

Minutes of the RWM 2747 held at the Mahendra Smriti Sabhaghar RC Dumdum on 26.07.24 at 6.30 pm

ADDRESS:

The President, Rtn. Sanjib Roy, called the meeting to order and extended a warm welcome to all the members.

BEGINNING:

As requested, **Rtn. Ardhendu Biswas** led the National Anthem.



CLUB BUSINESS:

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

a) Extended advanced wedding anniversary greetings to **Rtn. Pradip Chowdhury** and his charming partner **Smt. Susmita** for their anniversary on 1st August.

b) Informed the receipt of the newsletters *LIGHT* and *THE BRIDGE* from RC Garden Reach and RC Howrah respectively.

c) Reported the acknowledgement of the receipt of statutory invoices from RISAO and the District.

d) Announced the timely filing of the income tax return of RCDD for the AY 2024-25 and the receipt of a refund of ₹ 21,760.00. He highlighted the herculean efforts by IPP Rtn. Tarun Kanti Biswas, and members appreciated IPP Rtn. Tarun for his meticulous drive.

e) Declared the finalization of the Tree Plantation Project to be carried out at *Humaniaponta* village in August. The Chair, Service Projects **PP Rtn. Rupankar Sengupta**, is working on the details and will inform the date soon.

f) Announced that the Club had decided to distribute 50 mosquito nets with the support of a District Grant. The identification of beneficiaries would be done with the help of the local Puja Committee/Ward Councilor.



g) Informed members that four desktop PCs would be donated to Humaniaponta Abdul Aziz High School and Humaniapponta GSFP School through the SIKSHA LABH project under basic education and literacy of RC Calcutta. The Handing Over Ceremony is scheduled for 17th August at Rotary Sadan, Kolkata.

h) Treasurer **PP Rtn. Swarnendu Sekhar Saha** informed that 10 members had paid their SAD-1 dues and requested others to comply as soon as possible. He also informed that a sum of Rs. 30,000.00 had been received from advertisements published in the souvenir commemorating the 59th Installation Ceremony of the Club.

DISCUSSION:

a) On request, Rtn. Suman Kumar Guha discussed the proposed Rotary Sharad Samman in detail and suggested the following focus areas for promotion during celebration days:

- Ethnic Bengali culture coupled with the Biswa Bangla concept
- Lowering the carbon footprint in line with scientific advancements
- Water and waste management
- Sustainable management of plastic waste
- Social development and interpersonal bonding
- Gender parity in employment

b) The President informed that the 16th Installation Ceremony of the Interact Club of Assembly of Angels

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School was celebrated with great pomp and splendor.



The Interactors were delighted to have President Sanjib and DGND Rtn. Tapas Bhattacharya among them. They welcomed and greeted them traditionally. In turn, the attending Rotarians greeted them with prestigious lapel pins, appreciated their efforts, and wished them grand success in the coming days. The Club Charter was duly handed over by the President, and Smt. Suparna Banerjee, Interact Adviser, introduced the Interact Board 2024-25.

c) Members discussed about the health condition of VP **Rtn. Monojit Pal** who has recovered well after the unfortunate road accident.



Rtn. Monojit acknowledged the receipt of the Get well message from the Club, thanked all the members for their concern and informed to join all soon.

ENDING:

The minutes of RWM 2746, circulated via email and WhatsApp, were confirmed by the 12 members attending the meeting. Sunshine was collected through bills. The meeting was concluded by the President, with thanks to all present and a wish to meet at the next RWM on Friday, 2nd August.



District 3291

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VIRANGANA -The Self Defence program for Girl Child is once again starting from 1st September 2024. President/Authorised Representative to apply through Google link for a Maximum participant of 50(fifty). The Club is required to pay the instructor ₹ 2,000.00 on the day of the event.

The DG office would reimburse the club, the fees of the instructor Rs 2000 on submission of payment voucher. The Club is required to organise for The Dietician and Psychologist to address the children after the training. Each session should be for 45mins. The District would support designing the banner and certificates for the club, to use for the event.

Diana Banerjee, 9903479988, Addnl District Secretary Projects Non-Medical, member Rotary Ganga Heritage Kolkata is incharge of the program.

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