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## **NOVEMBER ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH**

### Date 04 NOV' 23

President, Secretary of RC Kamarhatí wishes all members with their famílies "Subho Býoya"



speedy recovery and good health.



শুভ কালীপুজা ও দীপাবলির অগ্রীম শুভেচ্ছা

Diwali is celebrated in honour of Lord Ramchandra because on this day Lord Rama returned to Ayodhya after 14 years of exile. During this exile, he fought with demons and the demon king Ravana, the powerful ruler of Lanka. On Rama's return, the people of Ayodhya lit diyas to welcome him and celebrate his victory.

DIWALI IS CELEBRATED OVER FIVE DAYS.

# The Rotary Foundation( TRF)

The foundation was created in 1917 by Rotary International's sixth president, Arch C. Klumph, as an endowment fund for Rotary "to do good in the world world.

**Polio eradication** PolioPlus:Rotarians have mobilized by the hundreds of thousands to ensure that children are immunized against this crippling disease and that surveillance is strong despite the poor infrastructure, extreme poverty and civil strife of many countries.

**Disaster Recovery**: Facilitates club efforts to support disaster preparedness and recovery.

**District Simplified Grants**: Support for short-term service activities or humanitarian endeavors of districts in communities locally or internationally. This program began in 2003–2004

**Health, Hunger and Humanity (3-H)** Grants:Support for large-scale, two- to four-year projects that improve health, alleviate hunger, or promote human development. Since 1978,

**Matching Grants**– Provide matching funds for the international service projects of Rotary clubs and districts. Since 1965,

### Educational programs

Scholarships: Founded in 1947, the Ambassadorial Scholarships program was the largest non-governmental and most international scholarship program in the world. program ended in 2013. Scholarships are now funded by district and global grants and are offered directly through Rotary clubs.

**Group Study Exchange (GSE):[** These annual awards are made to paired Rotary districts to provide travel expenses for a team of non-Rotarians from a variety of vocations. Rotarian hosts organize a four- to six-week itinerary of educational and cultural points of interest. Since 1965, almost 48,000 individuals in more than 11,000 teams from more than 100 countries have participated at a cost of US\$85 million.

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DAY TWO: People decorate their homes with clay lamps and create design patterns called rangoli on the floor using colored powders or sand.

DAY THREE: On the main day of the festival, families gather together for Lakshmi puja, a prayer to Goddess Lakshmi, followed by mouth-watering feasts and firework festivities.

DAY FOUR: This is the first day of the new year, when friends and relatives visit with gifts and best wishes for the season.

DAY FIVE: Brothers visit their married sisters, who welcome them with love and a lavish meal.

# MINUTES OF 2673<sup>rd</sup> RWM OF ROTARY CLUB KAMARHATI HELD ON 13 OCTOBER 2023, SATURDAY AT 6-30pm AT ROTARY CLINIC BUILDING, BASANTBIHAR, BELGHORIA, KOLKATA-56

- 1. President Rtn Dr. Amal Kumar Khan took the chair and called the 2673<sup>rd</sup> RWM to order and requested PP Rtn Govind Singhal to lead the National Anthem.
- President reported about club programs held New Cloths (20Sarees &40 Shirts) were given to differently able persons of PRAPTI before Pooja on 7 Oct'23, Saturday at 6pm before RWM Board meeting was held on 8<sup>th</sup> Oct'23, Sunday at 7pm at Club premises. Sumptuous Dinner followed by the meeting was sponsored by IPP Rtn. Biplab Sengupta.
- 3. President informed that PP Rtn. Prasun Krishna Dutta invited all Rotarians and their families to the Sraddha Ceremony of her mother( Who has expired on 08 Oct) to be held on 18 Oct'23 at Anupama Hall at Verner lane, Belghoria and to the Niyam Bhanga anusthan will also be organized at Anupama Hall on 19 Oct'23.
- President conveyed Birthday wishes for Rtn Swapna Gangopadhyaya (20 Oct) ,Rtn. Sayan Mukherjee( 21 Oct) ,PP Rtn. Pradip Chaudhary (24Oct ) , Mrs. Debjani Mukherjee ( 31Oct) and Mrs. Dipanwita Bhattacharya (31 Oct)

He also wished anniversary greetings for IPP Biplab Sengupta and Mrs. Rita Sengupta (30 Oct).

- 5. There will be no RWM on next two Saturday due to Durga Puja and Laxmi Puja. Next RWM will be on 1<sup>st</sup> week of Nov'23 i.e. on 4 Nov'23. Clinic will also remain closed for these two weeks. Anns' Birthday couldn't be celebrated this month, will be celebrated at the end of November.
- 6. Being requested by President, Secretary Rtn. Amit Kumar Bhattacharya conducted the club business and got the minutes of last RWM confirmed, proposed by PP Rtn. Dr. G D Swarnakar and seconded by PP Rtn. Ajoy Kumar Sarkar with the following rectification of point no 2 as follows "In absence of Secretary, Rtn Rohit Goel performed the duties of Secretary and got the minutes of last RWM confirmed......."
- 7. Upcoming program : A Health Check-up camp proposed to be held in the month of November.
- 8. Probable date of Annual Picnic was discussed and fixed for 7 Jan'24. President requested PP Rtn. Ajoy Kumar Sarkar to contact and book last year's venue of Deoulti Nirala Resort.
- 9. President wished all wished all Rotarians and their families happy Puja.
- 10. As there were no other points to discuss, President terminated the meeting after attendance, Clinic report and International toasting .

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INTERNATIONAL TOASTING	ATTENDENCE		CLINIC REPORT	
PP Rtn. Ajoy Kumar Sarkar on behalf				
of President, Secretary and members	Rotarians	: 12	Gen. Medicine	: 13
of RC Kamarhati offered toast of			SKIN	: 5
Goodwill and friendship to members				
of RC AURILLARC CENTRAL, FRANCE,				
RID 1740, Zone 11.				