



# ROTARY CLUB OF HOWRAH



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

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## The Bridge

### CLUB MATTERS

1. Birth day greetings extended to PP Rtn.Dr.Anil Paul , PP Rtn.Rabindranath Datta , PP Rtn.Dr.D.K.Datta ,Rtn.Jaijit Sen PP Rtn.Maya Paul ,Rtn. Alope Adhya whose birthday falls on 2<sup>nd</sup> march, 1<sup>st</sup> march , 2<sup>nd</sup> march , 22<sup>nd</sup> March ,14<sup>th</sup> March and 4<sup>th</sup> march resp. Marriage Day greetings to PP Rtn.Tanmay De ,PP Rtn.Dr.Debasis Sanyal ,Rtn.Subhajit Nandy which falls on 7<sup>th</sup> March, 8<sup>th</sup> March, 4<sup>th</sup> March resp..
2. Second Semi Annual Dues has been paid to Rotary South Asia office on 9<sup>th</sup> Feb'26 . For the member it comes to Rs.9350/- ( Jan'26 to Jun'26 ). Please pay the sum within time ..
3. Audited B/sheet has been received for 2024-25 and has been posted at Rotary India Web-site.
4. Club drama " Ka,Ba,Ya" by famous writer BANPHUL will be staged in the month of May'26 last week. Club Monthly Report has been generated for Feb'26 and sent to RID 3291 On 4<sup>th</sup> March'26..Club activity report has also been sent for publication in GML.
5. In the Weekly Meeting of Rotary Club of Howrah (RWM no 3789) held on 25th February 2026 decided that Rotary Club of Howrah will collaborate the Sepaktakraw Association of Howrah to organize 2nd edition of the Inter-District Sepaktakraw Championship, 2026 which will be held on 8th March 2026, Sunday from 10.00 AM to 5.00 PM at HIT Stadium, Ghusuri.
6. **Report on DG/RID 3291 official club visit for the Rotary year 2025-26**  
The DG's official club visit was scheduled on 16<sup>th</sup> Feb'26 at 6-30 p.m. Rtn. Dr. Ramendu Homchaudhuri, District Governor RID3291 reached the club sharp at 7 p.m. along with first lady Rtn. Dr. Bandana Homchaudhuri & Jt.Secretary Rtn.Ramakrishnan. As per programme finalised by the DG's office, a 30 minutes fellowship programme was scheduled inside the office room. The persons participated in this meeting were President Rtn. Dr. Sankar Kumar Sanyal, Secretary PP Rtn. Santanu Banerjee, Treasurer PP Rtn. Subhrangshu Datta, Chair Membership PP Rtn. Rabindra Nath Datta, Chair Foundation PP Rtn. Maya Paul, President Elect Rtn. Indrajit Sen, Vice President Rtn. Rama Sanyal, District Joint Secretary and our Interact Co-ordinator Chandranath Ram. In this fellowship meeting the documentation part were placed and discussed. This meeting ended in 30 minutes after having light refreshments and tea arranged by PP Rtn.Shibnath Dey, Chair ( Admn ).  
DG and his team were very much satisfied for uploading all the documents as well as the activities of the club at "ROTARY INDIA " and " MY ROTARY " site. The latest audited accounts & the accounts up to January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2026 along with Auditor's report were also submitted to the RID team.

#### R.I. President



Rtn. Francesco Arezzo  
Dist. Governor



Rtn. Ramendu Homchaudhuri  
Club President



Rtn. Dr. Sankar Kumar Sanyal  
Club Secretary  
Bulletin Editor



Rtn. Santanu Banerjee

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4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



7. **Report on 79<sup>th</sup> CHARTER NIGHT CELEBRATION ::**  
79<sup>th</sup> Chartered Night was celebrated by Rotary Club of Howrah on February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2026 with full enthusiasm. It started immediately after the completion of official DG visit. The lighting of the lamp was done by the senior most past president Rtn. Dr. Anil Kumar Paul in presence of DG/RID 3291 and the First lady of the District. There was gathering of 60 persons . Birth day cake was cut on this occasion by the senior members and their spouses. The presence of DG and RID 3291 secretariat along with the First lady of the District was an added attraction. PP Rtn. Dr. Anil Paul spoke on the journey of 79 years of the club.. He specially spoke on RC Howrah's fellowship portion which was the main pillar of spending this 79 years.



Arrangement of sumptuous dinner including limited fellowship was also there. This time everything was successfully arranged by PP Rtn.Shibnath Dey. The programme was ended at 10=45 p.m.

## Minutes of the Regular Weekly Meeting No. 3788 ( District Governor Official Club Visit of the Rotary year 2025 – 26 ) dated February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at Rotary Community Hall at 7 p.m.

RWM No. 3788 started at 7=45 p.m. President Rtn. Dr. Sankar Kumar Sanyal called the meeting to order and this was followed by National Anthem lead by PP Rtn. Maya Paul. President welcomed every body present at the community hall on this occasion. Secretary PP Rtn. Santanu Banerjee conducted the rituals. Accordingly District Governor Rtn. Dr. Ramenda Homchaudhuri was escorted to dais by PP Rtn. Subhrangshu Datta and welcomed by offering uttario by the First lady of our club Rtn. Sikha Sanyal. First lady of RID3291 Dr. Bandana Homchaudhuri & District Joint Secretary were also escorted to dais and welcomed by offering uttario by the first lady of our club again.. DG was officially introduced by PP Rtn. Santanu Banerjee and carried out the club business as per norms. Then President Rtn. Dr. Sankar Kumar Sanyal placed the detailed club activities upto January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2026 which was duly acknowledged by the DG and his team. Then the baton was handed over to DG for conducting his club assembly. DG carried and assured the member present that RC Howrah followed the guideline properly so far as DG visit is concerned. PP Rtn. announced the names of the members who already paid the amount for construction of roof top for which the budget has been fixed at Rs.5.5 lacs. Meanwhile PP Rtn Subhrangshu Datta lead the members and DG as well as others for Bhumi Puja to the terrace and after coming back DG announced that if RC Howrah construct at the 1<sup>st</sup> floor one Thalassaemia Detection centre then he will contribute Rs.1,00,000=00 from his fund for construction. The vote of thanks was offered by PP Rtn. Shibnath Dey.



RWM was terminated by the President at 8=30 p.m. and requested all present to join fellowship dinner after declaring the following :-

- a) Member present –32 nos. b) Sun Shine Box collection – Rs. 640.00. c) Confirmation of minutes of RWM No. 3787.

*Signature of President*  
(Rtn. Dr. Sankar Kr. Sanyal)

*Signature of Secretary*  
(PP Rtn. Santanu Banerjee)

## Report on 4<sup>th</sup> Blood Donation Camp :-

The Fourth Blood donation camp along with Eye Check up Camp was organised by RC Howrah in association with Howrah Netaji Subhash Road Byabosayi Samity on 22nd February 2026. Donation started from 10.30am. Donation target was 60 heads which was fulfilled. Blood was collected by Lion's Club. The camp was inaugurated by Sri Arup Kr. Roy, Minister In-Charge of W.B. Govt. in presence of PE Rtn. Indrajit Sen and Rtn. Aloke Kr. Aadhya. PE Rtn. Indrajit Sen led the group of RC Howrah with PP Rtn. Subhrangshu Dutta, PP Rtn. Sibnath Dey, VP Rtn Mrs. Rama Sanyal, PP Rtn. Dilip Das, PP Rtn. Monojit Sen, Rtn. Sarbadev Sanyal and Rtn. Mrs. Seba gupta was present at the place (Samitie's own new building opposite to Girish Jewelers, Kalibabu Bazar, Howrah. RC Howrah has donated Rs 8000/- on this project for arranging entire food for the donors. Both the camps ended at 3 p.m.



## INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- The next year R.I. Convention will be held on 13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> June'26 at Taipei, Taiwan.
- Rotary Worldwide:-** (As on 19<sup>th</sup> Dec'25)

Rotary Clubs	Rotary Members	Rotaract Clubs	Rotaract Members	Interact Clubs	Interact Members	RCCs	RID 3291	RC How
36,625	11,67,882	9,841	1,43,470	18,549	4,26,788	14,258	Clubs-143; Members-3951	Mem -47

- \$ 1 = Rs.92/- w.e.f 01-02-2026.

## Minutes of the Regular Weekly Meeting No. 3789 dated February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at Rotary Community Hall at 7=00 p.m.

RWM No. 3789 started sharp at 7=00 p.m. President Rtn. Dr. Sankar Kumar Sanyal called the meeting to order and this was followed by National Anthem lead by PP Rtn. Maya Paul. President welcomed every body present at the meeting. In absence of Secretary PP Rtn. Santanu Banerjee, President Elect Rtn. Indrajit Sen acted as Secretary and he conducted the club business. Then President request senior members to spoke about the District Governor's Official club visit & celebration 79<sup>th</sup> Chartered Night. PP Rtn. Dr. Anil Kumar Paul, PP Rtn. Dr. Dilip Kumar Datta, PP Rtn. Dilip Kumar Das, PP Rtn. Maya Paul elaborately discuss the last RWM programme. On February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026 Blood Donation & Eye Check up Camp jointly with Netaji Subhas Road Babosayee Samity held and approximate 60 persons donated blood. From our club PP Rtn. Dilip Kumar Das, PP Rtn. Subhrangshu Datta, PP Rtn. Monojit Sen, PE Rtn. Indrajit Sen, VP Rtn. Rama Sabyal, Rtn. Sarbodev Sanyal & Rtn. Seba Gupta present. President requested Rotarians and their family members to join Rotary Family Picnic at " GHARANA RESORT " at Singur. Contribution per head Rs.400=00 balance subsidies by president.



Meeting was closed by President Rtn.dr.Sankar Kr.Sanyal at 8 p.m. after the following declaration :-

- a) Member present –18 nos. b) Sun Shine Box collection – Rs. 360.00. c) Confirmation of last minutes of the meeting.



## CLUB PICNIC of R.C. Howrah For the Rotary Year 2025-26

The Club picnic of RC Howrah has been held at Gharana Resort at Singoor, Hoogly on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2026. The Star attraction was the presence of PP Rtn.Dr.Anil Pal. Moreover along with president Sankar Da and his family members , Rtn.Sikha Sanyal, PP Rtn.Dr.D.K.Datta and Shibani Di, PP Rtn.Shibnath Dey and his family, VP Rtn.Rama sanyal, Rtn.Sarbadev Sanyal, Rtn.Gopa Mondal, PP Rtn.Prajapati Mondal, PP Rtn.Dwarka Datta and his family,PP Rtn.Subhrangshu Datta, Rtn. Anima Datta, PP Rtn.Nisith Sen, PP Rtn. Dr.Bula Mukherjee, IPP Rtn.Gopa Gayen, PP Rtn.Maya Paul, PE Rtn.Indrajit Sen, IWC member Paramita, Dipa were present on this occasion. The team left Kriya Path Laboratory after taking tea at 9-30 a.m.and reached in time. Break fast, sumptuous lunch, evening snacks and tea were arranged . For fellowship one separate room was hired by PE Rtn.Indrajit Sen. Member contribution was Rs.400/- p.person and the balance contribution was sponsored by president Rtn.Dr.Sankar Kr.Sanyal which will be not less than Rs.700/- p.person. It is reported that total no. of participants were 41 . The news is mainly everybody enjoyed the event. In picture you may find that lady members were enjoying the incoming Dol/ Holy festival in full sewing.



To-night's Programme :- Discussion on Club Picnic held on 1<sup>st</sup> March'26 at " Gharana Resort " at Singoor

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