environment as an area of focus, encouraging clubs worldwide to take meaningful action for a sustainable future.



At **Rotary Club Amritsar Midtown**, we embrace this responsibility by raising awareness, reducing our carbon footprint, and initiating impactful projects. This month, we urge our members and the community to join hands in:

- * **Tree Plantation Drives** – Contribute to a greener tomorrow by planting trees in parks, schools, and public spaces.
- * **Cleanliness Campaigns** – Organize and participate in cleanup drives to promote waste management and a cleaner city.
- * **Water Conservation Awareness** – Educate communities on efficient water use and rainwater harvesting.
- * **Say No to Plastic** – Encourage alternatives to single-use plastics by promoting eco-friendly products.
- * **Adopting Green Habits** – Reduce energy consumption, recycle, and support sustainable practices at home and work.

Together, through small yet powerful actions, we can make a significant difference. Let's celebrate **April as Environment Month** by pledging to protect nature and build a cleaner, greener world for future generations.

Rotary Club Amritsar Midtown
– Serving Humanity, Preserving Nature!

Rotary District Conference "Amrit Kumbh" – March 8-9, 2025

Rotary Club Amritsar Midtown actively participated in the two-day **Rotary District Conference "Amrit Kumbh"** held at Western Villa, Amritsar, on **March 8-9, 2025**. A total of **17 members** from our club attended this grand event, which featured inspiring keynote speakers, insightful sessions, and engaging discussions on Rotary's impact.

A moment of pride for our club was receiving the **Outstanding Club Award** from **District Governor Dr. P.S. Grover**, recognizing our contributions and dedication to Rotary's mission.

Following the motivational sessions, the evening came alive with a **Groove Gala Night**, where members enjoyed a vibrant Punjabi musical performance.

On the second day, the much-anticipated **elections** were held, and we extend our heartfelt congratulations to **Rtn. Vijay Sehdev** on being elected as the **District Governor Nominee Designate (DGND)**.

The conference was a memorable experience, reinforcing our commitment to service and fellowship.

Conference Pictures

Holi Celebrations - Mar 14, 2025

Rotary Club Amritsar Midtown celebrated the **festival of colors** with great enthusiasm on **March 14, 2025, at Service Club, Amritsar**. The evening was filled with joy, laughter, and fellowship as members came together to enjoy the festivities.

A fun-filled **Tambola game** was organized by **Rtn. Sunil Kapur, Rtn. Satish Babbar, and Mrs. Babbar**, adding excitement to the celebrations. A special touch to the evening was the **beautiful carry bags** sponsored by **Rtn. Charanjit Singh Puji**, making the event even more memorable.

As the cool **spring breeze** set the perfect ambiance, members relished a delightful **dinner** in the open area of the club, making it an evening to cherish.

Participation in Chinmaya Vanprasth Monthly Meeting

Rotary Club Amritsar Midtown participated in the **Chinmaya Vanprasth monthly meeting** at **Bhavans Ashray**, where **PDC Avinash Mohindru** was the keynote speaker. He delivered an inspiring talk on "**Sundar Jeevan**", which was highly appreciated by the senior citizens, as well as members of our club and **Rotary Club New Amritsar**.

A special highlight of the event was the **birthday celebration of our esteemed founder member, Rtn. Inderpal Khanna**. His contributions to Rotary and the community were fondly remembered as members joined in to celebrate this special occasion.

The meeting was a perfect blend of wisdom, fellowship, and gratitude, reinforcing our commitment to serving the community.

Speaker Meeting March 28, 2025

Rotary Club Amritsar Midtown Hosts Informative Session on Canal-Based Water System

Rotary Club Amritsar Midtown held its regular meeting on March 28, 2025, at 7:00 PM at Bhavan's SL Public School, Amritsar. The highlight of the meeting was an insightful talk by the guest speaker, Er. Daljit Singh Kohli, on the topic "**Canal-Based Water System for Amritsar**."

Er. Kohli provided a comprehensive report on the ambitious project, detailing its capacity of **44 crore liters per day** and its sprawling **40-acre water treatment plant** at Vallah Village. Designed with a **30-year lifespan**, the project aims to revolutionize the water supply system in Amritsar. The development includes the construction of **51 new water tanks**, while **33 existing tanks** will be integrated into the network. A total of **112 kilometers of pipeline** will be laid to ensure seamless water distribution.

Once operational, the system will supply Amritsar's citizens with **mineral-rich water sourced from the River Ravi via the UBDC (Upper Bari Doab Canal)**. The anticipated launch date for this transformative project is **January 2027**.

Amritsar Zone Function to Facilitate DGND Rtn. Vijay Sehdev – March 23, 2025

Rotary Club Amritsar Midtown had the honor of **hosting the Amritsar Zone function** on **March 23, 2025, at Bhavan's Ashray, New Amritsar**, to felicitate **District Governor Nominee Designate (DGND) Rtn. Vijay Sehdev**.

The event witnessed participation from **all Rotary clubs of the Amritsar Zone**, making it a grand gathering of Rotarians. **Rtn. Dr. K.K. Bhalla** efficiently conducted the event as the **Master of Ceremonies (MOC)**, ensuring a smooth and engaging program.

The function began with a **fellowship lunch**, followed by the formal meeting where Rtn. Vijay Sehdev was warmly felicitated. The event strengthened the spirit of camaraderie and reaffirmed Rotary's commitment to service and leadership.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPEAKER MEETING

Day & Date :
Friday, 14 March, 2025
Time : 7 PM SHARP
Venue : Bhavans SL Public
School, Amritsar,
Service: Soup

REGULAR MEETING

Day & Date : Friday, 28th March 2025
Programe : Regular Meeting
Time : 7.00 PM SHARP
Venue : Bhavans SL Public School,
Amritsar



19 Rtn. Arun Mohindru
23 Rtn. Vinod Sharma
27 Rtn. Satish K. Babbar
29 Rtn. Dr. R. K. Bedi



14 Rtn. Avinash Mohindru & Mrs. Vijay Mohindru
18 Rtn. Dr. Pawan Bhatia & Dr. Ritu Sharma
19 Rtn. Satish K Marwaha & Mrs. Anu Marwaha
22 Rtn. Satbir Singh & Mrs. Deepika
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