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## NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2025

### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Rotarians,

December truly reflected the power of collective service and generosity. Together, we conducted an eye check-up camp at Jeevan Hospital and proudly sponsored **100 eye surgeries**, helping restore vision and dignity to those in need.

Our impact grew stronger with the generous donation of **8 coolers** to Astha by our members, and the joy we shared through Christmas celebrations at Saksham Foundation and Astha, bringing smiles to countless children.

During the winter season, we also distributed **640 sweaters** to underprivileged children at an MCD school and installed **2 plastic collection bins** under Rotary Plastic Warrior Project, combining care for people with care for the environment.

Moments of togetherness were celebrated at our **Christmas brunch** on 21st December, enjoyed by members and their families. Throughout the month, our members turned personal milestones into service by feeding **900 underprivileged children** on their birthdays.

These numbers represent more than achievements—they reflect compassion, unity, and action. I thank every member for making December a month of meaningful impact and look forward to continuing this journey of service together.

Warm Regards,

Rtn Raghav Lekhi  
President 2025-26

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### ROTARY SOUTHEND NEXT FOUNDATION SPONSORS 100 CATARACT SURGERIES

- **100 cataract surgeries sponsored by the Rotary Southend Next Foundation**, restoring the gift of sight to those without access to essential eye care
- **Eye check-up camp** organised under the guidance of Dr. Ankita Sabharwal, with **250+ patients screened**
- A strong commitment to **community health**, reflecting our mission to create meaningful, life-enhancing impact
- Project executed with expert medical support, under the supervision of Dr. Ankita Sabharwal, ensuring quality treatment and care for every patient

Heartfelt gratitude to our members, whose dedication and contributions make such impactful community projects possible



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### SUPPORTING COMFORT AND CARE AT ASTHA

The club extends its heartfelt gratitude to our member Rtn Tania & Ankit Maini for generously donating **08 coolers** to the Astha Centre.

These coolers will greatly enhance the comfort of the physically disabled children, ensuring a more pleasant and supportive environment—especially during the hotter months—so they can learn, play, and grow with greater ease.



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SPREADING WARMTH & PROMOTING SUSTAINABILITY!

- Rotary Southend Next partnered with **Rotary Plastic Warriors** to install **02 plastic collection bins** at the school at MCD Schools
- Encouraging students to adopt **eco-friendly** habits and contribute to a cleaner, **greener environment** 🌿
- Distributed warm sweaters to **640 underprivileged children** at Peepul Exemplary **MCD School, Lajpat Nagar**

Bringing comfort, care, and happiness to young hearts ❤️



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### CHRISTMAS CHEER AT SAKSHAM FOUNDATION

- Christmas celebration sponsored by Rotary Southend Next Foundation for underprivileged children at **Saksham Foundation** 🎄
- A day full of joy and **festive cheer**, with smiles, laughter, and happy moments all around
- Engaging **magic show** that amazed and delighted the children ✨
- **Sweets distributed** with love, spreading warmth and the true spirit of Christmas

Sharing a few joyful glimpses of this heart-warming celebration ❤️



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### SPREADING CHRISTMAS CHEER AT ASTHA

- A similar **Christmas celebration** organised at Astha, bringing joy and festive warmth to everyone
- **7 wheelchairs donated**, supporting mobility and dignity for those in need
- Moments filled with smiles, care, and compassion, reflecting the true spirit of the season

Special thanks to Rtn. Devika & Shashank for their generous support and commitment ❤️



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### CHRISTMAS BRUNCH

Rotary Southend Next came together for a joyful Christmas Brunch on 21 December, celebrating the season of togetherness, warmth, and fellowship. The morning was filled with cheerful conversations, festive vibes, and lots of laughter as members connected beyond meetings.

It was a wonderful blend of good food, great company, and Christmas spirit—creating memories that truly reflected the bond and camaraderie of our Rotary family. ✨🎅



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# January Events

## MARK YOUR CALENDER

17<sup>th</sup> January - Wings of Hope | 5% Attendance

16<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> January - Fitness Challenge 3.0 | Delhi to Singapore  
Cartel-Wise Showdown

26<sup>th</sup> January - Southend Next Family Sports Day | 2.5% Attendance

## BIRTHDAYS

🎂 05 - MALVIKA SINHA

🎂 13 - KARUN ANSAL

🎂 11 - RACHNA MAGO

🎂 19 - BHARAT DHINGRA

🎂 12 - PUJA BAHL

🎂 21 - DEVASHISH MEHTA

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### HONOURING OUR PAST PRESIDENT - RTN AKHIL GAMBHIR



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