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DISTRICT GOVERNOR 2025-26 Rtn. FRANCESCO AREZZO Rtn. Dr. RAMENDU HOM CHAUDHURI Rtn. Dr. SEBANTI GOSWAMI



CLUB PRESIDENT 2025-26

R. I. Club No. 82823







CLUB JT. SECRETARY 2025-26



CHARTER PRESIDENT Rtn. DEBASISH CHAUDHURI Rtn. RIMA CHAKRAVARTY

7th July, 2025





FIRST LADY RTN DR. BANDANA HOM CHOUDHURI and DISTRICT GOVERNOR **RTN DR. RAMENDU HOM CHOUDHURI** 2025-26 of RID 3291 and team members of 2025-26.



Rtn Rima Chakravarty wish you a very speedy recovery from Total Knee Replacement.





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AGENDA OF THE 16TH INSTALLATION MEETING & **530TH REGULAR MEETING ON 7TH JULY 2025**

Date of Charter : 18th December, 2009

- President Sebanti calls the meeting to order.
- National Anthem
- Welcome by MC PP Rtn Sudipta Chaudhuri
- Confirmation of minutes
- President Announcement
- Secretary Announcement
- Installation Ceremony
- New President's Speech
- Introduction of the Board
- Induction
- Handing over Cheques for TRF
- The 4 Way Test
- Introduction of DG
- Address BY DG
- Miscellaneous
- Formal vote of thanks
- Termination

INTRODUCTION OF DISTRICT GOVERNOR 2025-26

A passionate philanthropist, Dr. Ramendu Homchaudhuri has dedicated his life to better health, education, and wellness for all. His journey in Rotary International began in 2006 with the Rotary Club of Calcutta Sun City, where he served as President for two consecutive terms (2009-2011). A Level 2 Major Donor, his commitment to service has led to impactful projects that transform lives.

Pioneering the Transit Trauma Care Project

Dr. Homchaudhuri initiated the Transit Trauma Care Project in partnership with Kolkata Police and the Government of West Bengal. The deployment of 12 ambulances across accident-prone areas in Kolkata has saved countless lives by providing immediate emergency care during the Golden Hour.

A Visionary in Thalassemia Eradication

Recognized for his work in Thalassemia Awareness and Prevention, Dr. Homchaudhuri has conducted seminars, screening programs, and awareness campaigns across West Bengal, Assam, Odisha, and Bangladesh. His goal is to eradicate this 100% preventable genetic disorder through early screening and genetic counseling.

Transforming Lives in Rural Bengal

For the past three years, Dr. Homchaudhuri has been driving sustainable development in Dhaska, Purulia, alongside Hridham NGO. His contributions include:

Providing potable water through pond excavation and water conservation initiatives, Enhancing education for local children, Empowering villagers with income-generating activities to improve livelihoods.

Leadership and Recognition in Rotary

In recognition of his service, Dr. Homchaudhuri was unanimously elected as District Governor Nominee and will assume office as District Governor of Rotary District 3291 in 2025-26. His vision includes expanding healthcare, strengthening education, and enhancing community welfare programs.

A Distinguished Medical Career

Despite his humanitarian commitments, Dr. Homchaudhuri continues to practice as a highly respected Orthopedic Surgeon. He holds degrees from Gauhati University (MBBS, 1970), Calcutta University (DGO), and Banaras Hindu University (MS – Orthopedics). His expertise, compassion, and dedication make him a trusted name in his field.

Family: The Pillar of Strength

Dr. Homchaudhuri is supported by his wife, Dr. Bandana Hom Chaudhuri, a renowned pediatrician and fellow Rotarian. She has served as President of Rotary Club of Calcutta Sun City and actively contributes to District 3291 administration. They are proud parents of a doctor daughter and a post-doctoral research scholar son in the USA.

A Legacy of Service and Inspiration

Dr. Homchaudhuri's life is a testament to selfless service, leadership, and humanitarian dedication. His ever-smiling, energetic persona continues to inspire, leaving a profound impact on countless lives.

DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE



Rtn. Dr. RAMENDU HOMCHAUDHURI DISTRICT GOVERNOR 2025-26

Dear Rotarians,

It is with great pride and heartfelt warmth that I extend my congratulations to the incoming President, Secretary, and the newly installed team of Rotary Club of Calcutta Charnock City.

A club installation is not merely a ceremonial transition; it is a reaffirmation of our commitment to Service Above Self. As each new team takes charge, it carries forward the legacy of leadership, fellowship, and impactful service. I urge you to dream boldly, act compassionately, and lead inclusively—ensuring that your club becomes a lighthouse of hope and change in your community.

Let us embrace innovation while cherishing Rotary's timeless values. Work hand-in-hand with your members, reach out to the youth, collaborate with partners, and most importantly—listen to your community. The world

needs Rotary now more than ever.

Wishing you a successful and meaningful Rotary year ahead.

Yours in Rotary,

Dr. Ramendu Homchaudhuri District Governor, RID 3291 Rotary Year 2025–26



Congratulations Rina

Rtn. Rina Sinha Roy being selected as ASSISTANT GOVERNOR (ADMIN) ZONE 35 DISTRICT CHAIR, CANCER AWARENESS & PREVENTION COMMITTEE in 2025-26.

MINUTES OF 527[™] REGULAR MEETING OF RC CALCUTTA CHARNOCK CITY AND COTS ON 11[™] JUNE AT 2025 AT KIMLI FROM 7.00 PM

- 1. Meeting was called to order by President Rtn Dr. Sebanti Goswami
- 2. National Anthem was led by Rtn. Rina Sinha Ray.
- 3. President welcomed the AG Rtn. Arinda, Pakrashi and all club members
- 4. Minutes were confirmed
- 5. President made her Announcement

RINEWS

• Rotary International President Elect Rtn. Mario has tendered his registration on the grounds of health and business.

CLUB NEWS

- 25th May.. Sayannhe a monthly project at Mrinalini Briddhabas
- 1st June.. Board Meeting

UPCOMING

- 13th June.. Ramdhanu 2 a program with the LGBTQ at Commune from 7 PM
- 26th June.. No No Anaemia followed by thanks giving at kimli
- 1st July.. Blood donation at Rotary Sadan with BOGS from 9 AM
- 7th July.. Installation at Downtown Kitchen and Bar at 5 PM
- 6. Announcement by Secretary
- Secretary announced the birthdays of Dr. Sebanti Goswami on 31st May, Rtn. Rima Chakravarty on 8th June, Rtn. Bharati Chatterjee on 10th June DOA of Rtn. Asim Kumar Saha and Arpita Saha on 18th June
- 7. Sunshine Collection was Rs. 600/-
- 8. Recitation of the 4 Way Test was done by Rtn. Sudipta Sengupta Choudhuri
- 9. AG Rtn. Arindam Pakrashi spoke on the general principles of Rotary, role of the President, role of the Club Members and gave a general guideline in COTS
- 10. President presented the plans and objectives of the Rotary Year 2025-26
- Miscellaneous (any question from the floor/anybody wants to share anything)
 Rtn. Moutrisha suggested having some projects on Basic Education and Literacy in Konnagar in which she was interested to take the lead.
- 12. Vote of Thanks was given by Rtn. Rima Chakravarty
- 13. Meeting was terminated by the president at 8.30 PM



Photos of COTS & 527th RM on 11th June at 2025 at kimli from 7.00 pm

MINUTES OF 528th regular meeting of RC Calcutta Charnock City Followed By Ramdhanu 2 (a program with LGBTQ) on 19th June, 7 pm at commune

- 1. Meeting was called to order by President Rtn Dr Sebanti Goswami
- 2. National Anthem was led by Rtn Debashis Choudhuri
- 3. President welcomed the speaker Koyel Ghosh from SAPPHO for Equality, the other members of Sappho, ZS Rtn Amar Buranwala, Chair DEI Rtn Rajlakhsmi Mohan, Rotarians from different clubs and Nonrotarian friends
- 4. Minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed
- 5. President made her Announcements

CLUB NEWS

- 22nd June : Monthly project Sayanhe at Mrinalini Briddhabas at 6:30 PM
- 26th June : No No Anemia at Mansur Habibullah Memorial School at 11:30 AM
- 26th June 529th RM followed by Thanksgiving at 2 PM
- 1st July Blood donation at Rotary Sadan with Bengal Obstetrics and Gynecological society
- 7th July Installation at Downtown Kitchen at 5 PM
- 6. Secretary made his Announcements of Birthday of Rtn Utpal Kumar Datta on 27th June and the marriage anniversary of Rtn Asim Kumar Saha and Arpita Saha on 18th JUNE
- 7. Sunshine Collection was Rs 800
- 8. Recitation of the 4 Way Test by Rtn Dr Dhritiman Maitra
- 9. This was followed by Ramdhanu 2. The rainbow flag is a symbol of the LGBTQI+ pride movement. So on the light of the above, our Club headed by our President Rtn Dr. Sebanti Goswami has named this awareness program as RAMDHANU. As this is our second attempt so we have named it as RAMDHANU 2.

RAMDHANU depicts that all the colours of our Society should be merged. Today's special guest was Rtn Raj Lakshmi Mohan, Chairman (Diversity Equity Inclusion) and our guest speaker Koyel Ghosh, from SAPPHO FOR EQUALITY. The Speaker Koyel Ghosh from SAPHO was introduced by Rtn Rina Sinha Roy and felicitated.

It was heart wrenching listening to their deliberation regarding the present scenario of our so called literate society and the harm it is causing to those who belong to the LGBTQI+ community.

We Rotary Club of Calcutta Charnock City members have taken a decision to spread more and more awareness in the society, may it take more decades but one day we will be able to sweep away all the adverse activities, unwanted tortures, ill treatments that are been faced by the LGBTQI+ community.

10. Miscellaneous (any question from the floor/any body wants to share anything)

The DEI Chair Rtn Rajlakhsmi Mohan commented on the issue. She suggested about holding seminars on this issue at a bigger scale

- 11. Vote of Thanks was given by Rtn Sudipta Chaudhuri
- 12. Meeting was terminated by president at 8:30PM



Photos of 528th Regular Meeting on 19th June at 2025 at Commune

MINUTES OF 529[™] REGULAR MEETING OF RC CALCUTTA CHARNOCK CITY FOLLOWED BY THANKSGIVING ON 26[™] JUNE, 2 PM AT CAFE ADDAGHAR

- 1. Meeting was called to order by President Rtn Dr Sebanti Goswami
- 2. National Anthem was led by Rtn Sudipta Sengupta Chowdhuri
- 3. President welcomed all members
- 4. Minutes were confirmed
- 5. Presidents made her Announcements
- 19th was the Ramdhanu 2 at Commune
- 22nd was the SAYANHE at Mrinalini Briddhabas
- 1st July.. Blood donation at Rotary sadan with BOGS
- 7th July ... Installation at Downtown club at 5 PM
- 10th July Thalassemia awareness programme at MHMS
- 13th July SAYANHE at Mrinalini Briddhabas
- Announcement by Secretary
 Birthday of Rtn Dr Utpal Datta on 27th June
- 7. Recitation of the 4 Way Test was done by Rtn Bharati Chatterjee
- 8. Thanksgiving Programme
- The president thanked every member individually pointing out and mentioning the role each one played throughout the year and presented each one with a gift from her side. The club members presented a Saree to the president on behalf of the club.
- 9. Miscellaneous (any question from the floor/any body wants to share anything)
- Rtn. Dr. Utpal Datta spoke in appreciation of the role the president played in bringing different innovative projects yet saving money from the club as much as possible.
- Rtn. Rima Chakrabarty who joined online also appreciated the work done
- 10. Meeting was terminated by president at 3:30 PM
- This was followed by the prebirthday celebration of Rtn Dr Utpal K Datta



Photos of 529th Regular Meeting followed by Thanks Giving on 26th June at 2025 at Café Addaghar

INDUCTION OF A NEW MEMBER



Dr. Shabana Roze Chowdhury MBBS, DMCW, MPH, Ph.D., FRSPH

A dedicated medical professional with a strong commitment to promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion through her philanthropic endeavours.

CURRENT POSITIONS OF HONOR

- **1. Special Invitee**: The Bengal Obstetric and Gynaecological Society (BOGS), 2024–2025.
- **2. Treasurer**: Indian Society of Perinatology and Reproductive Biology, Kolkata Chapter (ISOPARB), 2024–2025.
- 3. Joint Secretary: Kolkata Menopause Society, 2023–2025.
- **4. Joint Secretary**: Indian Public Health Association, West Bengal Branch (IPHA), 2023–2025.
- 5. Core Committee Member: Endometriosis Society of India (ESI), 2023–2025.
- **6. Member**: Violence Against Women Committee, Federation of Obstetric and Gynaecological Society of India (FOGSI).
- **7. Divisional Commander (Medical)**: St. John's Ambulance, Calcutta University Institute Division
- 8. Managing Committee Member: Various University Institutes and Educational Organizations.
- 9. Managing Committee Member: Indian Medical Association, Bengal Branch.

An active member of Interact Club during her school days, who believed that "true wealth lies in the good one does for the world."



1st support to District Project for the new Rotary Year 25-26 by RC CALCUTTA CHARNOCK CITY on 1st July 2025. Blood Donation camp at Rotary Sadan.



"Our Goals for the Year"



- Fight cervical cancer with screenings and awareness drives
- Expand environmental work: tree plantations to water conservation
- · Uplift mothers and children: nutrition, hygiene, healthcare
- CPR training for ambulance drivers and caregivers
- Support students: scholarships, mentorship, exam counseling
- · Preserve culture and livelihoods: Shola and Goor Silpa
- Eye, Ear, Elderly Care
- Collaborate with Rotary clubs: joint meetings, knowledge sharing, global grants, CSR funding

Changeover Ceremony on 1st July



'Maternal & Child Health Camp'- Free Health Check-up Camp held on 15th June 2025

RC CALCUTTA CHARNOCK CITY IS KEEN ON CONTINOUS PROJECTS

We have several Monthly Ongoing Projects for Years

- **1. Support to Paediatric Cancer patients** monthly for the **Last Three Years** at SSKM Hospital. With Life Beyond Cancer.
- 2. SAYANHE— Mental support to elderly people at an old age home Mrinalini Bridhabas in every month for the Last One Year.
- 3. NO NO ANEMIA project at different schools once a month for the Last One Year. We have distributed medicines for one month and rechecked them after one month. This will be replaced by THALASSEMIA AWARENESS CAMPAIGN in every month in this year.
- 4. Support to Swapna Choya School at Joka where our Vocational Training Program is being run by the mothers of the students. We support by arranging the test of the trainees and supporting the selling of their stitched clothes. We visit there monthly.
- 5. Promoting the 4 Way Test in every Regular Meeting & every opportunity for the Last Fifteen Years.
- 6. Fellowship and relationships with neighbouring clubs for the Last Fifteen Years.
- 7. Supporting Pratham Padakshep Welfare Society a special children home for the Last Ten Years.
- 8. Workshop on Cancer in Women for the Last 4 Years.



Monthly Visit to SSKM



No No Anemia



Mental Support to Sayanhe



School Bench Donation at Swapna Choya School at Joka



Promotion of the 4 Way Test



Support to Pratham Padakshep Welfare Society a special children home



238 Girls Cervical Cancer Vaccination



16th Vocational Excellence Award Ceremony



Thalassemia & Breast Cancer Awareness Card Distribution (5000+5000)



Ramdhanu Inclusion of All Colours



Meeting on Financial Literacy with 30 Non Rotarian Attendees



100% Club Members Contribution to TRF Annual Fund



Fellowship with Neighbouring Clubs

Weeklong projects on World Breast Feeding Week



At Dhanodhanyo Auditorium



At Calcutta National Medical College



At Calcutta Medical College



Participation in RLI- Part 2



Easy School 3 Savitribai Phule Awards & Medals to 60 Teachers of MHMS, Tollygunge



Art Competition in MHMS, Tollygunge



Virangana in MHMS, Tollygunge



Art Competition at Kasba



Mind Your Mind



Cancer in Women at Lady Brabourne College