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58th Year of Service to the Mankind

**UNITE
 FOR
 GOOD**



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Rotary Monthly Theme (November): The Rotary Foundation
 Rotary International's monthly (November) theme is The Rotary Foundation Month, focusing on its mission to advance world understanding, peace, and goodwill through health, education, and poverty alleviation, empowering lasting change with Rotarian contributions. This theme encourages members to support The Rotary Foundation (TRF) for its vital work in polio eradication, peacebuilding, and sustainable community development.

The Rotary Foundation
Doing Good in the World

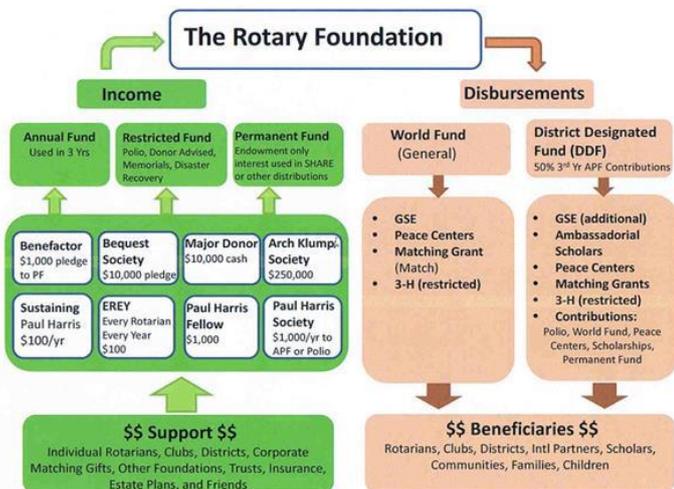
- Peacebuilding and Conflict Prevention
- Disease Prevention & Treatment
- Water, Sanitation & Hygiene
- Maternal & Child Health
- Basic Education & Literacy
- Community Economic Development
- Environment

The Rotary Foundation (TRF): Celebrating TRF as the engine for Rotary's global initiatives.
 Gratitude & Giving: Highlighting how donations create significant, lasting impact.
 Areas of Focus: Emphasizing Rotary's role in disease prevention (like polio), education, economic development, and disaster response



The Rotary Foundation (TRF) has invested over \$4 billion in sustainable humanitarian projects since its inception in 1917. Its achievements span several critical areas of focus, with 2025 marking major financial and service milestones.

- **Disease Reduction**: Since launching the PolioPlus program in 1985, Rotary has helped reduce polio cases by 99.9% globally.
- **Immunization**: More than 2.5 billion children have been immunized in 122 countries through Rotary's efforts.
- **Funding**: As of 2025, Rotary has contributed over \$2.1 billion to the global eradication effort, bolstered by a 2-to-1 matching partnership with the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.
- **Endowment Goal**: In 2025, the Foundation surpassed its "2.025 by 2025" campaign goal, reaching \$2.05 billion in net assets and commitments for its Endowment Fund.
- **Record Fundraising**: The Foundation raised more than \$569 million in the 2024–25 fiscal year alone, exceeding its annual goal by nearly \$70 million
- **Rotary Peace Centers**: Established in 2002, this program has trained more than 1,800 Peace Fellows who now serve in leadership roles in governments, NGOs, and international organizations like the UN.
- **Grant Distribution**: In the 2024–25 year, the Foundation awarded 1,424 global grants, 468 district grants, and 74 disaster response grants to support community-led projects.
- **Education and Literacy**: Over 350,000 scholarships have been awarded to date, and the Foundation supports massive literacy projects.



Projects/Events Organized in November 2025

Projects 01: Closing ceremony of Sharad Utsab @ Sustainable held on 4th November 2025.

The closing ceremony of Sharad Utsab @ Sustainable held on 4th November, 2025 at Triguna Sen Auditorium, Jadavpur university. at 5.30pm. RCEC was the lead host of the program under District 3291.

Rotary District 3291
Presents
Sustainable Sharadotsab Initiative
With
Scientific advisor
VECC, DAE, GOI
Knowledge partner
Jadavpur University
Environmental guidelines
CPCB, GOI
Collaborating partner clubs
Rotary Club of Dum Dum
Rotary Club of East Calcutta
Rotary Club of Anandbanman, Kolkata
Rotary Club of Calcutta Metro City
Rotary Club of Calcutta New Town
Rotary Club of Calcutta South East
Global partner
Rotary Club of London
Bengal Sanskriti Club Paternborough

Rotary District 3291 respectfully invites you to the Felicitation Ceremony and Concluding Event "Misti Mukh" of its Sustainable Sharadotsab Initiative, to be held on 4th November at 5:00 PM at the Triguna Sen Auditorium, Jadavpur University Main Campus. Your esteemed presence will greatly enrich this distinguished endeavor of Rotary International.

RSVP: 9681124126, 9836835567

Venue: Triguna Sen Auditorium, Jadavpur University (Main campus - gate Number 3), Kolkata 700032



Events 03: Official DG Visit on 12th November 2025

Rotary Club of East Calcutta
Welcomes
RID 3291
Rotary
East Calcutta

RTN. DR. RAMENDU HOMCHAUDHURI
DISTRICT GOVERNOR (2025-26)

OFFICIAL DG VISIT
12th November 2025 || 7 PM onwards
Rotary Bhawan, Beliaghata



Events 02: Bijoya Diwali-Sanmilani held on 5th November 2025.

Lets Celebrate Bijaya Get Together
SAMMILANI
5th November 2025 || 6.30 PM
ROTARY BHAWAN, BELIAGHATA
Organised by
ROTARY CLUB OF EAST CALCUTTA
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Projects 04: Children's Day Celebration "ALAAP" on 14th November 2025.

On the occasion of Children's Day, a token of love (kit) distributed to 60 students of LOUIS BRAILLE MEMORIAL SCHOOL 4.4(11), Blind school in Uttarpara, West Bengal under the leadership of Rtn. Haimanti Roy



Events 05: Exchange of Flag with RC Suncity Calcuta in RWM held on 26th November 2025.



Birth Days

ROTARY CLUB OF EAST CALCUTTA

WISHES



Happy Birthday

Rtn. Protul Kumar Sarkar

1st November 2025

From Board 2025-26



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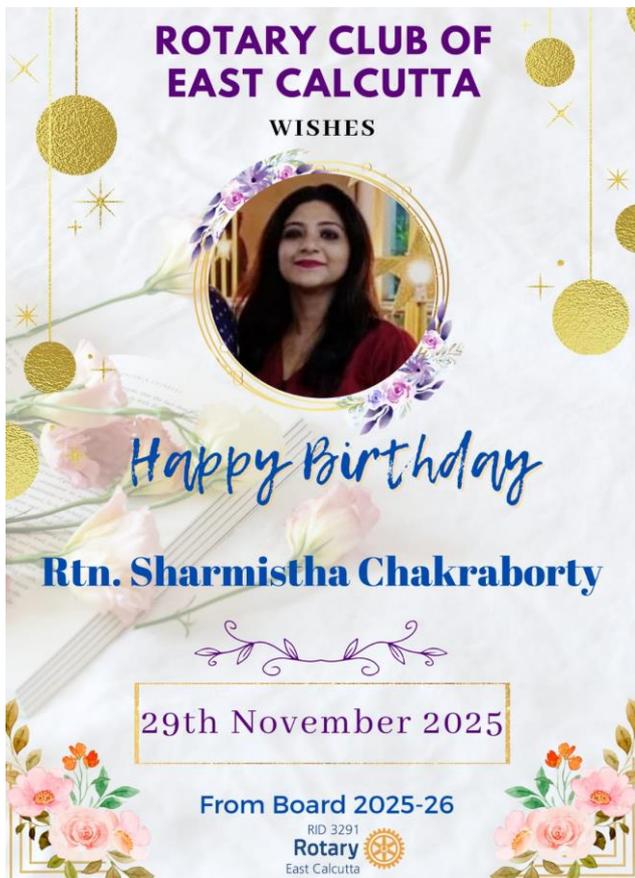
Happy Birthday

Rtn. Sarbajit Poddar

6th November 2025

From Board 2025-26





An Appeal

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

You are requested to deposit annual or half yearly club subscription at the earliest for regular projects and related activities. Those who are comfortable with online payment, can transfer to below bank details.

Details of bank a/c as follows:-

Account Holder Name - ROTARY CLUB OF EAST CALCUTTA TRUST

Bank Name - BANK OF BARODA

Branch Name - BELIAGHATA BR.

IFSC : BARB0BELIAG

SB A/c no. 00230100002520

You can also deposit the cheque. We shall issue the money receipt based on your transaction details or against cheque deposit.

Looking forward to your kind support in Rotary services.

Regards,

Rtn. Swati Basu

President 2025 -2026

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