



ROTARY CLUB OF HOWRAH

Rotary



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The Bridge

CLUB BUSINESS & CLUB NEWS :

1. RC Howrah hosted Happy School SANS Frontier Phase - 1 with other Rotary clubs (Satyananda Vidyamandir, Dherua , Lalgargh) which was inaugurated on 28th June'25. From our club , PP Rtn. Maya Pal , PP Rtn. Subhrangshu Datta, Rtn. Sarbadev Sanyal, Rtn. Anima Datta and VP Rtn. Rama Sanyal attended the ceremony at Lalgargh, Jhargram.
2. PP Rtn. Santanu Banerjee and PP Rtn. Shibnath Dey attended the 31st Installation Ceremony and Charter Night celebration of RC Kabitirtha held at Victry Lounge, Fort William complex , Kolkata on 30th June'25.
3. We extend Birth day greetings to Rtn. Indrajit Sen, PP Rtn. Sunil Kr.Das , Rtn. Indranath Mukherjee and President Rtn. Dr. Sankar Kr.Sanyal which falls on 8th July, 22nd July , 24th July and 30th July respectively. Similarly we extend the Marriage Day greetings to PP Rtn. D. K.Das which falls on 15th July.
4. PP Rtn. Subhrangshu Datta and Rtn. Mrs. Seba Gupta attended the blood donation camp organised by RID 3291 to observe the Doctor's Day held on 1st July'25 at Rotary Sadan from morning 10 a.m. onwards. Total 83 nos of persons donated blood on this occasion .
5. Changeover ceremony of RID 3291 was held on 1st July'25 at Bhasa Bhavan , National Library ,Kolkata at 6-30 p.m. So Rotary year 2025-26 started to Unite for Good to extend service to needy people.
6. Secretary Rtn. Santanu Banerjee will be out of station to Hyderabad w.e.f. 1st Aug '25 to 8th Aug'25.
7. We have updated the Rotary India web-site up to June'25 and Monthly report has been sent to RID 3291 in time.
8. Since our club web-site maintenance person has met an accident, this has not been updated after 25th June'25 . Once he recovered , which may take another 10 days , necessary updates will be made.

R.I. President



Rtn. Francesco Arezzo
Dist. Governor



Rtn. Ramendu Homchoudhuri
Club President



Rtn. Dr. Sankar Kumar Sanyal
Club Secretary
Bulletin Editor



Rtn. Santanu Banerjee

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THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say, or do

1. Is it **TRUTHFUL**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



78TH YEAR OF TRUST & CONTINUOUS SERVICE
FOR NEEDY COMMUNITY PERSONS

I'M
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ERADICATE
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ROTARY'S SEVEN AREAS OF FOCUS



Dear Magical Members,

Rotary Year 2024-25 is over . As an editor of the club , I thank the all the BOD members for their excellent performance during 2024-25. From my side I tried to reach the each RWM bulletin to all the absentee members for their information and record. But unfortunately no member acknowledged the receipt of the same.



Although I feel more service could have been extended from my side subject to your suggestion. Please do forgive me for any inadvertent shortcomings of mine. I can definitely state without any hesitation that we bonded well and with sincerity I have tried to reach you every occasion to provide meaningful , enjoyable, impactful information.

Now let us welcome our new leader and pledge to be of any assistance to our dear Rtn.Sankar Da and to follow the R.I. Presidntial message "Unite for Good" in both spirits and reality. Thank you very much once again.

Yours-in-Rotary,
Rtn. Santanu Banerjee
Editor (2025-26)



1. Heartiest Congratulations and Best Wishes to our beloved District Governor , Dr. Rtn.Ramandu Homchaudhuri , on this special " Change over day " , **July. 1st, 2025.** Wishing you a remarkable year ahead as well as National Doctors' day, a day that honours the dedication of Indian medical professionals and commemorates the legacy of Dr. B. C. Roy, a pioneer in public health. Together , we remain committed to fulfilling your noble vision of a Thalassemia -free world.. I feel preveliged to be a part of his team as the President of RC Howrah for the year 2025-26.
2. My heartfelt congratulations to IPP Rtn.Gopa Gayen, Rtn.Santanu Banerjee, PP Rtn.Subhrangshu Datta, PP Rtn. Shibnath Dey, PP Rtn.D. K .Das , PP Rtn. Maya pal and all senior and esteemed members of RC Howrah, along with the dignitaries present , on the grand success of meticulously planned and wonderfully executed Installation Ceremony held on 2nd July'25 at Kathakali Banuet, Howrah. It was truly an inspiring and commendable event. The unwavering dedication , sincerity and exemplary teamwork of our Rotarian friends have significantly furthered the noble ideals and objectives of Rotary.
3. We thank everyone who contributed to the grand success of the event . Please convey my warm regards and best wishes to all Rotarians , District officials , participants and well-wishers.



With warm regards and best wishes ,

Yours-in-Rotary
Dr. Sankar Kr. Sanya
President/ RC Howrah (2025-26)

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Member's Contribution to Polio Plus Fund and TRF

Rotary Howrah contributed \$1514 and became the First Champion Rotary Club of RID 3291 for contribution to Polio Plus Fund during Rotary Year 2025-26. Moreover six of their Rotarian members contributed a further sum of \$ 600 to Polio Plus Fund. These members are PP Rtn.Maya Pal , PP Rtn.Subhrangshu Datta, PP Rtn.Dr.Bula Mukherjee, Rtn.Gopa Gayen, Rtn.Rama Sanyal and

Rtn.Anima Datta and they contributed \$100 each while PDG Rtn.Mukul Sinha requested for three members to contribute.

PP Rtn. Maya Pal contributed \$ 2000 in the hand of Rtn. Ramendu Homchaudhuri , DG/ 2025-26 , on the day of Installation Ceremony which was held on 2nd July25 at Kathakali Banquet. All PDGs and District official present were overwhelmed by this gesture and appreciated RC Howrah ultimately for motivating



Minutes of the First RWM (No 3757) for the Rotary Year 2025-26 (Installation Ceremony) dt. 2nd July'25 held at " Kathakali Banquet "at 7 p.m.

Meeting started sharp at 7 p.m. maintaining the tradition of the RC Howrah. Secretary Rtn.Santanu Banerjee welcomed all the dignitaries, members, guests and introduced the Master of Ceremony Mrs. Swagata Sanyal Lahiri, youngest daughter of PE Rtn. Sankar Kr.Sanyal. The meeting was called to order by the president Rtn.Gopa Gayen and started with National Anthem. Then MC invited Rtn.Dr.Ramandu homchaudhuri, DG (2025-26) the Chief Guest, Rtn. Purnendu Roychowdhury DGN, the Special Guest , PE Rtn.Sankar Kr.Sanyal and National Cricketer Sri Laxmi Ratan Shukla the Guest of Honour, respectively, to take their seat at the dais.

The ceremony of lighting of the lamp was held and the Present president Rtn.Gopa Gayen briefed the activities and projects done during her period to all the persons present. Rtn. Dr.Sankar Kr.Sanyal was then inducted as the president of the club for the R.Y.2025-26, maintaining all rituals in presence of the guests and the audiences after giving a short citation on him digitally. After being installed , he welcomed all the guests on and off the dais . He felicitated the dignitaries as well as the outgoing president, secretary and treasurer serially. Then he placed his desired plans and programmes of the year 2025-26 and took the blessings of member Rotarians who completed 78 years of age and above. PP Rtn.Sunil Kr.Das (91 years) , PP Rtn.T.K.Ghosh (85 years) and PP Rtn.K.L.Seal (84 years) were absent on this occasion on health ground.

As per tradition and guideline of RC Howrah the Board Members were introduced in front of the RID officials as well as the gathering. Mean while new president also felicitated the first lady president PP Rtn.Maya Pal, Rtn. Dr.Debasis Sanyal & Rtn.Shibnath Dey, the president and secretary of the year of his induction in this club respectively.

Five new members including two lady members were inducted in the RC Howrah Family by the new president in presence of PDGs of RID 3291. Rtn. Mrs.Seba Gupta (ID No- 12374099), Rtn.Mrs.Sikha Sanyal(ID No-12374078), Rtn.Niranjan Das (ID No- 12374195) , Rtn.Samiran Roy(ID No-12374119) , Rtn. Samir Basu Roy Chowdhury(ID No-12374179).

Presence of Guests present from RID 3291 , PDGs, Officials ,ladies of the District as well as other club representatives were acknowledged by the Secretary(2025-26) Rtn.Santanu Banerjee, on behalf of the club. They were, PDGs Rajani Mukherjee, Utpal Majumdar, Jhulan Basu, Angshuman Bandyopadhyay, Mukul Sinha, Smt.Shyamasree Sen, Prabir Chatterjee and Braja Gopal Kundu. Among RID officials, Rtn.Debi Prasad Basu, Chief Aid Rtn.Ramakrishnan Shab, Rtn.Sayak Gupta, Rtn.Bratin Mallick, Rtn.Subhajit Roy, Rtn. Barnali Banerjee, Rtn. Dr.Pamela Ghosh and Captain Rtn.Sunanda Ghosh were present. Past first ladies , viz. Ballari Mukherjee, Bandana Kundu, Rakhi Sinha, Madam Sucharita Roy Chowdhury and Madam Sujata Mallick were also present.

Then after brief introduction by the Rtn. Santanu Banerjee about the Spl. Guests, DGN Rtn.Purnendu Roy Chowdhury and Sri Dipak Saha Roy Hon.Justice of Kolkata High Court delivered their speech respectively.

Then after a proper and interestingly detailed introduction, Rtn. Dr.Ramendu Homchaudhuri , the Chief Guest mesmerised the audience through his well voiced , informative and knowledgeable expert speech. Many audience felt to interact since it was really fantastic effort on his part even he extended his speech for more than half an hour and he was presented one beautiful closing song by our Annet Dr. Mrs. Debmitra Sanyal as a gesture from RC Howrah.

PE Rtn.Indrajit Sen offered vote of thanks on behalf of the club.

First lady of the RID 3291 Rtn.Dr.Bandana Homchaudhuri remarked that the retention procedure adopted by RC Howrah may be followed by the district w/o fail now onwards.

Meeting ended at 9-30 p.m. and president Rtn. Dr. Sankar Kr. Sanyal invited everyone to enjoy the fellowship dinner hosted by RC Howrah after declaring the following :-

- Member present – 32 nos.
- S/shine box collections – Rs.1600/-
- Confirmed the minutes of last RWM.

Signature of President

(Rtn.Dr.Sankar Kr.Sanyal)

Signature of Secretary

(Rtn.Santanu Banerjee)



TO-NIGHT'S PROGRAMME

Discussion on 78th Installation Ceremony

NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAMME

Discussion on Future Plan



INDUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS

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Among RID officials, Rtn. Debi Prasad Basu, Chief Aid Rtn. Ramakrishnan Shab, Rtn. Sayak Gupta, Rtn. Bratin Mallick, Rtn. Subhajit Roy, Rtn. Barnali Banerjee, Rtn. Dr. Pamela Ghosh and Captain Rtn. Sunanda Ghosh were present. Past first ladies , viz. Ballari Mukherjee, Bandana Kundu, Rakhi Sinha, Madam Sucharita Roy Chowdhury and Madam Sujata Mallick were also present.. We consider this induction event was a memorable one so far as our club is concern.



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