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## Cervical Cancer Vaccination



On 10th March Cervical Cancer vaccination was administered to 150 students at the Bamanghata High School. Students who were administered the vaccine were also given refreshments and gifted tiffin boxes. The vaccination was carried out in the presence of a doctor from Chittaranjan National Cancer Institute.

## Aparajita : A Women Empowerment Initiative



RC Calcutta Park Point Co-hosted Aparajita 2, a symposium & cultural program organized by the District Women and Girls Empowerment Committee. The program was held on 17th March 2026 at ICCR for International Women's Day. It was inaugurated by DG Dr. Ramendu Homchaudhuri, First Lady Rtn. Bandana Homchaudhuri, PDGs Prabir Chatterjee & Shyamasree Sen, DGN Purnendu Roychowdhury and others. DG delivered an inspiring address. Mr. Sankar Halder of Mukti spoke on women's empowerment. The event featured Bharatanatyam & Kathak by Dr. Jagyaseni Chatterjee and Rtn. Tanni Choudhury's group, IFRM performances, and an interactive session with women entrepreneurs.

On 23rd March 2026, a Women & Girls Empowerment Centre was inaugurated at Manicktala, Kolkata with Mukti, equipped with 6 desktop computers, 9 sewing machines, LED TV and laptop to promote skills, employability, and income generation.



## Rhythms of Resilience: Dance, Healing & Peace



On 19th March, RC Calcutta Park Point organized an impactful session on 'Rhythms of Resilience: Dance, Healing & Peace'. The highlight was an inspiring address by Dr. Sohini Chakraborty of

Kolkata Sanved, who shared her journey in Dance Movement Therapy (DMT). She was joined by Shreeja, who shared a personal account of healing and led a brief experiential DMT activity. The session was attended by the AGs, Zonal representatives, and batch presidents, adding depth to the gathering. The discussion highlighted the transformative role of DMT in supporting trauma survivors. Dr. Chakraborty was felicitated, and the session concluded with an intent to explore future collaborations with Kolkata Sanved.

## Thalassemia Awareness



On 25th March, RC Calcutta Park Point organized a Thalassemia Awareness session at The BSS School. The session was conducted by our respected District Governor, Dr. Ramendu Homchaudhuri. He effectively highlighted the importance of early detection, prevention, and community awareness on thalassemia. The hall was packed with vibrant energy, reflecting the keen interest of the students. The session was followed by a highly engaging Q&A segment. Further he also emphasized upon healthy lifestyle choices which was greatly appreciated by the Principal Ms. Sunita Sen and other authorities present. RC Calcutta Park Point is thankful to Ms. Sunita Sen, Principal and Ms. Sudeshna Banerjee, Vice Principal, the BSS School for their support.

# World Autism Awareness Day



On 2nd April on the occasion of World Autism Awareness Day, the Rotary Club of Calcutta Park Point proudly joined hands with Pradip Centre for Autism Management and seven like minded organizations in a collective effort to spread awareness, acceptance, and inclusion for individuals on the autism spectrum. This initiative was led by Rtn Dr. Jayasri Ray Chaudhuri.

## Project Jeevandhara Brings Clean Water to 2000 Children



On 4th April, Project Jeevandhara was successfully inaugurated by Rotary Club of Calcutta Park Point at Bamanghata High School with the installation of a 150l water filter-cum-cooler. This water filter is catering to nearly 2000 students every day.

The joy on the faces of the students and teachers was truly heartwarming. A particularly touching moment was watching a young girl fill her bottle and take her first sip of clean, cool water, a simple act that reflected the profound impact of access to safe drinking water.





The school primarily serves children from underprivileged families, many of whom are first-generation learners. While clean drinking water is often taken for granted, millions still struggle with access to this basic necessity. Through Project Jeevandhara, a meaningful step has been taken towards improving the health, well-being, and school experience of these children. A small initiative, creating a lasting impact.



## Formation of Interact Club



An Interact Club was formed at IEM Public School with 25 members. The club was officially established on 10th Dec and the charter ceremony was held on 10th April at the School premises. PDG Rajani Mukherji, Dist Interact Chair, Rtn. Arpita Chatterjee, Rtn. Sudeshna Nanda President of RC Calcutta Park Point and members of RC Calcutta Park Point was present for the charter ceremony. The Principal of IEM Public School, Mr John Bagul thanked Rotary for extending this opportunity to the students. The newly formed club also conducted their meeting after the official charter ceremony.

## Joint Meeting



Rotary Club of Calcutta Park Point had a joint meeting with Rotary Club of Calcutta Charnock City and Rotary Club Amelia on 17th April 2026 at 'The Commune'. Poila Baishakh celebration was also observed on that day.



## Mental Health Awareness



On 19th April Rotary Club of Calcutta Park Point organized a session on understanding emotional health and taking the first steps toward wellness from Mindwell club Toolkit at Soumyaloke Biswaseva Niketan. The session was conducted by Rtn Sourish Choudhury. The session had a meaningful impact on the young girls of the orphanage as well as the residents of the old age home. At the end of the programme lunch was organized for all.



## Baishakhi Sandhya



The members of RC Calcutta Park Point participated in Baishakhi Sandhya celebrated on the 24th April 2026 at Urbana Club House.



## Rotary Areas of Focus



“ Whatever Rotary may mean to us, to the world it will be known by the results it achieves

*-Paul Harris*

<i>Happy Birthday</i>		
	<b>March</b>	
Vikram Newar		3rd March
	<b>April</b>	
Shaswati Datta		18th April
Payel Mukherjee		23rd April
Anand Sharma		24th April

<i>Anniversary</i>		
	<b>March</b>	
Burhanuddin Malik & Asma Malik		12th March
	<b>April</b>	
Sushil Tawar		11th April
Vikram Newar		17th April