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President Speaks



Dear Rotarians,

The Installation Ceremony of our Club was a grand affair. I thank Dr. Mohan Alva, Rtn PHF Chinnagiri Gowda, Rtn PHF Ravi Jalan for gracing the occasion and giving us valuable advice. A total number of 12 members have joined our Club this year taking the strength of our Club to 67 from 55 at the end of the year 2024-25. Some of the projects undertaken by our Club this year are - donation of uniforms to the students of Govt. High School Ashok Nagar, Sponsorship of movie tickets of 140 students of Govt High School Ashoknagar, Neji Nedpuna programme at Kadandale, Donation of School Stationery to Students of Govt High School Konaje. Installation of Rain Water Harvesting

System at Patrika Bhavan, 2 Vanamamahotsavas, Donation at 3 computers at Vitla, organization of Cyber Crime and Anti Drug Awareness programme at St. Aloysius Higher Primary School and conduct of Saadhana Sambrama at St. Aloysius High School. I would like to thank Rtn PP MD Dr. Madhusudhan Upadya for contributing Rs. 25,000/- to the Annual Fund of the Rotary Foundation recently. We felicitated Dr. A Sadanand Shetty, Mr. RK Nair, Mrs. Chanchalakshi and Prof Dr. Mahabaleshwar Shetty this year. I had the privilege of installing Rtr Akshay Rai as the President of the Rotaract Club of Mangalore City on 25.08.2025. I would like to congratulate the Rotaract Club of Mangalore City for bagging 5 Awards in the Rotaract District Assembly held at Mysuru. The Speeches by Rtn Srinivas Nayak and Dr. Apeksha were excellent. Today's dinner meeting is the "Rotary Club Kudla Central Aatida Sambhrama - 2025" programme of the Club. I thank Rtn/Rtr PDRR PHF Darryl Steven DSouza, Rtn/Rtr PDRR Jackson Saldanha, Rtn/Rtr Sheldon Crasta and Rtn/Rtr Ashwin Sequiera for hosting today's Dinner and fellowship. I thank Rtn Raviraj Shettian for allowing us to use the premises of Ashriel Villa for the "Rotary Club Kudla Central Aatida Sambhrama - 2025" programme free of Cost. Yours truly and Club Secretary Rtn Vikas Kotian are thanked for sponsoring the fellowship of the Installation Ceremony.

Yours in Rotary Rtn. Bhasker Rai Katta

President

Secretary's Report



The following activities were conducted by our club from **04.07.2025.**

- **04.07.2025** The Installation Ceremony of Office Bearers of our Club for 2025-26 was held at Hotel Kudla Pavilion at 7.30 p.m.
- 04.07.2025 The Club donated uniforms worth Rs. 79,000 to the needy students of Govt. High School, Ashoknagar at 10.00 a.m.
- **04.07.2025** The Club sponsored the Movie Tickets of 140 Students of Govt. High School, Ashoknagar.
- **04.07.2025** Rtn PP MD Dr. Madhusudan Upadya contributed an amount of Rs. 25,000 (294 USD) to the Annual Fund of the Rotary Foundation.
- **04.07.2025** Our Club felicitated Dr. Sadananda Shetty, Chairman of Shree Devi Education Trust Mangaluru on the occasion of the Installation Ceremony of the Club held at Hotel Kudla Pavilion at 9.00 p.m.
- 04.07.2025 10 New members (Rtn PHF Prameela Hegde, Rtn Neelam Jalan, Rtn Arati Shet, Rtn Geetha Rai, Rtn Srinivas Nayak Indaje, Rtn Dr. Avin Alva, Rtn Hruday Pai, Rtn Pushparaj, Rtn Amith Raj and Rtn Anil K. Alva) were inducted to our club in the Installation Ceremony of the Club held at Hotel Kudla Pavilion at 7.30 p.m.

- **04.07.2025 -** Our Club donated School Stationeries worth Rs. 3,300 to 2 needy students of Govt Higher Primary School Konaje at 9.45 p.m.
- **05.07.2025** Mrs. Chanchalakshi was felicitated by our Club at Mangalore Press Club at 1.00 p.m.
- **06.07.2025** Our Club organized a Neji Nedpuna programme at Kadandale at 10.00 a.m.
- 10.07.2025 The meeting of the Board of Directors of the Club for July was held at Hotel Woodlands at 8.00 p.m.
- 11.07.2025 The Business Meeting of the Club for July was held at Hotel Kudla Pavilion at 8.00 p.m.
- **11.07.2025** Club Treasurer 24-25 Rtn PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai presented the Audited Statement of Accounts of the Club for 24-25 in the Business Meeting of the Club held at Hotel Kudla Pavilion of 8.30 p.m.
- **12.07.2025 -** A Rain Water Harvesting System was installed in the premises of Mangalore Press Club at 12.00 Noon by our club.
- **13.07.2025 -** A Vanamahotsava was held by our Club in the premises of Mallikatte Inspection Bungalow, Mallikatte at 4.00 p.m.
- 14.07.2025 A Vanamahotsava was held by our Club in the premises of Karnataka Polytechnic College at 1.00 p.m.
- **14.07.2025** Our Club felicitated Mr. R.K. Nair, Green Man of India in a function held at KPT College, Mangaluru at 10.00 a.m.
- **16.07.2025** 2 Computers were donated by our Club to Vittal High School, Vittal at 10.00 a.m.
- 16.07.2025 Our Club donated 1 Computer to PM Shree RMSA High School, Vittal at 11.00 a.m.
- **18.07.2025** Dr. Apeksha, Assistant Prof of OBG, Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences, Natekal spoke on Maternal and Child Health in the Club Weekly Meeting held at Hotel Kudla Pavilion at 8.00 p.m.
- **25.07.2025** Rtn Srinivas Nayak Indaje delivered his classification talk in the Club Weekly Meeting held at Hotel Kudla Pavilion at 8.00 p.m.
- **25.07.2025** Rtn Praveen Cutinha was inducted to our Club in the Weekly Club meeting held at Hotel Kudla Pavilion at 8.45 p.m.
- **26.07.2025** Our Club conducted a Cyber Crime Awareness and Anti Drug Awareness programme at St Aloysius Higher Primary School, Mangaluru at 9.00 a.m.
- 26.07.2025 Kargil Vijay Divas was celebrated by our Club at War Memorial Kadri at 5.30 p.m.
- **26.07.2025** Prof Dr. Mahabaleshwara Shetty was felicitated by our Club at St Aloysius Higher Primary School at 11.00 a.m.
- **26.07.2025** 2 of our members attended the Zonal Review Meeting of RI Dist 3181 Zones 2, 3 held at Kanara Club at 7.30 p.m.
- **27.07.2025 -** "Saadhana Sambrama" was conducted by our Club at St Aloysius High School at 10.00 a.m. 15 Students were felicitated by our Club.
- **28.07.2025** Our Club President Rtn Bhaskar Rai Katta installed the new team of office bearers of the Rotaract Club of Mangalore City in a function held at Eden Club at 8.00 p.m.
- 29.07.2025 The Club remitted the First Half RI Dues to RI South Asia Office.
- **31.07.2025** The Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Club for the month of August was held at Hotel Woodlands at 8.00 p.m.
- **01.08.2025** The Business Meeting of the Club for August was held at Hotel Kudla Pavilion at 7.30 p.m.
- **04.08.2025** The Club remitted the Rotary News Dues to Rotary News Trust.
- **08.08.2025** Rtn MD Ritesh Baliga (Rotary Club of Bantwal) Chairman RI Dist 3181 Membership Development Committee 2025-26 addressed our members on Membership Development in the Weekly Club Meeting held at Hotel Kudla, Pavilion at 7.30 p.m.

Yours in Rotary **Rtn. Vikas Kotian** Secretary

Between you and me...



Dear Rotarians,

Our Club has done extremely well during the last month. Many impactful Club projects have been implemented. 12 members have been added to the Club this year. The Club meetings have been excellent affairs. The "Rotary Club Kudla Central Aatida Sambhrama - 2025" Family dinner programme is scheduled to be held today. I had the unique privilege of installing office bearers of the Rotary Clubs of Deralakatte, Bellare Town and Farangipete. My speeches in all the Clubs were

well received by the assembled audience in the clubs. I thank the Rotarians of Rotary Club of Bellare Town for felicitating me. The Audited Statement of Accounts of the Club for 24-25 was presented by me and was passed in the the Club meeting. I thank Rtn M.V. Mallya for sponsoring the July issues of Centor.

Yours in Rotary

Rtn. PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai, Editor

CLUB REMITTS THE FIRST HALF DUES TO RI SOUTH ASIA OFFICE ON 29.07.2025

Our Club remitted the First half RI Dues to the RI South Asia office on 29.07.2025

THE MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT IN THE ROTARY CLUB OF MANGALORE CENTRAL THIS YEAR IS EXTRAORDINARY AND COMMENDABLE (INCREASE IN THE STRENGTH OF THE CLUB FROM 55-67) - RTN MD RITESH BALIGA (ROTARY CLUB OF BANTWAL) CHAIRMAN OF RI DIST 3181 MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE 2025-26

Rtn MD Ritesh Baliga (Rotary Club of Bantwal), Chairman RI Dist 3181 Membership Development Committee 2025-26 complimented our Club on adding 12 members this year (55-67) in the weekly club meeting held at Hotel Kudla Pavilion, Balmatta on Friday, the 08th of August 2025 at 7.30 p.m. His talk was a part of observation of Membership Development month by our club. He also released the weekly Centor. Rtn PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai introduced him to the audience. Rtn Janardhan Alva rendered the invocation. Club President Rtn Bhaskar Rai Katta welcomed, conducted the proceedings. Club Secretary Rtn Vikas Kotian made the announcements. Rtn Srinivas Nayak and Rtn Pushparaj presented the memento to the speaker. Rtn PHF Darryl Steven DSouza proposed the vote of thanks. The formal meeting was followed by National Anthem.

OUR CLUB REPRESENTATIVES IN THE VARIOUS RI DIST 3181 COMMITTEES - 2025 - 26



Rtn PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai Chairman RI Dist 3181 Peace Fellowship Committee



Rtn PHF PP Ravi Jalan Zonal Lieutenant Zone 2, RI Dist 3181 2025-26



Rtn PP Ram Mohan Rai Vice Chairman RI Dist 3181 Career Guidance Committee 2025-26



Rtn PHF Rajgopal Rai Chairman RI Dist 3181 Peace Committee 2025-26



Rtn PP PHF K.M. Hegde Vice Chairman RI Dist 3181 RYLA Committee



Rtn PP PHF Santhosh Shet Zonal Co-Ordinator RI Dist 3181 RYLA Committee

Many Congratulations!



Rtn PP Sai Baba Rao Zonal Co-Ordinator RI Dist 3181 Cultural Committee



Release of Centor by Assistant Governor Zone 2
RI Dist 3181 2025-26 Rtn PHF Chinnagiri
Gowda in the Installation Ceremony at Club

Board of Directors of the Club for 2025-26





Induction of Rtn PHF Prameela Hegde,
Rtn Neelam Jalan, Rtn Geetha Rai,
Rtn Arati Shet, Rtn Srinivas Nayak Indaje
Rtn Hruday Pai, Rtn Dr. Avin Alva, Rtn Pusparaj
Rtn Amith Raj and Rtn. Anil Alva to our Club
in the Installation Ceremony of our Club.

Felicitation of Club President 2024-25
Rtn PHF Brian Pinto in the
Installation Ceremony in our Club





Felicitation of Dr. A. Sadananda Shetty in the Installation Ceremony of Our Club

 $Donation \, of \, Uniforms \, to \, the \, needy \, students \\$ $of \, Govt \, High \, School \, Ashoknagar$



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 $Sponsorship \, of Movie \, Tickets \, to \, the \\ students \, of \, Govt \, High \, School \, Ashoknagar$

Donation of School Stationaries to the students of Govt Higher Primary School Konaje





Felicitation of Mrs. Chanchalakshi by our Club

 $Neji\,Nedpuna\,Programme\,held\,at\,Kadandale$





 $Board\,Meeting\,of the\,Club\,for\,2025$

 $Re lease of Centor by \, Rtn \, PP \, PHF \, Dr. \, Manjunath$ $Re vankar \, in \, the \, Business \, Meeting \, in \, our \, club$ $for \, July$





Installation of Rain Water Harvesint System at Mangalore Press Club by our Club

Vanamahotsava conducted by our Club at Mallikatta





Vanamahotsava conducted by our Club at KPT

Felicitation of Mr. R K. Nair by our Club at KPT College.





 $Donation \, of \, 2 \, Computers \, to \, Vittal \, High \, School \\ by \, our \, Club$

Donation of 1 Computer to
PM Shree RMSA High School
by our Club





Bulletin Release by Dr. Apeksha

 $Bullet in\,Release\,by\,Rtn\,Srinivas\,Nayak\,Indaje$





Induction of Rtn Praveen Cutinha to our Club

Cyber Crime Awareness and Anti Durg Awareness programme conducted by our Club





Felicitation of Prof Dr. Mahabaleshwar Shetty by our Club

Celebration of Kargil Vijay Divas at War Memorial by our Club





Saadhana Sambhrama programme conducted by our club



Installation Ceremony of Office Bearers of Rotaract Club of Mangalore City



Rtn PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai seen in the Installation Ceremony of Rotary Club of Deralakatte



Board Meeting of the Club for August



Release of Centor by Rtn K.N. Manjunath in the Business Meeting of the Club for August



Release of Centor by Rtn MD Ritesh Baliga



Felicitation of Rtn PDG MD B Devdas Rai by the Rotary Club of Bellare Towan



Rtn Nagendra seen with the Vishwa Manava Kuvempu Sadbhavana Rashtriya Prashasthi which he received at Bangaluru



Rtn Dr Gurudatt Kamath receiving the Doctors' day Award from GSB Samaj Mangaluru



Rtn Bhaskar Rai Katta felicitated by Karnataka Journalists Union at Sullia



Rtn Nagendra felicitated by Kanara Builders Association Mangaluru

CLUB REMITTS THE ROTARY NEWS DUES TO ROTARY NEWS TRUST ON 04.08.2025

Our Club remitted the Rotary News Dues to Rotary News Trust Chennai on 04.08.2025

MEMBERS/ANNS/ANNETS/JOHNS/LORDS IN THE NEWS

- Rtn PHF S.S. Nayak was the Anchor of "Business Tonic" programme Broadcasted by Namma Kudla 24 x 7 News Channel on Sunday, 10.08.2025 at 10.00 a.m. Many Congratulations Rtn S.S. Nayak!
- Rtn PHF S.S. Nayak was the Chief Guest of a Book Launch Function held at Mangaluru recently. Many Congratulations Rtn S.S. Nayak!
- Rtn PHF S.S. Nayak was the Guest of Honour of a Special Function organized by Kudla Kundapur Group at Mangaluru recently. Many Congratulations Rtn S.S. Nayak!

BIRTHDAYS

11th August 2025: John Vihan (S/o Rtn Jayaprakash Shetty)

13th August 2025: Annet Shanella Rissane (D/o Rtn Sheldon Crasta)

15th August 2025: Ann Chitra (W/o Rtn Dr. Gurudath Kamath)

With Best Compliments From:

Rtn. MPHF Premnath Kudva

Charter President, Rotary Club of Mangalore Central

THIS MEETING

10.08.2025 - Sunday - ASHRIEL VILLA, BALMATTA - 6.30 P.M. -

"ROTARY CLUB KUDLA CENTRAL AATIDA SAMBHRAMA - 2025" WILL BE CELEBRATED IN THIS MEETING.

TO BE HELD AT ASHRIEL VILLA, BALMATTA AT 6.30 P.M. THE DINNER AND FELLOWSHIP IS HOSTED BY

RTN/RTR PHF PDRR DARRYL STEVEN DSOUZA, RTN/RTR PDRR JACKSON SALDANHA,

RTN/RTR SHELDON CRASTA AND RTN/RTR ASHWIN SEQUEIRA.

WE THANK THEM FOR THEIR GENEROSITY! - PLEASE ATTEND THE MEETING WITH FAMILY.

NEXT MEETING

22.08.2025 - FRIDAY - HOTEL KUDLA PAVILION BALMATTA- 7.30 P.M. -

CLASSIFICATION TALK BY RTN HRUDAY PAI - PLEASE ATTEND