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Welcome President Rtn. Tapas Kr. Bhattacharyya, RY 2024-25

Minutes

1695 RFM dated 13th Jul, 2024

Attendees:

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| ▪ Kumkum Bose | ▪ Bhaskar Guha | ▪ Mala Chakraborty |
| ▪ Sailendra Nath Dewan | ▪ Rina Brahma | ▪ Deepak Mitra |
| ▪ Tutun De | ▪ Sanjay Kr. Saha | ▪ Itu Upadhaya |
| ▪ Tapas kr. Bhattacharyya | ▪ Reshme Dey | ▪ Ujjayini Das Sharma |
| ▪ Sanjay Kr. Saha | ▪ Sharmila Mitra | ▪ Indumoti Choudhury |

Discussion Points:

- The 39th installation ceremony was held on the 13th of July at 6.30 pm. The Executive Secretary (ES) Rtn. Dipak Mitra invited the dignitaries to take their seats on the dais.
- A minute's silence was observed in memory of PP Dev Kumar Mitra.
- ES requested the dignitaries AG Rtn T Srinithi and ZS Rtn Soma Sarkar to light the inaugural lamp.
- Thereafter the ES handed over the proceedings to the outgoing president.
- The Outgoing president called the 1695th RFM to order and Rtn. Tutun and Moushumi led the National Anthem.
- Outgoing president in his address thanked all members for their whole-hearted cooperation and mentioned some of the sustainable projects he had initiated.
- In the absence of the outgoing secretary, ES read out the Club Secretary's report.
- The outgoing president thereafter completed the formalities of installation of the incoming president by handing over the collar and Charter.
- In his address, the incoming president thanked his predecessor for setting a new trend of bonhomie and cooperation in the club. He also talked about his plans for future projects in synchronization with the District projects. He concluded his address with song, viz., "Nabo anonde jago..." by Rabindra Nath Tagore.
- The President Tapas Kr. Bhattacharyya called the new member Sharmila Mitra to introduce herself. The ZS handed over the Rotary kit, lapel pin and sapling to Mrs. Mitra.
- The president thereafter called Mrs. Ujjayini Das Sharma to introduce herself. A Rotary kit, lapel pin and a sapling were handed over to her by the ZS.
- The President asked the AG to address the members. AG emphasized upon expansion of membership and retention, focus on Interact Club and RCC. He

elaborated on a few projects on certain areas like cervical cancer, polio eradication etc.

- The President asked the AG to release the souvenir.
- The President requested a member to hand over a sapling to ZS.
- The President thereafter requested ZS to address the members
- The ZS in her speech requested everyone to take responsibility for society at large. She emphasized on expansion of membership, encouraged everyone to grow plants at home and save the greenery.
- The President requested the incoming secretary to read out the minutes.
- Post that, the proceedings were handed over to club service director Mala Chakravarty for a cultural program.
- A dance troupe known as Trikal delivered a colorful and mesmerizing performance.
- Rtn. Reshmi delivered the vote of thanks.
- The installation ceremony ended with a sumptuous dinner.
- Next date of the meeting has been fixed on 26th Jul 2024.

The Installation Ceremony

RY 2024-25



RCSLDT 39th Installation ceremony was held on 13th July at CF block community hall. District Assistant Governor and Zonal Secretary were present in this occasion.

A few glimpses from that evening.

Project – Natun Ghar, 21st July 2024

Helping an elderly home with supplies for a month

RCSLDT has executed their second project of the RY 2024-25 at Notun Ghar, a wing of an NGO Jagoroni. Notun ghar is a home for destitute ladies.

Grocery items were distributed to them in the presence of the President Tapas Kr. Bhattacharyya, first lady Soma, IPP Sailendra Nath Dewan and other club members and their families. Variety of items, sponsored by our club members were handed over to them.

The secretary of Jagoroni, elaborated on the different areas of social work they have undertaken and successfully implemented. She thanked the Rotarians for extending this support and urged everyone to come forward and help them in their endeavour.



From Editor's Desk

The first Rotarian on the Moon, Neil Armstrong



Neil Armstrong was a Rotarian who belonged to the Rotary Club of Wapakoneta, Ohio in the United States.

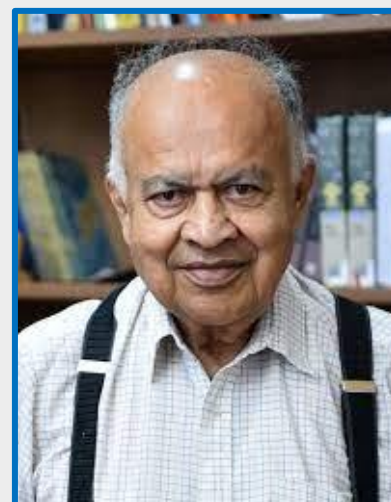
Because of his busy work situation, Armstrong was not necessarily a particularly active Rotarian. However, following his walk on the moon his home Club of Wapakoneta made him an honorary life member.

It is understood that he became more active in Rotary later in life after his retirement.

Remembrance of scientific minds of India

Jayant Vishnu Narlikar (born July 19, 1938) is an Indian Astrophysicist who is internationally well known for his remarkable work on Cosmology. He developed with his mentor Fred Hoyle, the Conformal Gravity theory, known as **Hoyle-Narlikar theory** which perfectly synthesises Albert Einstein 's General Theory of Relativity and Austrian Physicist Ernst Mach's principle.

Besides scientific papers and books and popular science literature, Narlikar has written science fiction, novels, and short stories in English, Hindi, and Marathi. He is also the consultant for the Science and Mathematics textbooks of NCERT (National Council of Educational Research and Training, India).



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Dates to Remember

Mark your calendar

July

2024

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
01 PROJECT - Doctors' Day	02	03	04 ANNIVERSARY - KUM KUM BOSE (RUP)	05	06	07
08	09	10	11	12	13 MEETING - Installation Ceremony	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 PROJECT - Natun Ghar
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