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ROTARY CLUB OF HOWRAH

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

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Minutes of RWM no 3719 dt.11-09-2024 held at RC hall at 7 p.m.

Rtn. Gopa Gayen was on chair. She welcomed the member present and others and requested Rtn.Gopa Mondal to lead the National Anthem. After the National anthem president detailed the events done during the last 10 days, viz, " observation of membership retention ". Then she invited the member present to come forward to welcome the Chief guest PDG Rtn. Mukul Sinha . Rtn.Santanu Banerjee , Secretary , carried the club business. The birthday greeting card was handed over. The Chief guest was welcomed with Uttario and a small token by the president.

Secretary gave birds eye view of Rotary to the teachers and other guests and introduced IPP Rtn.Dr.Debasis Sanyal, First lady Smt.Shakuntala Sanyal and PP Rtn.Shibnath Dey for their excellent performance during the last Rotary Year and for winning all awards , Viz, Outstanding President, Outstanding Secretary, DG Citation and R.I .President Citation. Then he invited the literacy Chair Rtn. Rama Sanyal for conducting the main event of the evening " Observation of Literacy Month" & other projects of Eazy School 3.

Rtn. Rama Sanyal conducted the ceremony nicely and involved 17 members present in the ceremony. Hi tea was served to all the members, guests and teachers who were present on this occasion.

PDG Rtn. Mukul Sinha in his speech informed that RC Howrah is the first club to give the " Sabitri Devi Phule Award " in RID 3291 .President offered "Teacher's Day greeting to all members who are in education field as teacher.

IPP Rtn. Dr. Debasis Sanyal gave the vote of thanks , and then president terminated the meeting at 8-20 p.m. after the following declarations :-

- a) Confirmation of last minute of the meeting.
- b) Member Presence - 21 nos.
- c) S/shine box collection - Rs.420/-

Signature of President
(Rtn. Gopa Gayen)

Signature of Secretary
(Rtn. Santanu Banerjee)



INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- a) **World Rotary at a glance :- (As on 15th June'24) :-** Rotary Members - 11,81,186 nos., Rotary Clubs - 36,978 nos, Rotaract Clubs - 10,634 nos, Rotaract Members - 1,62,325 nos, Interact Clubs - 14,613 nos, Interact Members - 3,36,191 nos RCCs-13,460-nos.
- b) **South Asia Rotary at a glance (As on 01-06 -2024) :-** Rotary Members - 1,97,164 nos. Rotary Clubs - 5,631 nos. Rotaract Clubs - 3,545 nos, Rotaract Members - 70,435 nos, Interact Clubs - 5,663 nos, RCCs - 7,640 nos.
- c) **Rotary India at a glance (As on 01-06-2024) :-** Rotary Members - 1,75,870 nos, Rotary Clubs - 4,651 nos, Rotaract Clubs - 2542 nos, Rotaract members - 54,458 nos, Interact Clubs - 5,000 nos, RCCs - 7,088 nos

SECRETARY'S DESK AND CLUB NEWS :-

- 1) Our Club member PP Rtn.Tanmay De has been hospitalised due to ailment. We all pray for his speedy recovery.
- 2) **Observation of Teacher's Day :-** RC Howrah will felicitate following personnel to-night's evening. in presence of PDG Rtn. Mukul Sinha and his spouse Smt. Rakhi Sinha.
Rtn. Rama Sanyal , Literacy Chair (2024-25) proposed all names and Rtn.Sarbadev Sanyal seconded the same for felicitation on Teacher's Day . Both of them also sponsored entire programme. Our President Elect Rtn.Sankar Kr.Sanyal has proposed the name of the one woman teacher candidate for " Savitri Bai Phule Award " which was seconded by Rtn.Rama Sanyal, Literacy Chair (2024-25) .
The details of the Teachers are given below :-



Smt. Mala Mukherjee
She is from Birbhum District . Presently, Working as Headmistress at Shibpur Hindu Girls Primary school w.e.f. 2017 onwards.



Smt. Arpita Manna
She is from Kanchrapara. Presently, working as the Headmistress of Howrah Deshbandhu Balika Vidyalaya, Primary section w.e.f. 2014.



Smt. Arpita Ghosh Roy
She is from Howrah, and presently working as Head Mistress of Tara Sundari Balika Vidyalaya, Primary Section, Howrah.



Sri Tarak Nath Ghosal
He is from Howrah, and presently a teacher of B.K.Paul Institution, Baje Shibpur, Howrah



Prof. Dr. Soma Das
Lal Baba Collage (Bengali section)
She is M.A,B.Ed,PHD & will be felicitated for " Savitri Bai Phule Award ".



Smt. Shampa Guha
Teaching carrier started in 2007
Presently a teacher in Maria's Day School.



Smt. Srabani Maity
Teaching started in 2001.
Presently a teacher in Maria's Day School.
Involved in dance academi.

3) **Women Teacher Recognition (Savitri Bai Phule Award)- A RID 3291 Initiation :-** RC Howrah felicitated Mrs. Soma Das , Professor of Bengali of Lal Baba Collage, Bally, for her immense contribution in the field of basic education under the Eazy School 3 (an initiative of RID 3291) at RC Hall on 11th Sept'24, Howrah . The Chief Guest of the programme was PDG Rtn. Mukul Sinha, RID Literacy Chair. In his speech PDG Mukul Da explained the situation why this special award was selected to be given and he also informed that probably this is the first club of our District who are felicitating Woman teacher for this coveted award. For this he specifically thanked President Rtn. Gopa as well as Secretary Rtn. Santanu. There were total 39 nos. of audience on this occasion and Hi-tea was arranged . She was felicitated with one Uttario, one special Memento as well as one sweet packet on behalf of the club. IPP Rtn. Dr. Debasis Sanyal offered the vote of thanks.



- 4) Our Club RC Howrah earned R. I. Citation for Rotary Year 2023-24 and it is consecutive 3rd time during the last 3 years. Congratulations to all of you.
- 5) Members who did not cleared their semi annual dues so far may please clear their dues.
- 6) Members may please prepare yourselves for the successful completion of "Sharad Swikriti " project to be held on 6th Oct'24 at RCC Chironabin .The members are requested to contribute the cash/kind as per their commitment as early as possible to the treasurer for successful completion of the project.
- 7) PP Rtn. Tanmay De is out of danger now and has been released from the hospital.
- 8) One new computer has been installed at the office room of the club building and running smoothly.
- 9) Birthday greetings wishes to PP Rtn. Prajapati Mondal which falls on 22nd Sept'24 and PP Rtn. Dwarkanath Datta which falls on 28th Sept'24.



TO-NIGHT'S PROGRAMME Discussion on "Observation of Literacy month" & Teacher's Day celebration

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