

**PROJECT VISION 20/20**

**NETRA KUMBH**  
Prayagraj,  
January 13th to February 26th, 2025.

**2,23,513 People Screened**  
**1,51,883 Spectacles Distributed**  
**16,336 Patients Referred**

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Rotary Calcutta Visionaries R.I. District 3291

THE MAGIC OF ROTARY

Our club is proud to be a part of a **Free Mega Eye Camp** conducted under the **Vision 20:20** program, held during the **Mahakumbh at Prayagraj from January 13th to February 26th, 2025**. This impactful initiative is designed to provide free eye check-ups and vision correction solutions to the masses, with a special focus on those who have limited access to healthcare services.

Our dedicated team has conducted 16 shivirs (eye camps), which have accounted for over 35% of the total beneficiaries, a remarkable achievement that reflects the hard work and commitment of everyone involved.

This initiative continues to provide vision care to those who need it the most, and we are proud of the ongoing impact it is having in the community

Over the course of the camp, our efforts is benefitting lakhs of individuals, helping them address vision-related issues and providing necessary treatments. With a total of 16 shivirs set up across the Mahakumbh grounds, we ensured that people from all walks of life could access quality eye care services, right at their doorstep.



## 2nd BOARD MEETING Cum 326th RWM

**3rd January 2025 : 2nd BOARD MEETING Cum 326th RWM** Our club's 2nd Board Meeting cum 326th RWM for the Rotary Year was held on 3rd January, at The Business Center of The Spring Club.



## “SAMMELAN” Rotary District Conference for RY 2024-2025

**3rd - 5th January 2025 :** Rotary District Conference for RY 2024-2025 “SAMMELAN” was held from 3rd to 5th January, at East Side Pavilion, Nicco Park, Salt Lake, Sector IV, Kolkata.



## The Green Festival an initiative by "Blues Organics"

**12th January 2025:** Our club has been a part of "The Green Festival" an initiative by "Blues Organics" since last couple of years. This year it was held on 12th January, 2025 from 9.30 am onwards at Daga Nikunj located at 25/1 Ballygunge Circular Road, Kolkata 700019.

On a cool Sunday morning, the Green Festival unfolded in a burst of creativity and eco-consciousness. The event was filled with an array of engaging activities, making it a truly exciting experience for everyone involved. One of the highlights was the seed germination demonstration using biodegradable materials-such a unique and fun way to learn about the process of nurturing life from the ground up.

We were also introduced to a fascinating fact: the tiny leaves of any vegetable pack more nutrients than the vegetable itself! This tidbit added an insightful touch to the day's festivities, highlighting the importance of nature's smallest gifts. The stalls at the festival offered a delightful range of organic goods, from clothing made with sustainable fabrics to skin care products and flavorful pickles. Each booth reflected a commitment to promoting eco-friendly alternatives to the products we commonly use.

It was inspiring to witness how people are beginning to embrace natural resources over artificial ones, and the positive energy around the event was palpable. The experience was made even more special by the energetic members of our club, who brought such enthusiasm to the occasion.

In a delightful twist, Rtn Nilu Agrawal and Rtn Vidhi Chandak were among the winners of the recipe contest held earlier in the day as part of the Green Festival! The day left us feeling both uplifted and connected to nature, and it was a wonderful reminder of the small steps we can take to make a positive impact on the environment.

The event was covered by Leading Hindi Newspaper - "Vishwamitra"



**'द ग्रीन फेस्टिवल' में लोगों ने सीखा जैविक खेती करने के उपाय**

कोलकाता, 12 जनवरी (विश्व मित्र)। न्यू ऑर्गेनिक्स ने दुनिया का पहला सुरुवात से सुरुवात तक 'ग्रीन फेस्टिवल' का आयोजन किया। द ग्रीन फेस्टिवल न्यू ऑर्गेनिक्स की सहायिका द्वारा आयोजित की गयी है, जिसका उद्देश्य सततता का उत्सव मनाना है। न्यू ऑर्गेनिक्स ने इस उत्सव में एक विशेष ध्यान देना है कि न केवल स्वादायुक्त प्रसिद्धियों को सारा लोका में खुशी का वातावरण प्रदान किया जा सके, बल्कि न्यू ऑर्गेनिक्स की सहायिका द्वारा आयोजित की गयी है, जिसका उद्देश्य सततता का उत्सव मनाना है। न्यू ऑर्गेनिक्स ने इस उत्सव में एक विशेष ध्यान देना है कि न केवल स्वादायुक्त प्रसिद्धियों को सारा लोका में खुशी का वातावरण प्रदान किया जा सके, बल्कि न्यू ऑर्गेनिक्स की सहायिका द्वारा आयोजित की गयी है, जिसका उद्देश्य सततता का उत्सव मनाना है।

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**द ग्रीन फेस्टिवल - सेलिब्रेशन ऑफ़ हेल्थी आर्गेनिक लाइफस्टाइल**

कोलकाता, 9 जनवरी (वि.प्र.)। न्यू ऑर्गेनिक, रॉ. चौक के सहयोग में द ग्रीन फेस्टिवल आयोजित किया गया है। यह एक बड़े पैमाने पर आयोजित किया गया है, जिसका उद्देश्य सततता का उत्सव मनाना है। न्यू ऑर्गेनिक्स ने इस उत्सव में एक विशेष ध्यान देना है कि न केवल स्वादायुक्त प्रसिद्धियों को सारा लोका में खुशी का वातावरण प्रदान किया जा सके, बल्कि न्यू ऑर्गेनिक्स की सहायिका द्वारा आयोजित की गयी है, जिसका उद्देश्य सततता का उत्सव मनाना है।

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## Stem Cell Awareness Seminar at The Neotia University, near Raichak

**13th January 2025:** We had a truly successful event today as we hosted a highly successful Stem Cell Awareness Seminar at The Neotia University, near Raichak, with over **900 students** in attendance.

The seminar was aimed at educating young minds about blood disorders and the critical need for stem cell donation, shedding light on how this simple act of giving can potentially save lives. The event was graced by the esteemed Rev. Father Jojo Thuruthayil, Principal of K.E. Carmel School, Sarisha, who served as the chief guest. His impactful speech left a lasting impression, and his rendition of the Bengali song "Purano Sehi Diner Kotha" was met with widespread applause, adding a touch of warmth and emotion to the occasion.

The event's success was further amplified by the overwhelming response from our partner, DKMS-BMST. Their presence was a true catalyst in making the seminar even more impactful. The presentation was delivered by Ms. Sangeeta Sarmah, Senior Manager at DKMS-BMST, who had traveled all the way from Bangalore to share her expertise & insights.

The seminar concluded with a remarkable outcome: approximately 480 attendees signed up as stem cell donors, a testament to the power of education and the willingness of the younger generation to contribute to life-saving causes. This event was a true success, not just in terms of numbers, but also in the lives it has the potential to impact. We look forward to organizing more such seminars in the future, continuing our efforts to spread awareness and make a tangible difference in the fight against blood disorders.



### Eye & Health Check up Camp at Tiljala

**23rd January 2025:** We successfully conducted an Eye Check-Up & Health Check Up as part of our ongoing initiative, Project Vision 20/20, in collaboration with the Marwari Relief Society.



### DONATED ONE MONTH OF RATION at OLD AGE HOME



**27th January 2025:** One month's Ration together with sweets & nimki were given to Rotary Ramthakur Bridhhabas on 27th January 2025 to celebrate the birthday of our Sanjana & Pawan Chowdhary's son Aakaash. The inmates were extremely delighted and requested that we ought to visit them more often.

### Weekly Mother and Child Health (MCH) Camp held at Subhasgram, with the help of our RCC Sukantapally United Samity.



**1st - 31st January 2025 :** We run a free weekly Mother and Child Health (MCH) Camp held at Subhasgram, with the help of our RCC Sukantapally United Samity. The medical health clinic, offers compassionate care to those in need. Our consultations are completely free, and we also provide essential medications at no cost. Our mission is to ensure that everyone has access to quality healthcare. During the month 168 Patients were examined and treated

## Annual Trip to Bari Kothi, Murshidabad, Azimganj

**31st January- 1st February 2025 :** : Our club's annual trip for Ry 2024-2025 this year took us to the beautiful heritage property "Bari Kothi" in Murshidabad, Azimganj a place brimming with rich history of the Marwari Community of India and serene landscapes. A total of 32 enthusiastic members joined the trip, making it an unforgettable experience filled with laughter, joy, and camaraderie at this property of Dudhoria Family.



## SARASWATI PUJA CELEBRATION AT Rotary Visionaries Public School, Sunderbans

**5th February 2025** : Saraswati Puja was celebrated at "Rotary Visionaries Public School" in Sunderbans by the School Staff and Students. After the Puja Prasad was distributed to the students, their parents and the School staff.



## EYE & HEALTH CAMP AT PAPER FACTORY in HOWRAH

**15th February 2025** : We successfully conducted an Eye Check-Up & Health Check Up Camp as part of our ongoing initiative, Project Vision 20/20, in collaboration with the Marwari Relief Society. The event took place at premises of "NPI Paper & Board Pvt, Ltd" located at NH 6, Chamrail, Howrah. The free eye check-up camp was organized by the Rtn Pradeep & Ritu Agarwal for the residents and workers of the Chamrail factory. The initiative aimed to provide essential eye care services to those who may not have easy access to regular eye exams.

The camp served 112 beneficiaries, providing them with essential eye care. Of those, 65 individuals were prescribed spectacles to improve their vision, and 8 individuals were advised to undergo surgical procedures, with their operations scheduled for 22nd February.



## Eye & Health Checkup Camp at Sukantapally United Samity, Subhashgram

**23rd February 2025:** Our club organized a Free Eye and Health Camp in Subhashgram with the help of our RCC Sukantapally United Samity. The event was a tremendous success, as it provided essential medical services to local villagers and residents who may not have easy access to healthcare.

The Camp was part of our ongoing initiative, Project Vision 20/20. The camp was in collaboration with the Netralayam, courtesy our Honorary Member D. Lav Kochgaway.

The camp served 225 beneficiaries, providing them with essential eye care. Of those, 105 individuals were prescribed spectacles to improve their vision, and 32 individuals were advised to undergo surgical procedures.

Additionally, we distributed everyday stainless steel utensils, such as plates/ thalis, bowls, and spoons, chocolates to needy children. These items were generously sponsored by Rtn. Sunita & Rajesh Agarwal, whose support made it possible for us to reach even more villagers of the community.



## Weekly Mother and Child Health (MCH) Camp held at Subhasgram, with the help of our RCC Sukantapally United Samity.

**1st - 28th February 2025 :** We run a free weekly Mother and Child Health (MCH) Camp held at Subhasgram, with the help of our RCC Sukantapally United Samity. The medical health clinic, offers compassionate care to those in need. Our consultations are completely free, and we also provide essential medications at no cost. Our mission is to ensure that everyone has access to quality healthcare. During the month 228 Patients were examined and treated



### Club's 331st RWM

was held at the Peacock Room of the Punjab Club on 6th February 2025 members present 24

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