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

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JANUARY : VOCATIONAL SERVICE MONTH

Date 25 Jan 2025

## JANUARY IS VOCATIONAL SERVICE MONTH

Vocational Service focuses on: The recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, not just your own or those that are pursued by Rotarians. The contribution of your vocational talents to the problems and needs of society.

During **January**, Rotarians are encouraged to focus on this important avenue of Rotary service. Discussions on vocational service can lead to projects that not only develop the ethical consciousness and vocational skills of Rotarians but also the talents within their communities.

## Happy Birthday

PP Rtn Pradip Mukherjee : 28 Jan

Mrs. Alka Singhal : 30Jan



## Upcoming Club Program

On 26 January'25-Sunday **76th Republic Day** will be celebrated by Hoisting National flag at Club premises at 9-00 am to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution in 1950. All are requested to assemble at Club premises by 9-00am. After hoisting National Flag we will start for our Annual Picnic

At last **Club Picnic** will be on 26<sup>th</sup> January'25, Sunday at Green View Picnic Garden, Seuli, Sibbala on Barrackpore Barasat Road. Picnic spot already booked. Please ensure your participation. A Bus has been arranged -Courtesy Rtn. Prof Samit Roy & PP Rtn. Dr SK Ghosh.

**Republic Day 2025:** Republic Day is celebrated annually to mark the adoption of the **Indian Constitution**, making India a democratic republic. The Indian constitution replaced the British Raj's Government of India Act 1935. Republic Day marks the day on which the Indian constitution came into effect. The first Republic Day ceremony was held on January 26, 1950. Every year, the Republic Day parade happens on the Kartavya Path in New Delhi on January 26. This year, there is confusion as to whether it is the 76th or 77th Republic Day. However, this confusion can be removed by clearing up misinterpretation of anniversary dates. India first celebrated Republic Day in 1950. So since then, it is to be counted. 2nd Republic Day celebration was in 1951, and third in 1952 and so on. In 2025, India will celebrate 76th Republic Day, as India completed 75 full years of Democratic Republic.

On Republic Day the President of India Unfurls the National Flag. Celebration features a beautiful cultural parade every year, showcasing India's diversity. This year the theme is Swarnim Bharat - Virasat aur Vikas' (Golden India - Heritage and Development). The theme highlights India's vibrant cultural heritage and its continuous journey of progress.

Similarly, there's a chief guest, who is a president or prime minister of a foreign country. This year, the chief guest is Indonesian President **Prabowo Subianto**.

**MINUTES OF 2729<sup>th</sup> RWM OF ROTARY CLUB KAMARHATI HELD ON 18 JANUARY 2025 AT ROTARY CLINIC BUILDING, BASANT BIHAR, 22& 23 FEEDER ROAD ,BELGHORIA, KOLKATA-700056**

- President Rtn Sayan Mukherjee took the chair and called the 2729<sup>th</sup> RWM to order and requested PP Rtn.Govind Singhal to lead the National Anthem.
- President wished happy Anniversary to PP Rtn.Dr.Samir Kumar Ghosh & Dr.Mrs. Mita Ghosh( 18Jan) and Rtn Ranjit Shaw & Mrs. Soni Shaw (21Jan).
- PP Rtn Ratna Ghosh introduced her guest Ms. Sujata Talukder , teacher of RBT School, Sinthee and her son Abhishek . President welcomed them to our RWM.
- Being requested by President PP Rtn. Dr.PK Pandit spoke on Cervical Cancer Vaccination and awareness program held on 11 Jan'25. Cervical cancer is 2<sup>nd</sup> most common cancer among ladies next to Breast Cancer.This cancer develops in women who got infected with Human Papilloma Virus.Vaccination against this infection can protect more than 90% girls from this deadly disease. We have vaccinated 22 adolescent girls with quadravalent vaccine CERVAVAC from Serum Institute of India. Serum institute manager made this vaccine available to us in a much cheaper rate as per MOU between Rotary and Serum Institute. District Secretary Projects(Medical) Rtn.Dr Minakshi Banerje was present on the occasion and addressed the Girls and their parents about this cancer and it's prevention with this vaccine.
- Treasurer PP Rtn Dr PK Pandit requested members to pay their promised amount of sponsoring at least one girl child's vaccine cost (Rs.2520). He also requested those members who haven't yet paid their RI & Club dues for the year to pay immediately.
- Being requested by President, Secretary Rtn. Amit Kumar Bhattacharyya conducted the Club business and readout the minutes of last RWM and got that confirmed proposed by Sanjit Mukherjee I and seconded by PP Rtn. Ajoy Kumar Sarkar.
- Being requested by President, PP Rtn. Govind Singhal spoke on Kumbha Mela. This year Maha Kumbha is being organized at PRYAGRAJ at confluence of three rivers. This kind of Maha Kumbha happens once in 144 years according to planetary position.Besides Pryagraj other three places organizes are Haridwar, Nasik & Ujjain.
- Rtn Rohit Goel reported about our Annual Picnic to be organized on 26 Jan'25, Sunday at Green View Picnic Garden at Barrackpore -Barasat Road near Devpukur. He reported about details of charges along with menu and all. He requested members to give exact number of persons attending from their families, so that catering could be arranged accordingly.
- President requested PP Rtn. Dr. SK Ghosh for arranging a vehicle for transportation..
- Secretary Rtn Amit Kumar Bhattacharyya invited members to 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of their School Belghoria Deshopriya Vidyaniketan on 21 Jan'25 and to a Blood donation camp on 23 Jan'25 at our new RCC Kamarhati Muktomon foundation along with Interact Club.
- 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 Dr. J.B.Ganguly on behalf of President, Secretary and members of RC Kamarhati offered a toast of Goodwill and friendship to members of RC BRIGNONES,VAR, FRANCH RID 3712, ZONE-11	Rotarians : 11 Guest : 2	Gen .Medicine! : 14 EYE :2 Blood Sugar :9 Serum Uric Acid :9

Rtn. Sayan Mukherjee  
President 2024-25

Rtn Amit Kr Bhattacharyya  
Secretary 2024-25

**N.B. Those who are yet to pay their Dues, please pay immediately . Six members yet to pay their Dues. 2<sup>nd</sup> RI semi Annual dues to be send this month.**

