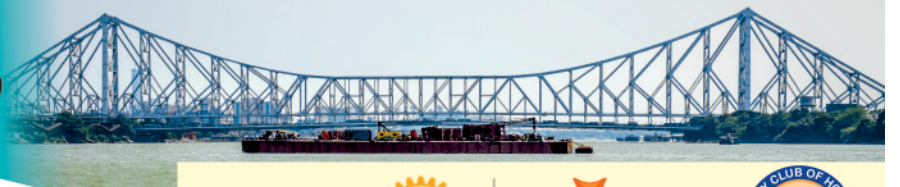


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ROTARY CLUB OF HOWRAH

Charter No. : 6835 Club No. : 16173 RID : 3291

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Minutes of the Regular weekly meeting no 3726 dt. 20 - 11 - 2024 held at RC Hall at 7 p.m.

President Rtn.Gopa Gayen was on chair. She welcome all the member present and requested PP Rtn. Maya Pal to lead the National Anthem. To-night the main agenda point was " Observation of Foundation Month ". The Key note speaker was PDG Rtn.Utpal Majumdar and the special guest was DGN Rtn.Tapas Bhattacharjee. After the club business carried out by the secretary Rtn.Santanu Banerjee , the stage was all set for the PP Rtn.Shibnath Dey, Foundation Chairman and handed over to him be the secretary to conduct the days proceedings.

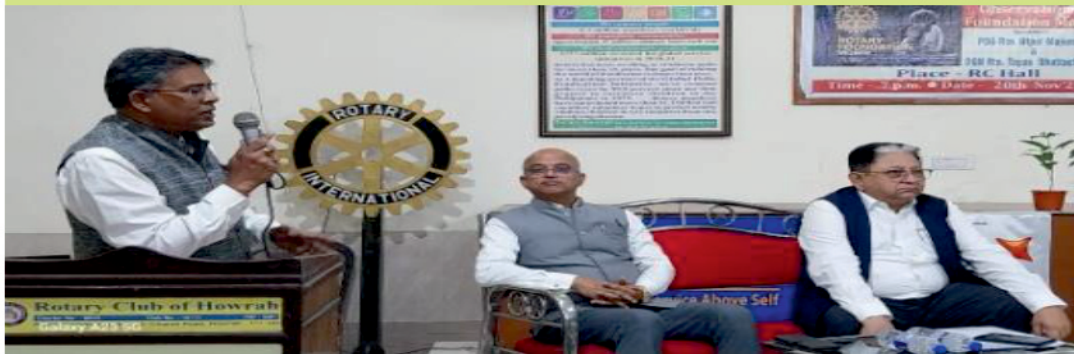
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Thrust on Global Grant / District Grant. DGN Rtn. Tapas Da spoke mainly on Global Grant and he explained the way it can be available if operated by 4/5 clubs. He then requested the member present to come forward for TRF contribution w/o which nothing can be matured easily. IPP Rtn.Dr.Debasis Sanyal offered vote of thanks to the audiences as well as the speakers of the day. President terminated the meeting at 8-20 p.m. after declaring the following :-

- a) Member present - 23 nos.
- b) S/shine box collections - Rs. 460/-
- c) Rtns. From outside clubs - 2 nos.
- d) Confirmation of minutes of last RWM held on 13th Nov'24.

Signature of President
(Rtn. Gopa Gayen)

Signature of Secretary
(Rtn. Santanu Banerjee)



INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- a) **World Rotary at a glance :- (As on 17th Sept'24) :-** Rotary Members - 11,63,664 nos., Rotary Clubs - 36,635 nos , Rotaract Clubs -8,938 nos , Rotaract Members -1,18,727 nos, Interact Clubs -15,195 nos , Interact Members -3,49,577 nos RCCs-13,588 nos.
- b) **South Asia Rotary at a glance (As on 01-09 -2024) :-** Rotary Members - 1.93,504 nos. Rotary Clubs - 5,516 nos. Rotaract Clubs - 2,602 nos, Rotaract Members - 29,300 nos, Interact Clubs - 6,095 nos, RCCs - 7,736 nos,
- c) **Rotary India at a glance (As on 01-09-2024) :-** Rotary Members - 1,74,561 nos, Rotary Clubs - 4,659nos, Rotaract Clubs - 1,866 nos, Rotaract members - 28,620 nos, Interact Clubs - 5,401 nos, RCCs - 7,185 nos

CLUB NEWS

- 1) Birthday greetings wishes to PP Rtn.Dr.Bula Mukherjee which falls on 7th Oct'24 , IPP Rtn.Dr. Debasis Sanyal which falls on 13th Oct'24, Rtn.Subir Ranjan Mondal which falls on 19th Oct'24, PP Rtn.Tanmay de which falls on 23rd Oct'24 and Rtn. Avishek das which falls on 31st Oct'24 respectively.
- 2) The RID 3291 Directory has been released formally . Six nos District Directory have been purchased by us and already distributed to the persons concerned..
- 3) The official DG visit day of our club has been fixed on 16th Feb'25 at 7 p.m. Let us keep this date reserved now onwards.
- 4) The club short tour to Ghatshila is tentatively fixed for 3rd March – 6th March. PP Rtn.Saugata is co-ordinating everything. Interested member may please contact him.

DISTRICT NEWS

- 1) " Meet & Greet "of the Team 2025-26 was held at Victory Lounge, Fort William, Kolkata, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m on 17th Nov'24 .
- 2) GML for Sept'24 has been published. Publication of all the activities of RC Howrah for Aug'24 was there. Hence we completed the one of the criteria " Club activities to be published in the GML at least for all activities in two GML publications " .
- 3) Our member PP Rtn.Subhrangshu Datta and Rtn.Anima Datta attended the RID 3291 Bijaya-Diwli Meet 'Dipalika "held on 27th Oct'24 . Congrats.
- 4) Rotary Foundation Seminar 2024 will be held on 24th Nov'24 , Sunday, 2p.m. to 6 p.m. Registration charges – Rs.500/- p. person . Hi-tea will be served.
- 5) RILM needs volunteers to help in making India totally Literate. You can , teach adult learners, visit the adult literacy centres, monitor & evaluate the performance of learners, conduct exams, handover certificates.visit www.rotaryteach.org for details.

Report on " Observation of Foundation month " held on 2-11-2024 held at RC Hall at 7 p.m.

RC Howrah organised one seminar on " Observation of Foundation Month " at their own venue on 20th Nov'24. The Key note speaker was PDG Rtn.Utpal Majumdar and the special guest was DGN Rtn.Tapas Bhattacharjee on this occasion. After the club business carried out by the secretary Rtn.Santanu Banerjee at their RWM, the stage was all set for the PP Rtn.Shibnath Dey, Foundation Chairman and it was handed over to him be the secretary to conduct the proceedings.

Rtn.Shibnath Dey welcomed and called the chief Guest cum Key note speaker and the special guest to dais and welcomed them in Rotary manner and rituals were completed. PP Rtn.Subhrangshu Datta escorted them to dais. Club members of RC Chandannagar & RC Arunaday also participated in this seminar. PDG Rtn Majumdar restricted his speech in the boundary of Rotary Foundation only. He nicely explained the Various aspect of TRF as well as given Thrust on Global Grant / District Grant. DGN Rtn. Tapas Da spoke mainly on Global Grant and he explained the way it can be available if operated by 4/5 clubs. He then requested the member present to come forward for TRF contribution w/o which nothing can be matured easily.

President Rtn.Gopa, PP Rtn. Dilip Da interacted and DGN. Rtn.Tapas Da nicely clarified both.

IPP Rtn.Dr.Debasis Sanyal offered vote of thanks to the audiences as well as the speakers of the day. Token of appreciation s were handed over to the speakers at the end. Fellowship was arranged sponsored by Foundation Chair PP Rtn.Shibnath Dey.



- Please Note :-**
- a) First semi annual subscription from PP Rtn.Tushar Kanti Ghosh and PP Rtn.Sunil Kr:Das have already been collected from them after giving a visit to their house by the secretary . Hence as on date outstanding dues remain from 8 nos members.
 - b) Secretary PP Rtn. Santanu Banerjee will be out of station w.e.f. 29th Nov'24 to 9th Dec'24 to Chennai and Kanyakumari. Hence preparation of bulletin and other secretarial work may be taken care of by the president for this period.
 - c) This bulletin is sponsored by Rtn. Dr.Monosij Dhara and Rtn.Sankar Kr.Sanyal.

TO-NIGHT'S PROGRAMME

Discussion on Observation of " Foundation Month " **Election or selection of office Bearers for the Rotary Year 2025-26 from the floor or by constituting a nominating committee from the floor.**

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