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Minutes of the RWM 2788 held at the Mahendra Smriti Sabhaghar RC Dumdum on 30.05.25 at 6.30 pm

ADDRESS:

In the absence of the Honourable President **Rtn. Sanjib Roy**, the respected Vice President **Rtn. Monojit Pal** chaired the meeting and called RWM 2788 to order. He welcomed all members to the meeting.

BEGINNING:

The meeting commenced with the National Anthem, led by **Rtn. Pranab Kumar Roy**, at the Chairman's request.



CLUB BUSINESS:

Secretary **Rtn. Chinmay Roy** conducted the club business:

a) Advanced birthday greetings were conveyed to **Rtn. Pranab**, whose birthday falls on June 1st. Members joined in the congratulations.

b) Advanced wedding anniversary greetings were extended to Rotary couple **PP Rtn. Tarun Kanti Biswas** and **Rtn. Samita Biswas**, whose

anniversary is on June 5th. Members participated in the celebrations.

c) The receipt of the newsletter 'LIGHT' from RC Garden Reach was announced.



d) The members were informed about the visit to **Vidyasagar Sishu Siksha Niketan**, Ayodhya Hills, Bagmundi, Purulia, on May 23rd and 24th for the construction of a shed in front of the hostel block, funded by RID 1130. Along with the Secretary, the visit was participated by the Director Club Service Project **PP Rtn. Rupankar Sengupta** and Honorary Member **Rtn. Soumen Ray**. On behalf of RCDD, an MOU was signed with **Vidyasagar Sishu Siksha Niketan**, aligning with the MoU between RC Battersea Park and RCDD, in line with the MoU between RC Battersea Park London and RID 1130. The total cost of the project was considered to be £1,800.



e) The scheduled District Training Assembly held on May 25th at **Dhono Dhanyo Auditorium**, from 9.00 am to 5.00 pm, was reported. It was attended by **DGND Rtn. Tapas Bhattacharya**, Secretary **Rtn. Chinmay**, Director Club Administration **PP Rtn. Dr. Asoke Das**, Director Club Service Project **PP Rtn. Rupankar** (with one guest), Director Literacy **Rtn. Suman Kumar Guha** with his partner **Barnali** and **Rtn. Raja Roy Chowdhury** from RCDD.

DISCUSSION:

- a) Chairman **Rtn. Monojit** informed the house about the resignation of **PE Rtn. Sekhar Chatterjee** from the post of President 2025-26 on May 26th. An emergency board meeting was held on May 28th to decide on urgent matters:
- i) The resignation was accepted by the board.
 - ii) RWM will be conducted as usual on May 30th.
 - iii) The scheduled Club Assembly on June 1st was postponed to June 13th, after the RWM.
 - iv) There will be no RWM on June 6th

v) A Special General Body Meeting will be convened on Sunday, June 8th, at Club Venue, from 10 am to 11 am, to elect the President for 2025-2026, followed by a thanksgiving lunch and fellowship sponsored by the outgoing President **Rtn. Sanjib**.

vi) The 60th Installation Meeting will

be held on Sunday, June 22nd, at *Mahendra Smriti Sabhaghar*, A-49 VIP Park, Prafulla Kanan, Kolkata-700101, instead of Space Circle Club.

ENDING:

The minutes of RWM 2786 and 2787, circulated via email and WhatsApp, were noted. Eight

members attended the meeting. Sunshine contributions were collected through billing. The Chairman concluded the meeting and reminded that no RWM would be held on June 6th. He requested all members to join the SGM scheduled for June 8th at the club venue.



Rotary Club Installation

The essence of Rotary leadership lies in its vibrant and dynamic rotation each year. The Rotary Club installation ceremony signifies a pivotal moment in the club's lifecycle—marking the seamless transition of leadership from one president and board to the next. It serves to honour outgoing leaders while officially welcoming new ones, reinforcing the club's commitment to service, fellowship, and ongoing growth.

Key Elements

- **Welcome:**
Honouring guests and dignitaries, including the Chief Guest, District Officials, Partner Rotary, Rotaract, RCC, Interact personnel, and other distinguished individuals, with warm greetings.
- **Outgoing President's Report:**
The outgoing president and secretary present a concise summary of the club's achievements, projects, and milestones accomplished over the past year.
- **Installation of the Incoming President:**
The incoming president is formally installed, signifying their assumption of leadership and responsibilities.
- **Installation of Board Members:**
The new board members are inducted by the incoming president or designated dignitaries, marking their official start in guiding the club's initiatives.
- **Handover of Responsibilities:**
The outgoing president ceremoniously hands over symbols of authority—such as the collar, gavel, and club charter—to the incoming president, symbolizing continuity and trust.
- **Acceptance:**
The incoming president accept, sharing their vision, priorities, and goals for the upcoming year, inspiring members and supporters alike.