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Club News

Family Get-Together & Presentation of Nation Builder Award

Date: 27th October 2026

Venue: Residence of Rtn JP Rai, Kuttar

The Family Get-Together and Presentation of the Nation Builder Award was held on 27th October 2026 at the residence of Rtn JP Rai, Kuttar. The programme began with an invocation by Ann Jayanthi.

President **Rtn Anitha Ravishankar Rao** warmly welcomed the gathering, followed by **Secretary Rtn Latha**, who read the report of the previous meeting. Winners of the Zonal Indoor Games were felicitated on this occasion, and members who celebrated their birthdays were also recognized.

Bulletin Editor IPDG Rtn Vikramdatta invited the Chief Guest, **PDG Dr Devdas Rai**, to release the club bulletin. In his address, PDG Dr Devdas Rai spoke about the vital role teachers play in shaping the lives of students and highlighted the significance of the Rotary Month of October. This year, the **Nation Builder Award** was presented to **Mr Rajiv Nayak** from Konaje Padavu School. He was introduced by **AG Rtn Dr Ravishankar Rao**. After receiving the award, Mr Sandeep Nayak addressed the gathering and expressed his gratitude.

Rtn Girish Alva distributed sweets to mark the celebration, and **Rtn Roopa Shetty** was recognized for being chosen as the **Zonal Lieutenant** for the Rotary Year 2026–27.

Rtn JP Rai announced the upcoming club events. A delightful dinner was hosted by **Rtn Dr Ananthan** and **Rtn Sangeetha Ananthan**. The Vote of Thanks was proposed by **Rtn Dr Ananthan**, and the meeting concluded with the President adjourning the session for fellowship and dinner.





Multi Zone Sports Meet – 02 November 2025 Venue: Mangala Stadium

The Multi Zone Sports Meet was held at Mangala Stadium on 2nd November 2025. From our club, 25 members including family members actively participated in various track and field events. Our club performed exceptionally well, securing 5 Gold, 5 Silver, and 2 Bronze medals.



Distribution of Indoor Sports Materials
Date: 04/11/2025
Venue: Sri Durga Aided School, Talapady

As part of our club's community service initiative, indoor sports materials worth ₹5,000 were distributed to Sri Durga Aided School, Talapady. The items handed over included Chess Boards, Carrom Boards, Ludo sets, and Snake, Dart ball board and Ladder boards, among others.

We express our sincere gratitude to **Rtn. Dr. Anitha Ravishankar Rao** and **Rtn. Dr. Ravishankar Rao** for their generosity and support in making this project successful.



Deepavali Celebration and Distribution of Sweets
Date: 03/11/2025
Venue: Sri Durga Aided School, Talapady

Deepavali was joyfully celebrated with the students of Sri Durga Aided School, Talapady. On this festive occasion, sweets were distributed among the children, spreading happiness and festive cheer.

We express our heartfelt thanks to **Rtn. Dr. Anitha Ravishankar Rao** and **Rtn. Dr. Ravishankar Rao** for their generosity and thoughtful contribution.



Literacy Mission
Date: 04/11/2025
Venue: Sri Durga Aided School, Talapady

As part of the **Literacy Mission**, a student-friendly learning app was demonstrated to the students, which proved to be highly useful and engaging. The demonstration helped students understand how to enhance their learning through digital tools.

We express our sincere thanks to **Rtn. Sajna Bhaskar** for explaining and demonstrating the app effectively.



Board Meeting – November 2025
Venue: Hotel Sriratna, Deralakatte

The Board Meeting for the month of November 2025 was held at Hotel Sriratna, Deralakatte. The following Board Members were present:

Rtn. Anitha Ravishankar, Rtn. Latha, Rtn. Dr. Ravishankar, Rtn. J.P. Rai, Rtn. Prabhakar Rai, Rtn. P.D. Shetty, Rtn. Ramachandra, and Rtn. Vikramdatta.

Proceedings and Decisions:

1. President **Rtn. Anitha Ravishankar** welcomed the members.
2. **Rtn. Latha** presented the report of the previous dinner meet.
3. **Rtn. J.P. Rai** presented the financial report.
4. It was decided to send teams for the **Zonal Cricket Tournament** and **Throwball Tournament**.
5. It was resolved to **donate Lactogen Stage 1** to the **Child Adoption Centre**.
6. A **CPR training programme** will be conducted at **Mudipu College**.
7. A **medical camp** will be organised at **Sunkadakatte**.
8. Hosting of upcoming **Dinner Meets** was finalised as follows:

- December 2025 – Rtn. Prabhakar Rai
- January 2026 – Rtn. Purushotham Anchan
- February 2026 – Rtns. Roopa Shetty and Ramachandra

9. A grill project will be undertaken at Talapady Anganawadi.

10. Announcement was made regarding TRF registration.

11. **Vote of thanks** was proposed by Rtn. J.P. Rai, who also sponsored the evening tea.

The meeting was then adjourned.



TRF Seminar Kanike – 8th & 9th November 2025, Puttur

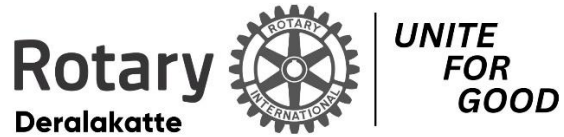
The TRF Seminar “Kanike” was held at Puttur on the 8th and 9th of November 2025. From our club, President Rtn. Dr. Anitha Ravishankar Rao, AG Rtn. Dr. Ravishankar Rao, and IPDG Rtn. Vikramdatta attended the event.

The seminar featured several eminent speakers, including PDG Rtn. Sam Movva, PDG Rtn. Surendra Reddy, IPDG Rtn. Chetan Desai, PDG Rtn. Nagarjun, PDG Rtn. G.K. Gopalkrishna, PDG Rtn. Ranganath Bhat, and DG Rtn. Ramki.

Our club was honoured with a banner from Rotary International for achieving EREY (Every Rotarian Every Year) status by contributing a minimum of US\$25 per member and also achieving US\$100 per capita contribution.

IPDG Rtn. Vikramdatta was felicitated on the occasion for his outstanding achievements during the Rotary Year 2024–25.





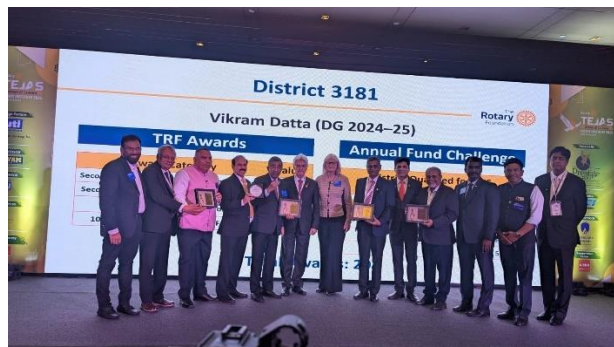
Multi Zone Cricket Championship
Date: 16th November 2025
Venue: Padavu Ground, Mangalore

- The Multi Zone Cricket Championship was successfully conducted at Padavu Ground, Mangalore.
- From our club, 16 members attended and actively participated in the cricket match.
- The team was ably led by Dr. Ananthan, who guided the members with enthusiasm and team spirit.



Rotary Institute – Delhi
Dates: 14th to 16th November 2025
Venue: New Delhi

- The Rotary Institute was held at New Delhi from 14th to 16th November 2025.
- Our District achieved remarkable success, securing 20 Awards in TRF.
- Our club was honoured with the Gold Citation for the year 2024–25, marking a proud achievement for all members.



Anganwadi Project – Attavara

Date: 12th November 2025

Venue: Attavara Anganwadi

- The Anganwadi project was undertaken at Attavara Anganwadi on 12th November 2025.
- Various activities were organised for the children, including:
 1. Drawing competition
 2. Fun games
 3. Distribution of prizes to the participants
 4. Distribution of sweets and badam milk to all the children
- Assistant Governor Rtn. Dr. Ravishankar Rao graced the occasion with his presence.



Reasons to celebrate during Rotary Foundation Month

There are many reasons to celebrate as we observe Rotary Foundation Month in November. We surpassed not only our comprehensive fundraising goal of US\$500 million in 2024-25 but also our ambitious goal to raise US\$2.025 billion by 2025 for our Endowment Fund. These accomplishments reflect the dedication of members and supporters like you. Your generosity is building a stronger, more sustainable Foundation.

We invite club and district leaders to express gratitude to donors and reflect on the positive impact their generosity has made possible. [Share this video](#) with members. You can further support Rotary's ability to continue Doing Good in the World by doing these things:

- [Make a special gift](#) to the Foundation on Giving Tuesday, 2 December. The top clubs in fundraising, donor participation, and online giving will be featured on My Rotary. [Read about last year's top Giving Tuesday clubs.](#)
- [Make a gift](#) to the Foundation at any time to help people in need
- Organize fundraisers using [Raise for Rotary](#), our online peer-to-peer fundraising tool. People have used it to create more than 3,700 fundraising pages, collecting more than US\$3 million for the Foundation.

The secret to a flourishing club

Successful clubs set goals effectively. When club leaders plan for the future, they give the club a sense of direction. Whether you aim to welcome more members, complete more service projects, or improve the experience that your club offers, setting goals motivates members to work toward a common purpose.

Rotary Club Central makes it easy for Rotary and Rotaract clubs to set their goals and track their progress. Club leaders can set yearly goals for up to three years and record the club's accomplishment, and all members can view the club's progress. Plus, new club leaders can use previous goals to make informed decisions about the club's direction.

It's never too late to start planning for your club's future. To get inspired, read [this Rotary magazine story about clubs that benefited from using Rotary Club Central to set goals](#). Then visit [Rotary Club Central](#) to get started. The Club Excellence Award recognizes the hard work clubs do throughout the year. To earn the award, clubs must:

1. Set goals in [Rotary Club Central](#)
2. Report that they've achieved more than half of their goals
3. Pay club invoices within 60 days

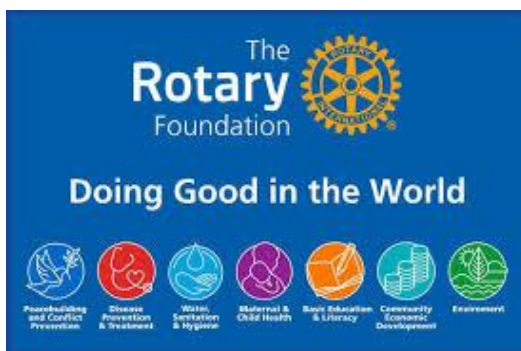
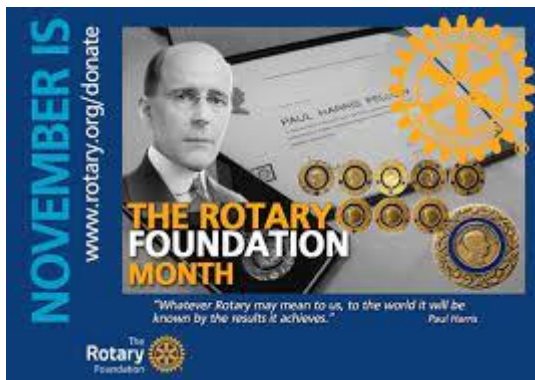
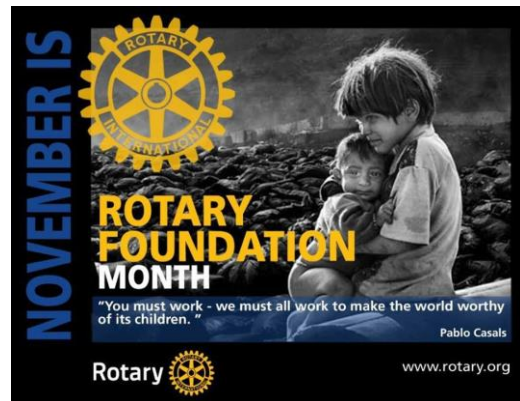
Club leaders have until 30 June 2026 to set, achieve, and report on their goals to be eligible for the 2025-26 Club Excellence Award.

BIRTHDAY & WEDDING ANNIVERSARY WISHES

Annet Meghana	D/O Rtn Dr Subhramanyam	10 th Nov	Birthday
Rtn Dr Ravishankar Rao	Ann Dr Anita Ravishankar	19 th Nov	Marriage Anniv
Rtn Dr Ravishankar Rao		21 st Nov	Birthday
Rtn Vaani Lokayya		29 th Nov	Birthday

Congratulations

Congratulations on achieving the RI Banner for securing 100% contributions from all members, with each contributing a minimum of \$25 towards TRF. Heartiest congratulations as well for attaining the *Gold Citation* in the Annual TRF Challenges Award for the year 2024–25.



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