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Dear Rotarian Friends,

As we bid farewell to the vibrant year of 2024, the Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade reflects on a year filled with impactful projects and meaningful fellowship. Our commitment to service has touched numerous lives, and we take immense pride in sharing the highlights of our journey with you.

From President Desk

This year, we extended our support to mothers of newborns at Ruxmani Lying Hospital by distributing essential birthing kits. Collaboration was key to our success, as we joined hands with the Rotary Club of South Mumbai for events like the Speakers' Meet, Diwali Fellowship, and a delightful DJ night. As we anticipate our upcoming Christmas Party, the joy of togetherness continues to inspire us.

Our flagship project this month was a medical camp organized at Tardeo Police Station, benefiting over 125 police personnel and their families. This initiative would not have been possible without the invaluable support of the Rotaract Club of Khalsa College and Medical Marvels.

In our effort to promote menstrual health, we launched the Masik Chakra initiative, ensuring access to better resources for those in need. On Children's Day, we spread smiles by distributing snack boxes to students of Agripada School for the Physically Challenged and Handicapped.

One of our most heartwarming endeavors was the AnnaDaan Project, held outside Tata Memorial Hospital, where we provided nourishment to those in need. Additionally, our club contributed towards the Polio Plus program, reaffirming our commitment to eradicating polio globally.

Looking ahead, we are excited about our upcoming projects, which include feeding animals and organizing a medical camp at Tutorial School. True to the Christmas spirit, we aim to bring joy to the students with a special treat of scrumptious eatables.

As we embrace the new year, we extend our heartfelt gratitude to every member, volunteer, and partner who has walked this path of service with us. May the year ahead bring happiness, health, and cheer to all.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Yours in Rotary Service,

Errick Elavia

President



THE 4 WAY TEST:

of the things we think, say or do

- Is it the TRUTH?
- Is it FAIR to All Concerned?
- Will it Build GOODWILL & Better Friendships?
- Will it be BENEFICIAL



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Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade collaborated with Rotary Club of Bombay South

7th November

November: Rotary Foundation Month – Strengthening Bonds and Expanding Horizons November holds special significance for Rotarians as Rotary Foundation Month, a time to reflect on and celebrate the remarkable work made possible by the Rotary Foundation. In alignment with this, Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade collaborated with Rotary Club of Bombay South to host an impactful and enlightening session featuring Rtn. Manish Gayani, a seasoned TRF Coordinator and expert in Rotary grants. The session, held on 7th



November, saw enthusiastic participation from members of both clubs, eager to deepen their understanding of the Rotary Foundation's grant mechanisms. Rtn. Gayani's insights were both profound and practical, focusing on the diverse grant opportunities available to Rotary clubs, including:

1. District Grants Rtn. Gayani explained the flexibility and versatility of District Grants, which fund smaller, localized projects that align with Rotary's areas of focus. These grants are designed to address immediate needs within communities, offering clubs an excellent avenue to initiate impactful yet manageable projects.

2. Global Grants A major highlight of the session was the deep dive into Global Grants, which fund long-term, sustainable projects addressing significant challenges across Rotary's focus areas. Rtn. Gayani walked attendees through the application process, emphasizing the importance of needs assessment, collaboration with international partners, and adherence to Rotary's stringent guidelines for sustainability and impact.

3. Other Funding Opportunities The discussion extended to other funding avenues, such as endowment funds, district-directed funds, and partnerships with external organizations, showcasing the breadth of opportunities available for Rotary clubs to amplify their reach.

Inspirational Case Studies To make the session more relatable, Rtn. Gayani shared success stories of clubs that have effectively utilized these grants. From building schools in underserved areas to providing critical medical equipment to hospitals, these real-life examples demonstrated how thoughtful planning and effective execution could lead to transformative results.

Interactive Discussions and Networking The event concluded with an engaging Q&A session, where members actively sought guidance on topics like proposal drafting, financial accountability, and reporting mechanisms. The collaborative atmosphere was a testament to Rotary's spirit of camaraderie and shared purpose.

The Way Forward As we observe Rotary Foundation Month, this session reinforced the importance of leveraging TRF resources to serve humanity better. Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade remains committed to utilizing these insights to design impactful projects that address critical community needs. A heartfelt thank-you goes to Rotary Club of Bombay South for this enriching collaboration and to Rtn. Manish Gayani for sharing his wisdom and experience. Together, we strive to uphold Rotary's enduring mission of "Doing Good in the World." Let's continue this journey of service with renewed enthusiasm, making every effort count toward a brighter, more sustainable future for all.



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Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade Spreading Smiles on Children's Day

“The soul is healed by being with children.” - Fyodor Dostoevsky
Let us continue to spread love, joy, and hope to the younger generation,
nurturing their dreams for a brighter tomorrow.



The Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade celebrated Children's Day with a heartwarming initiative dedicated to the children of Agripada School for the Physically Challenged and Handicapped.

Recognizing the joy and innocence that Children's Day represents, our members gathered at the school to bring smiles to the faces of these incredible young souls. As part of the celebration, we distributed specially curated snack boxes to all the students, ensuring they had a delightful treat to enjoy.

Each box was packed with love and filled with a variety of healthy and tasty snacks. The students' excitement and the sparkle in their eyes as they received the boxes was a sight to cherish.

The day was about much more than just snacks—it was about connecting, sharing, and spreading positivity. Interacting with the children was a deeply enriching experience.

Their resilience and enthusiasm despite their challenges served as an inspiration to all present. The success of this event was made possible through the generous contributions of our Rotary members and volunteers who came together with a shared goal: to make the children feel cherished and valued.

This Children's Day reminded us once again of the power of small acts of kindness. The smile on each child's face was a testament to how meaningful our efforts were. It reinforced the Rotary motto, Service Above Self, and left us with memories to treasure. We extend our heartfelt thanks to the staff of Agripada School for their support and for giving us the opportunity to celebrate this special day with their wonderful students.



RCMCP Cuffelinks

Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade Organizes Medical Camp for Police Personnell on 30th November At Tardev Police station



Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade Organizes Successful Medical Camp for Police Personnell In a heartfelt initiative, the Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade recently organized a comprehensive medical camp for police personnel and their families at the Tardeo Police Station. The camp aimed to provide a variety of essential health screenings and tests, ensuring the well-being of those who tirelessly serve our community. Health Services

Offered: General Checkup Blood Sugar Blood Pressure Screening, Pulmonary Function Test, Bone Mineral Density, Eye Checkup, Dental Screening, Physiotherapy Screening, Over 125 police personnel participated enthusiastically in the camp, availing themselves of these critical health services. Tests such as ECG, blood sugar, ophthalmology, pulmonary function, bone density, dermatology, physiotherapy, and acupressure were conducted with utmost care and professionalism.

Acknowledgments: The success of this event would not have been possible without the dedicated efforts of numerous individuals and organizations.

A special thanks to: Yash and Vaishali Satam from the Mumbai Menopause Society for their administrative support.

Mr. Dinesh from Corona, who provided Bone Mineral Density and Nerve Conduction machines.

Rotarians Tarun, Sonal, Anisha, Hemangini, and above all, Rajesh, who stayed throughout the camp to ensure its smooth execution.

The Rotaract Club of Khalsa College and its President, Maaz, as well as intern doctors from the Rotary Club of Medical Marvels, led by their in-charge, Yash.

Kamal Kothari, whose generous sponsorship of a delicious lunch, including Shrikhand, kulfi, and soft drinks, brought joy and energy to the event. Parent Rotary Involvement:

The Rotary Club of Bombay Central, through its President and members, provided unwavering support as the parent club of this medical marvel.



This pilot project was a shining example of collaboration and dedication, leaving a significant impact on the lives of the police personnel and their families.

The Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade extends its gratitude to everyone who contributed to making this camp a grand success.

Together, we continue to work towards a healthier and happier community.



CLUB NEWS AND PROJECT UPDATES



Proud Moment for RCMCP!

We are thrilled to announce that our club has received two prestigious District Trophies in recognition of our impactful projects! 1. Rtn. Krishnendu Trophy for the Best Project in Water Management Special thanks to Rtn. Ashokbhai Bhansali for his unwavering support and guidance that made this achievement possible. 2. PDG Kishore Jobalia Trophy for our impactful Jaipur Foot Project A heartfelt thank you to Rtn. Nikunjibhai Jhaveri for his dedication and efforts that contributed to this honor. These achievements wouldn't have been possible without the collective efforts of RCMCP members. Your passion and commitment to service inspire us every day. A special note of gratitude to IPP Rtn. Tarun Gadia for his outstanding leadership, which has been instrumental in these accomplishments. Congratulations to each and every member of RCMCP for these well-deserved accolades! Together, we continue to shine and



Heartiest Congratulations from RCMCP!

We extend our warmest congratulations to Rtn. Bharati Bhatija on her incredible achievement of winning the CPRA election! Your dedication, hard work, and vision have truly set you apart, and this victory is a testament to your commitment to making a positive impact. We are also proud of your active participation in our projects, showcasing your passion for service and leadership within our community. Wishing you continued success in this new role and beyond. RCMCP stands with you in celebration and support! Congratulations once again!



Kudos to Rtn. Darshana M. Doshi!

RCMCP proudly appreciates and applauds the incredible initiative taken by Rtn. Darshana M. Doshi to bring smiles and nourishment to 130 orphaned girls at Shraddha Vihar, Veera Desai Road, Andheri West. Your thoughtful gesture of serving delicious chole bhature is a testament to your kindness and compassion. Acts like these truly embody the spirit of Rotary, making a tangible difference in the lives of those in need. Thank you for your unwavering commitment to service and for setting an inspiring example for us all. Well done, Darshana! Keep shining and spreading happiness.

