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Club No. : 23802	1613th Regular Meeting	Charter on : 12.06.1986
We meet every alternate Thursday at THE ANTELOPE, 3, Ho Chi Minh Sarani, Kolkata - 700071 at 8.00 pm.		
Rtn Subasish Halder President	Rtn Swapnamita Roy Secretary	Rtn Sukanta Khan Treasurer
		PP Rtn Chandra Kumar Paul Editor

"DECEMBER WITH ROTARY: LEADING THE CHARGE IN GLOBAL HEALTH AND DISEASE PREVENTION"



1. Focus on Health: December is dedicated to **Disease Prevention and Treatment** within Rotary International. This month highlights the organization's efforts in addressing a broad spectrum of health issues, from combating infectious diseases to tackling chronic conditions.

2. Global Impact: Rotary clubs around the world organize events and activities to promote disease prevention and treatment. This includes:

- **Health Screenings:** Providing free or low-cost health screenings to detect conditions early.
- **Vaccination Drives:** Promoting and administering vaccines, particularly in regions vulnerable to diseases like polio and measles.
- **Health Education:** Raising awareness about healthy lifestyles and preventive measures to reduce disease risks.

3. Polio Eradication: A significant focus during this month is on Rotary's flagship program, PolioPlus. Despite incredible progress, the fight to eradicate polio continues, and December serves as a reminder of the work still needed to achieve a polio-free world.

4. Supporting Medical Infrastructure: Rotary clubs work to enhance medical infrastructure in under-resourced areas by:

- **Providing Equipment:** Supplying hospitals and clinics with essential medical equipment.
- **Training Healthcare Workers:** Offering training programs to improve the skills and knowledge of local healthcare providers.

5. Community Engagement: Rotarians engage with their communities to support health initiatives. This includes partnerships with local health departments, NGOs, and international health organizations to maximize impact.

6. Fundraising and Grants: December is also a time for raising funds to support health-related projects. Rotary grants are often used to finance projects that prevent and treat diseases, including water and sanitation projects which are crucial for preventing waterborne diseases.

7. Celebrating Success: Throughout the month, Rotary clubs celebrate the successes of their health initiatives. This includes acknowledging the contributions of Rotarians, volunteers, and partners who have worked tirelessly to improve health outcomes.

Conclusion: Disease Prevention and Treatment Month is a testament to Rotary's commitment to building healthier communities. By focusing on prevention, early detection, and effective treatment, Rotary helps create lasting change, improving the quality of life for people around the globe.

ROTARY CLUB'S ANNUAL MEETING

Shaping the Future with Reflection, Strategy, and Community Impact.

The Annual Meeting of a Rotary Club is pivotal for several reasons:

Reflecting on Achievements:

Celebrate past successes and assess the impact of projects and initiatives.

Strategic Planning:

Set goals and action plans for the coming year, ensuring alignment with the club's mission.

Financial Transparency:

Review financial reports and budgets to maintain responsible fund management.

Leadership Transition:

Elect and induct new officers and board members, ensuring continuity and fresh perspectives.

Member Engagement:

Encourage active participation and idea-sharing among members, fostering a sense of community.

Networking and Fellowship:

Strengthen relationships through networking and fellowship, enhancing camaraderie.

Community Impact:

Plan impactful projects to address community needs effectively.

In summary, the Annual Meeting shapes the club's future, reinforces its values, and renews members' commitment to service.



Rotary
District 3291

SAMMELAN
DISTRICT CONFERENCE 2025
ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 3291

3 - 4 - 5
JANUARY
2025

EMINENT SPEAKERS

SPACIOUS CONFERENCE HALL

GOURMET CUISINE

WHOLESOME ENTERTAINMENT

HOUSE OF FELLOWSHIP

NICCO PARK
EAST SIDE PAVILION
HM Block, Sector IV,
Bidhannagar, Kolkata 700106

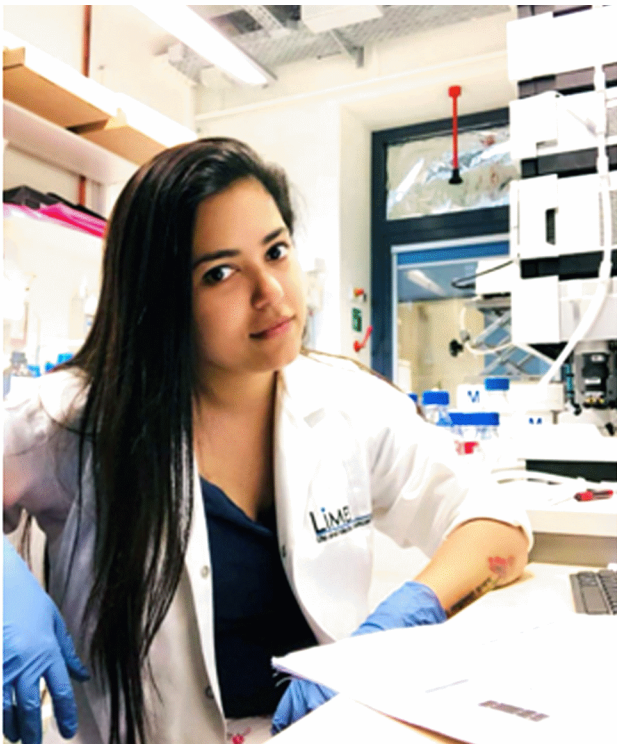
Registration Charges:
Single ₹ 6500/-
Couple ₹ 12000/-
Guest ₹ 6500/-

(Includes two lunch and two dinner)

Account Name:
RID 3291 A/C Events 24-25
A/C Number: 402024202511
IFSC: RATN000311
Bank Name: RBL Bank

Kits are not assured for registration on and after 26th December, 2024

FAMILY TIES - A GLIMPSE INTO THE PERSONAL LIVES OF OUR MEMBERS

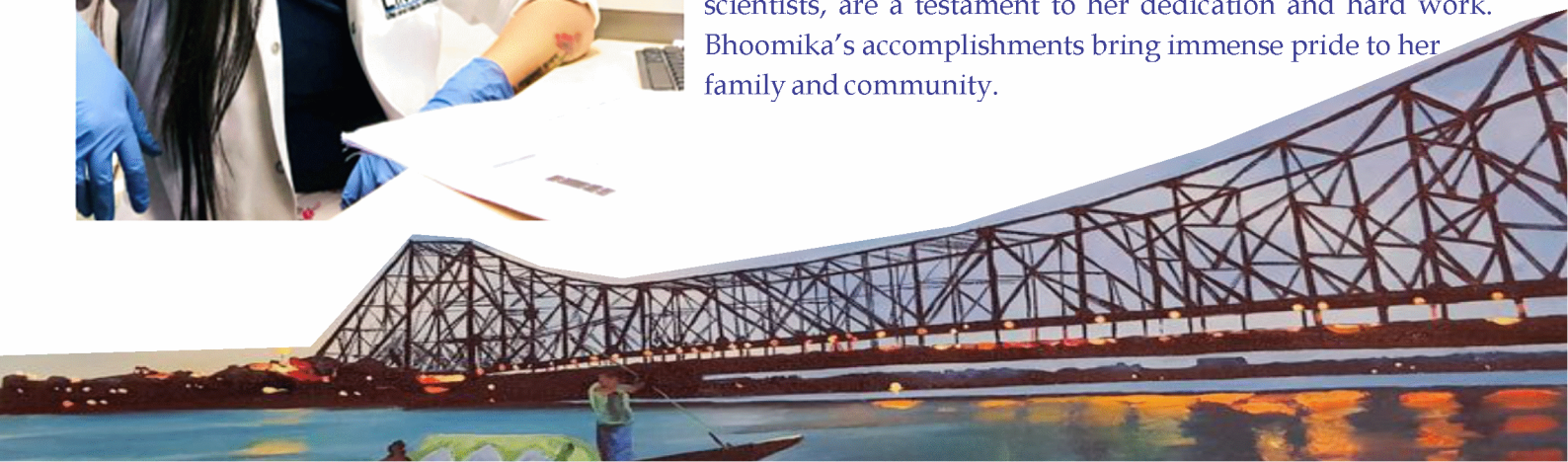


Bhoomika Basu Mallik (Rupsha), daughter of PP Rtn Srikanta and Rtn Dr Indrani Basu Mallik, is pursuing her Ph.D. in Biochemistry at the University of Munich, Germany. She is currently working with a team led by the **2024 Nobel Prize winner in Chemistry, Professor David Baker**.

Bhoomika's outstanding research will be featured in the prestigious scientific journal **Nature**.

Her research guide will serve as the first author, with Bhoomika as the second author, and the Nobel Prize-winning Professor David Baker as the corresponding author.

Her remarkable achievements in the field of Biochemistry, combined with her collaboration with such distinguished scientists, are a testament to her dedication and hard work. Bhoomika's accomplishments bring immense pride to her family and community.





President Rtn Subasish Halder along with AG PP Rtn Subhashis Ghosh and Treasurer Rtn Sukanta Khan at Samagam 2 - President , Secretary and AG, ZS meet on 1st December 2024 at Haldiram Banquets

Birthday Greetings

- 13 Dec : Souryadeep, S/o Rtn Hara Prasad Garg
- 15 Dec : Sinjini, D/o Rtn Saumendra Mohan Rakshit
- 16 Dec : Dibyojyoti, S/o Rtn Sujit Dutt
- 16 Dec : Angshuman, S/o Rtn Chandra Sekhar Ghosh
- 17 Dec : Rtn Suven Mukherjee
- 22 Dec : Nilima Ghosh, W/o Rtn Chandra Sekhar Ghosh
- 23 Dec : Debroop, S/o Rtn Chandra Kumar and Rtn Angana Paul
- 25 Dec : Rtn Kamal Pal
- 28 Dec : Sutirna, D/o Rtn Sudip Kumar Dutta
- 29 Dec : Rtn Angana Paul
- 01 Jan : Bhoomika, D/o Rtn Srikanta & Rtn Dr Indrani Basu Mallik



Wedding Greetings

- 14 Dec : Rtn Sudip Kumar & Tuktuki Dutta





**Peacebuilding
and Conflict
Prevention**



**Disease
Prevention
& Treatment**



**Water,
Sanitation
& Hygiene**



**Maternal &
Child Health**



**Basic Education
& Literacy**



**Community
Economic
Development**



Environment

Minutes of the 1612th Regular Meeting of Rotary Club of Calcutta North East held at The Antelope, 3, Ho Chi Minh Sarani, Kolkata - 700071 on 05.12.24 at 8.00 PM.

- ◆ President Rtn Subasish Halder called the meeting to order followed by National Anthem.
- ◆ President extended his heartiest thanks to all the RCCNE Members, Family and Friends and Associates for the success of “MAA” project. Around 40 Rotary Clubs had participated in this flagship project. He mentioned that 8 PDGs along with the District Governor AKS Rtn Dr Krishnendu Gupta attended. A host of District Officials and Members of participating Clubs were present. He also mentioned that SAHA Foundation, Nashville, USA and Interact Club of DPS Megacity has contributed towards the Project. Members of Interact Club had participated wholeheartedly along with their teachers, in distributing KITs and handling huge number of beneficiaries. A big round of applause called for everyone associated with “MAA”. He also mentioned and thanked Rtn Sabyasachi for arranging “The Telegraph” for the coverage of our “MAA” project.
- ◆ President informed about his participation in “Samagam 2” - 2nd President and Secretary and Assistant Governor and Zonal Secretary Meet on 1st December 2024, at Haldiram Banquets. He was accompanied by AG PP Rtn Subhashis Ghosh and Club Treasurer Rtn Sukanta Khan. A special mention of “MAA” was made by attending Presidents of our District.
- ◆ President announced about the District Conference - Sammelan scheduled on 3rd, 4th and 5th of January 2024. He insisted and requested all the members to attend the program.
- ◆ President informed about the District 3291 project of Blanket distribution. Club will donate 40 Blankets costing Rs. 3200.
- ◆ President informed about the sewing machine received by our Club from RC Calcutta under program Atmanirbhar II, and informed that members may find out scope to donate these machines and do a good project on Woman Empowerment.
- ◆ President then mentioned about the invitation received from IWC Girish Park Urbia for participation in the Annual fund-raising activity “URSITA”. RCCNE will sponsor one stall for “Pratham Padakshep” like previous year.
- ◆ President then requested the Club Treasurer to give a brief presentation about the Club financial situation and member’s due updates. Treasurer Rtn Sukanta Khan shared the details.
- ◆ Taking permission from the Chair PP Rtn Sudip Kumar Dutta informed the Club about Ex Inner Wheel Member Sanchita Bose, he informed that Ms Bose was suffering from heart ailments and presently admitted at RG Kar Hospital under Critical Care management, he appealed to the Members to support her in this tough times, PP Shubadip Roy came forward to help her and assured his support along with PP Rtn Chandra Kumar Paul.
- ◆ Secretarial Business was done by the Club Secretary Rtn Swapnamita Roy and the next Regular meeting was announced on 11th December 2024, followed by Annual Meeting.



President Rtn Subasish along with Secretary Rtn Swapnamita and Rtn Sabyasachi at Urshita - RCCNE had sponsored the Stall charges of Pratham Padakshep.

IPP Rtn Vivek along with PE Rtn Angana and Rtn Arup at Urshita - A program organised by IWC Girish Park Urbia.

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