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YEAR 2025-26

Bulletin of Rotary Club of Serampore
R. I. Dist : 3291, R. I. Club No. 16193

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT : FRANCESCO AREZZO ● D.G. : RTN. DR. RAMENDU HOMCHAUDHURI
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MINUTES OF THE RWM NO 3460 OF R C SERAMPORE HELD AT THE CLUB VENUE AT PUJA MEMORIAL COMMUNITY HALL AT 109/1/A, AUROBINDO ROAD KONNAGAR ON 14-03-26 AT 7 PM.

The President Rtn. Uttam called the meeting to order, assisted by the Secretary Rtn. Subhamoy.

The President informed the members that RWM on 07-03-26 could not be held because only two members were present and one member joined late.

The President proposed to discuss the arrangements for organizing the Charter Night on 21-03-26.

He mentioned that he has invited R C Chandannagar and R C Hooghly. PE Rtn. Gautam informed that he has invited four guests including one past member who all are expected to join our club in 2026-27 year. Number of heads expected to attend the Charter Night program will be 30 to 35. Regarding catering, it was decided to arrange heavy snacks for fellowship and light dinner packet.

Tea or coffee and snacks as usual will be kept. For members who do not take drinks, Amul Masti Lassi will be arranged.

A short in-house cultural program will be there.

The President informed that the District has allotted 31st July'26 for club's Installation function. He requested PE Rtn. Gautam and SE Rtn. Subhabrata to form an Installation Committee as early as possible so that all arrangements can be taken in time and systematically. He specifically suggested that the Souvenir Committee should be formed early and start working immediately.

The President also gave a brief report on Annual Day Function of Bharat Academy and Science where our Interact club is functioning with lot of activities and success. The Function was attended by Rtn. Uttam, Ann Tamali, Rtn. Pranab and Rtn. Krishanu.

The Secretary announced Happy Birthday of Rtn. Rakes on 10th March and Happy Wedding Anniversary of Rtn. Arup on 12th March.

The Secretary announced that 8 members were present in the meeting.

Since there were no other issues to be discussed, the President terminated the meeting.



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**MINUTES OF THE RWM NO 3461 OF R C SERAMPORE HELD AT THE CLUB VENUE AT PUJA
MEMORIAL COMMUNITY HALL AT 109/1/A, AUROBINDO ROAD KONNAGAR ON 21-03-26 AT 7 PM**

The President Rtn. Uttam called the meeting to order, assisted by the Secretary Rtn. Subhamoy.

Since club's Charter Night was to be celebrated in the evening, no agenda items were kept for discussion on that date.

However, the President informed the members regarding the Pranadhara project being implemented at the Ramkrishna Mission School at Rishrah which will be inaugurated on 26th March at 11 am. He mentioned that all preparatory works have been completed. District officials including 1st lady, PDGs, past RI Director etc. and the officials of R C Kolkata will attend the function.

After termination of the meeting, the President welcomed the special guest Mr. Bibhuti Bhusan Pramanik, all the invitees of other Rotary Clubs and members of our club and invited them to join our Charter Night celebration.

Club's birthday cake cutting was done by the guests and club members. The special guest was greeted by the President with uttariyo, Memento and few club souvenirs.

The President then invited the guests and the members to join the fellowship and dinner.

Rtn. Pranab and Rtn. Kabir presented few songs. Then Rtn. Dr. Sarkar, Rtn. Uttam took the stage and presented "swarachita kabita" and songs. The celebration was continued till 10-30 pm.

The Secretary announced that 17 club members and 12 guests were present in the function.



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MINUTES OF THE RWM NO 3462 OF R C SERAMPORE HELD AT THE CLUB VENUE AT PUJA MEMORIAL COMMUNITY HALL AT 109/1/A, AUROBINDO ROAD, KONNAGAR ON 28-03-26 AT 7 PM.

The President Rtn. Uttam called the meeting to order, assisted by the Secretary Rtn. Subhamoy.

The President informed that the Pranadhara IV project has been initiated by the R C Calcutta Welfare Trust and he has spoken to the concerned official of the Trust regarding implementation of project at Nabagram Vidyapith which has been agreed by the Trust. The President also discussed the matter with the Head Mistress of the Vidyapith and the school has agreed to bear the expenses of structure, plumbing etc. Necessary Memorandum of Understanding among R C Calcutta Welfare Trust, R C SERAMPORE and the Nabagram Vidyapith will be done within a fortnight's time.

The President informed the house that the DG 2025-26 announced that the members may contribute only \$ 400 for becoming a PHF holder.

PE 26-27 Rtn. Gautam raised the issue of Rikshaw Van project which was earlier initiated but subsequently no progress made. It was decided that the issue will be discussed with Rtn. Tapas Saha of RC Chandannagar.

The President informed that two projects will be organized on 5th April jointly with Uttarpara Youth Corner where Blood Donation camp and Eye Check Up camp will be held and another Blood donation camp will be held with Bondhu Cornea.

No announcement was there for the week.

The Secretary announced that 7 members were present in the meeting.

Since there were no other issues to be discussed, the President terminated the meeting.



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MINUTES OF THE RWM NO 3463 OF R C SERAMPORE HELD AT THE CLUB VENUE AT PUJA MEMORIAL COMMUNITY HALL AT 109/1/A, AUROBINDO ROAD, KONNAGAR ON 11-04-26 AT 7 PM.

The President Rtn. Uttam called the meeting to order, assisted by PP Rtn. Kamal in absence of the Secretary Rtn. Subhamoy.

It was informed that no RWM was held on the previous Saturday on 04-04-26 because many of the regular members were not present in the town.

As was informed earlier, the proposed meeting was held with the headmistress and the concerned teachers and all issues finalized including cost sharing by the school for construction of the structure and all plumbing, water basins etc.

The President informed that the DG's official visit to our club will be held on 16th May and the Accounts for the year 2024-25 has to be finalized without any delay.

The President gave a brief report on the two projects held on 5th April, Sunday.

The Blood Donation camp organized by Bondhu Cornea at Amarendra Nath Bidyalaya, Uttarpara was attended by Rtn. Sundip Singal. The camp was organized to collect Blood for treatment of Thalassemia patients.

The Blood Donation camp and Eye Check Up camp with the support of Rotary Hooghly Eye Hospital was attended by Rtn. Uttam, Rtn. Gautam, Rtn. Krishanu, Rtn. Rajib and Rtn. Subhabrata. 35 patients were screened and 7 patients were referred for Cataract operation. The President expressed his concern for poor participation of patients and urged that we have to talk to the organizers to ensure required number of patients for holding such camps.

The President informed the house regarding forthcoming events at the District level.

- AG, ZS, President, Secretary meet will be held on 25th April.

- Baishakhi Adda will be held at the Urbana Club House on 24th April evening. Registration Rs500/- each.

- IRFM will organize one talent hunt competition on 17th and 18th April at Indus Valley World School for school students of class VI and above in two groups.

- 17th May District Assembly will be held.

- District Governor has announced that the members may become PHF holder by contributing only 400 USD. Balance 600 USD will be managed by the District.

- Board of the club for the year 2026-27 was finalized which will be notified in due course.

Happy Birthday of Rtn. Kamal Mukherjee on 2nd April was announced.

The Secretary announced that 14 members were present in the meeting.

Since, there were no other issues to be discussed, the President terminated the meeting.



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**MINUTES OF THE RWM NO 3464 OF R C SERAMPORE HELD AT THE CLUB VENUE AT PUJA
MEMORIAL COMMUNITY HALL AT 109/1/A, AUROBINDO ROAD KONNAGAR ON 18-04-26 AT 7 PM.**

The President Rtn. Uttam called the meeting to order, assisted by the Secretary Rtn. Subhamoy.

The President informed that the formal Memorandum of Understanding has been signed among Nabagram Vidyapith, R C Calcutta Welfare Trust and the R C SERAMPORE. As was earlier decided the Nabagram Vidyapith has agreed to bear the structure preparation and plumbing cost. The system will have three years warranty and free maintenance. After completion of 3 years warranty period the school has to take up the responsibility of annual maintenance.

The President insists the members to fill up the Google form for updating of their personal data for District Directory.

The President also urged that majority of our club members have not done the "My Rotary" registration in spite of repeated request in the past few years. Secretary Elect Rtn. Subhabrata assured that he will coordinate the matter and get it done by June 30th.

The President informed the house that PE Rtn. Gautan along with Rtn.Subhabrata, Rtn.Uttam, Rtn.Pranab, Rtn. Kamal and Rtn. Sisir visited 8/11 Restaurant to discuss possibilities of holding club 's Installation function on 31st July'26. It was more or less finalized as venue for the Installation function.

The President once again requested PE Rtn. Gautan and SE Rtn. Subhabrata to decide the Installation Committee and start working without any delay. Rtn. Kamal Mukherjee has been requested to be the Chairman of Installation function to which he has agreed.

Happy Birthday of Rtn. Rajendra Nath Banerjee on 14th April was announced.

The Secretary announced that 9 members were present in the meeting.

Since, there were no other issues to be discussed, the President terminated the meeting.



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MINUTES OF THE RWM NO 3465 OF R C SERAMPORE HELD AT THE CLUB VENUE AT PUJA MEMORIAL COMMUNITY HALL AT 109/1/A, AUROBINDO ROAD, KONNAGAR ON 25-04-26 AT 7 PM.

In absence of the President Rtn Uttam Bhattacharjee, Rtn Kabir Sur Chaudhuri called the meeting to order assisted by Rtn Subhabrata Mukherjee, in absence of the Secretary Rtn Subhamoy Guha Roy.

It was informed by Rtn Kabir that the President and the Secretary were absent as in the evening they were attending a District meet of the Presidents, Secretaries, AGs and ZSs at the Haldiram Banquet.

Rtn Kabir reported his participation in the Boishakhi Adda held on 24th April at Urbana club. His performance at the function was highly appreciated by the audience. A video of Rtn Kabir's song "ki duggi dekhlam" was posted in our WA group.

Rtn Kabir also informed that he was present as a judge in the musical talent hunt competition organized by IRFM on 17th and 18th April at the Indas Valley World School Auditorium. He also expressed his happiness and felt proud being involved as a judge. It was also reported that the participants of our Interact club at Bharat Academy and Science secured the 1st position in the group songs category.

It was informed that the Club Assembly, which is mandatory before the official annual visit of the club by DG, will be held on 2nd May, Saturday. DG's visit will be on 16th May. As informed by the President, both the AG and ZS were contacted and both have assured that they will attend the Assembly. Accordingly all members were requested to attend the Assembly without fail and reach the venue by 7 pm.

Secretary Elect Rtn Subhabrata proposed that we should have an in-house cultural program on the Installation function evening on 31st July. He requested Rtn Kabir and Rtn Pranab to take the responsibility of organizing the program. Rtn Pranab suggested that we may also request our members to ensure participation of their children in songs, dance etc.

It was decided that a special rotor will be published on DG visit meeting.

The issue of getting the "My Rotary" registration done by the members was again discussed. Rtn Subhabrata reiterated that we have to reach to the members and help each to complete the task.

Happy Birthday of Rtn Pranab on 21st April was announced.

It was announced that 6 members were present in the meeting.

Since, there were no other issues to be discussed, the President terminated the meeting.



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MINUTES OF THE RWM NO 3466 OF R C SERAMPORE HELD AT THE CLUB VENUE AT PUJA MEMORIAL COMMUNITY HALL AT 109/1/A, AUROBINDO ROAD, KONNAGAR ON 02-05-26 AT 7 PM.

President Rtn Uttam Bhattacharjee called the meeting to order, assisted by Rtn Kamal Mukherjee, in absence of the Secretary Rtn Subhamoy Guha Roy.

The President informed that the next RWM and Club Assembly will be held on 10th May, Sunday as on 9th May, Saturday, Shokuntala Kali puja is there. He wished that all the members must attend the meeting and Assembly sharp at 7 pm. AG and ZS will be present to conduct the Club Assembly. He reminded that the DG'S annual visit to our club is on 16th May.

The President also made a request to all the members to register for the District Learning Assembly to be held on 17th May, Sunday at the Hyatt Regency.

The President informed that Rtn Sisir Palchoudhuri has sent a list suggesting food menu for the Installation function. He mentioned that he kept in the agenda discussion on Installation function. But, since both the PE and SE 2026-27 was not present, discussion could not be held. Rtn Kamal Mukherjee suggested that the issue may be discussed and arrangements finalized in a separate meeting of the Installation Committee and the same will be intimated to the members in the next RWM.

The President informed that World Thalassemia Day will be observed on 8th May. As requested by the DG our club has agreed to contribute Rs.5,000/- to be a Co-Host of the project. An Awareness project for one hour will be held at the Cab Road at Howrah station. There will be a seminar in the evening at the Ramkrishna Mission, Golpark and Awareness walk from Rotary Sadan.

The President discussed about the requirements of Rotary pins, Installation kit, register etc. The members requested him to assess the requirements and purchase accordingly.

Rtn Kamal Mukherjee informed that a blood donation camp jointly with our club will be organized by the Sanskritik Porisod on 28th June. The Rotary Blood Bank at Howrah Municipality will collect the blood which will be utilized for Thalassemia patients only.

There was no announced for the last one week period.

It was announced that only 5 members were present in the meeting.

Since there were no other issues to be discussed, the President terminated the meeting.