

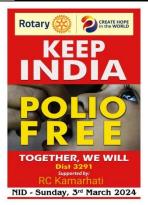
WEEKLY BULLETIN FOR PRIVATE CIRCULATION ONLY ROTARY CLUB KAMARHATI, RI DISTRICT 3291

Chartered in 1969, Club Regn. No. 16180

President : Rtn. Dr. Amal Kr. Khan • Secretary : Rtn. Amit Kr. Bhattacharjee • Editor : Rtn. Dr. PK. Pandit

We Meet at Our Club Building, 22 & 23 Feeder Road, Belghoria, Kolkata-56 at 6:30 pm. Every Saturday

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A Car & Bike Rally being planned on 3<sup>rd</sup> March from Sinthee more to Barrackpore with participants from different Rotary Clubs of North Sub-urban area. IPP Biplab Sengupta co-ordidinating the matter with DGND Tapas Bhattacharyya . 5-8 car expected to participate in the rally from our club.

### Global Polio Eradication

#### Polio Cases Have Decreased by More than 99%

In 1988, the World Health Assembly passed a resolution to eradicate polio, leading to the establishment of the <u>Global Polio Eradication</u> <u>Initiative</u> (GPEI). As a result, partners including Rotary, CDC are working together to ensure that every child receives several doses of polio vaccine.

Since the launch of GPEI, polio cases have decreased by more than 99%. In addition, polio vaccines have prevented an estimated 20 million cases of paralysis in children since 1988.

Vaccines have stopped the spread of wild polio virus in all but <u>two</u> <u>countries</u>: Afghanistan and Pakistan. However, other countries have experienced outbreaks of <u>poliovirus variants</u>, which can emerge in areas where immunization rates are low.

GPEI set a goal of ending all types of polio in 2023 and is working to address barriers to reaching this goal. Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, routine childhood immunization programs and global polio vaccination campaigns were disrupted. GPEI is working to increase global polio vaccination to make up for lost ground. Success in eradicating polio will mean that no more children will have to experience the devastating effects of the disease. Failure to eradicate polio could cause polio virus to reappear around the world with an estimated 150,000-200,000 new cases expected every year within 10 years.

## Happy Birthday

Mrs.

Soni Shaw : 02 Mar



# **District Program Held**

President Elect Training Seminar along with SETS & TETS held on 25 Feb'24 at ITC Sonar. .
PE Prof .Sayan Mukherjee,

Secretary Rtn. Amit Kr Bhattacharyya,
Treasurer PP Rtn.Dr.PK Pandit and
ZS PP Rtn. Prasun Krishna Dutta attended
the program. It was a nice learning
experience in the line of District training
assembly with Plenary seasons, separate
break away seasons for Presidents,
Secretaries and Treasurers.. In the
rapidly changing scenario of digitalized
world season by executive from
Rotaryindia.org was definitely good
learning experience.

# New appointment in District Committee in RY 2024-25

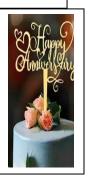
1. PP Rtn Ratna Ghosh- Co-Chair RYLA
2.PP Rtn. Biplab Sengupta- Co-ChairCOMPUTER LITERACY & CYBER
AWARENESS Congratulations

# **Upcoming Club Program**

District Governor Hiralal Yadav will visit our club on 10 March24 on his official visit. Please keep the day free from other appointments to attend the program

### **HappyAnniversary**

PP Rtn Subhendu Roy &
Mrs Rita Roy : 03 Mar
Rtn. Sebabrata Saha &
Mrs. Anima Saha : 06 Mar
PP Rtn. Pradip Mukherjee &
Mrs.Debjani Mukherjee :07 Mar



# MINUTES OF 2688<sup>th</sup> RWM OF ROTARY CLUB KAMARHATI HELD ON 24<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY2024, SATURDAY AT

### 6-30pm AT ROTARY CLINIC BUILDING, BASANTBIHAR, BELGHORIA, KOLKATA-56

- 1. President Rtn. Dr. Amal Kr Khan took the chair and called the 2688<sup>th</sup> RWM to order and requested Rtn Swapna Ganguly to lead the National Anthem.
- 2. President conveyed Birthday wishes for Ann.Mrs.Anima Saha (27 Feb)
- 3. He also conveyed Anniversary wishes for PP Rtn. Govind Singhal & Ann.Mrs. Alka Singhal (27 Feb) and for PP Rtn. Ajoy Kr Sarkar & Ann.Mrs.Purabi Sarkar (28 Feb).
- 4. President reported about upcoming District Program PETS/SETS/TETS-" UTTARAN -II" to be held on 25 Feb'24, Sunday at ITC SONAR from 9am to 5 pm. PP Rtn. Prasun Krishna Dutta ,upcoming ZS of Zone 13 described the objectives of PETS, SETS & TETS.
- 5. On 3<sup>rd</sup> March'24 will be NID(Pulse Polio Program). To keep India Polio free Rotary District 3291 taken up awareness progams like Walk, Car & Bike Rally in different part of the District. President informed that IPP Rtn Biplab Sengupta co-ordinating the matter with DGND Tapas Bhattacharyya regarding our participation in the Rally. Members requested PP Rtn.Prasun Krishna Dutta and PE Prof Sayan Mukherjee to participate in the Rally.
- 6. DG visit of our club is scheduled to be held on 23<sup>rd</sup> April'24 as per District Directory. President requested members attending tomorrow's PETS/SETS/TETS to fix a date on any weekend evening.
- 7. 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. Dr.PK Pandit.
- 8. PP Rtn. Sanjit Mukherjee requested members to attend 3<sup>rd</sup> March'24, Sunday NID at our Club Polio booth. And made a provisional duty roster.
- 9. PP Rtn. Somnath Sen raised a point on Rotary Club Constitution and Bylaws as suggested in COL. According to that Club should also update Club Bylaws. There is no provision of Directors in different avenues of service in stead there should be Chairman of different service avenue. And accordingly our club Bylaws should be amended. President entrusted PP Rtn. Somnath Sen to do the necessary amendments in our Bylaws before DG Visit.
- 10. . President reported about upcoming club program " Distribution of Sanitary Napkins" . Final date on distribution will be informed soon.
- 11. PP Rtn Dr. J.B.Ganguly inquired about the progress of water connection of Uday Villa School. President requested those who have connection with Kamarhati Municipality to look into the matter.
- As there were no other points to discuss, President terminated the meeting after attendance,
   Clinic report and International toasting.

INTERNATIONAL TOASTING	ATTENDENCE		CLINIC REPORT
PP Rtn. Somnath Sen on behalf of President, Secretary and members of RC Kamarhati offered toast of Goodwill and friendship to members of RC WRIDSON,CA, USA CALIFORNIA, RID 5130 ,Zone 23	Rotarians	: 15	Gen. Medicine :22