

### The Official Bulletin of the

### ROTARY CLUB OF MANGALORE CENTRAL



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### President Speaks



#### Dear Rotarians,

I am really thrilled with the spate of activities of our club during the past 4 months. The significant projects taken up in September and October include the Nation Builder Award, Gandhi Jayanthi, The Beautificiation of St Peter's High School, The Blood donation and Health Check up camp at St Jude's Church Hall, Pakshikere, The Annual General Body Meeting of Rotary Mangalore Central Foundation, Our Stellar performance at the Zonal Indoor Sports Meet, The financial help rendered to Mr Bhasker Attavar, Mr Ravindra and Mrs Pushpa, The Free Eye Check Up Camp held at Service Bus Stand

Mangaluru and the help rendered to Dasara Celebration Committee of SK Municipal Employees Union and World Polio Day Celebration. I would like to thank Rtn PP MPHF Dr. Madhusudan Upadhya for contributing Rs. 25,000 to the Annual Fund of the Rotary Foundation. Today's Dinner Meeting is hosted by Rtn PP MPHF Premnath Kudva and yours truly on account of our wedding Anniversary. I wish him and Ann PHF Suchitra Kudva all the best and I thank them for hosting the dinner. The Guest Lecture by Dr. Adarsh Gowda was of the highest standards.

Yours in Rotary

Rtn. Rajesh Shetty,

President

### Secretary's Report



The following activities were conducted by our club from **05.09.2023**.

- **05.09.2023** The Club celebrated Teachers Day at Prestige International School at 9.00 a.m.
- **29.09.2023 -** The Nation Builders Award was presented by our Club to 2 Teachers in the Family Dinner Meeting of our Club held at Hotel Moti Mahal at 8.00 p.m.
- **29.09.2023 -** Rtn MPHF PP Sathish Pai received his MPHF Level 3 pin in the Family Dinner Meet of our club held at Hotel Moti Mahal at 8.30 p.m.
- **29.09.2023 -** Ann PHF Sapna Pai received her PHF Pin in the Family Dinner Meeting of our club held at Hotel Moti Mahal at 8.45 p.m.
- **30.09.2023 -** 9 of our members attended the Zonal Review Meeting of RID 3181, Zone 2 held at Rotary Bala Bhavan at 7.30 p.m. (hosted by our club)
- **01.10.2023 -** Rtn PP MPHF Dr. Madhusudan Upadhya contributed an amount of Rs. 25,000 (301 USD) to the Rotary Foundation Annual Fund.
- **02.10.2023 -** Our Club celebrated Gandhi Jayanthi at MCC Premises at 9.00 a.m.
- **02.10.2023 -** Our Club helped out in the beatification of St Peter's High School Kottara, Mangaluru at 2.30 p.m.
- **05.10.2023 -** The Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Club for the month of October was held at Hotel Woodlands at 8.00 p.m.
- **06.10.2023** The Business Meeting of the club for the month of October was held at Hotel Moti Mahal at 8,00 p.m.
- **08.10.2023 -** Our Club participated actively in Rotary Spardha, RID 3181 Zonal Indoor Sports Competition of Zone 2 2023-24 held at Father Mullers Indoor Stadium from 9.00 a.m. 1.00 p.m. Our Club bagged 12 prizes in the event.
- **08.10.2023 -** Our Club conducted a Blood Donation camp and Health Check up Camp at St Jude's Church Premises Pakshikere from 9.00 a.m. 01.00 p.m.

- **12.10.2023 -** Rtn Jackson Saldanha exchanged our Club Flag with the Club Flag of RC Dubai Downtown (RID 2452) at Dubai at 8.00 p.m.
- **12.10.2023 -** Rtn Jackson Saldanha exchanged our Club Flag with the Club Flag of RC Alexandria Marine Egypt (RID 2451) at Dubai at 8.15 p.m.
- 12.10.2023 The Club donated an amount of Rs. 5,000 to Mr. Bhasker for his treatment.
- **13.10.2023 -** Our Club conducted an Eye Check up Camp at Service Bus Stand Premises Hampanakatta from 9.00 a.m. to 01.00 p.m.
- 13.10.2023 Rtn Saji PR delivered his classification talk in the weekly club meeting held at Hotel Moti Mahal at 8.00 p.m.
- 15.10.2023 The Club donated an amount of Rs. 11,000 to Mr. Ravindra for his treatment.
- 19,10,2023 The Club donated a Wheel Chair to Mrs Pushpa,
- **19.10.2023 -** The Club donated Rs. 9,500 to the SK Municipal Employees Union Dasara Celebration Committee.
- **20.10.2023 -** Dr Adarsha Gowda, Dean, Entrepreneurship and Consultancy Cell, Head Dept of Food Science St Aloysius College addressed our members on Opportunities in Agri and Food Processing Sector in the weekly club meeting held at Hotel Moti Mahal at 8.00 p.m.
- **24.10.2023 -** 9 of our members attended the World Polio Day observation held at Mangaluru PDG MPHF Rtn Dr. B. Devadas Rai flagged off the event.

Yours in Rotary

Rtn. PP PHF Ravi Jalan

Secretary

### Between you and me...



Dear Rotarians,

The club has been very active in the last 4 months. The Nation Builders award was conferred on 2 Teachers. The club conducted a mega blood donation camp, a mega health check up camp and mega Eye check up camp. Our club helped 3 patients financially. Our Club helped the S K Employees Union Dasara celebration committee. I thank Rtn PP MPHF Dr Madhusudan Upadhya for contributing an amount of Rs 25000/- to the Annual Fund of the Rotary Foundation. I wish Rtn PP MPHF Premnath

Kudva, Ann PHF Suchitra and Club President Rtn Rajesh Shetty, Ann Prameela on their Wedding Anniversary. I thank them for hosting today's dinner. My sincere thanks go to Rtn PP PHF Raj Gopal Rai for sponsoring the October issues of Centor. I was very happy to flag off the World Polio Day Jatha on 24.10.2023

Two major events of our club are scheduled in November - the official visit of RID 3181 Governor 2023-24 Rtn MD HR Keshav to our club on 17.11.2023 and the 23<sup>rd</sup> Chinnara Utsava to be held on 26.11.23. I request all our members to extend their maximum co-operation in both these projects.

Yours in Rotary

Rtn. PDG MPHF Dr. B. Devdas Rai,

Editor

# "THERE ARE MANY OPPORTUNITIES IN THE AGRICULTURAL AND FOOD PROCESSING SECTOR - DR. ADARSH GOWDA, DEAN ENTREPRENEURSHIP & CONSULTANCY CELL, HEAD, DEPT OF FOOD SCIENCE, ST. ALOYSIUS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)

Addressing the members of our club in the weekly club meeting held at Hotel Moti Mahal on Friday, the 20<sup>th</sup> of October 2023 at 8.00 p.m., Dr. Adarsh Gowda, Dean Entrepreneurship and Consultancy Cell, Head Dept of Food Science, St Aloysius College Mangaluru spoke on opportunities in the Agricultural and Food Processing Sector. His talk was a part of observation of Economic and Community Development month by our Club. He also released the weekly Centor. Rtn PDG MPHF Dr.B. Devadas Rai introduced him to the audience. Rtn Ronald Mendonca presented him a memento. Rtn Dr. Gurudath Kamath rendered the invocation. Club President Rtn Rajesh Shetty welcomed and conducted the meeting. Club Secretary Rtn PP PHF Ravi Jalan made the announcements. Rtn IPP Sai Baba Rao thanked.

#### CLUB DONATES A WHEEL CHAIR COSTING Rs. 15,000 to Mrs PUSHPA ON 19.10.2023

Our Club donated a Wheel Chair costing Rs. 15,000 to Mrs Pushpa at Srinivas Hospital Mukka on 19.10.2023 at 10.00 a.m. Present on the occasion were Club President Rtn Rajesh Shetty, Rtn PP PHF Rajgopal Rai, Rtn Rajesh Seetharam (Who sponsored the project. We thank him!) Zonal lieutenant Zone 2 RID 3181 2023-24 Rtn IPP Saibaba Rao.

# CLUB DONATES Rs. 9,500 TO THE SK MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES UNION DASARA CELEBRATION COMMITTEE ON 17.10.2023

Our Club donated an amount of Rs. 9,500 to the S.K. Municipal Employees Union Dasara Celebration Committee on 17.10.2023. The following members of our club helped out in the donation - Rtn PDG MPHF Dr. B. Devadas Rai (Rs. 5,000), Rtn PP PHF Rajgopal Rai (Rs. 1,500), Club President Rtn Rajesh Shetty (Rs. 1,500), Rtn Mahesh Pandeya (Rs. 1,500) and Club Secretary Rtn PP PHF Ravi Jalan (Rs. 500). We thank them!

### **ZONAL EVENT - ROTARY HABBA - RID 3181 ZONE 2,3 CRICKET TOURNAMENT 2023-24**

"Rotary Habba" RID 3181 Zone 2,3 Cricket Tournament 2023-24 will be held at Paduva School Ground Mangaluru on 05.11.2023. The event is hosted by RC Mangalore City. Rotarians of our club interested in participating in the event should contact Club President Rtn Rajesh Shetty (98452 68766) or Club Secretary Rtn PP PHF Ravi Jalan (9741516310) or Club Sports Committee Chairman Rtn Vikas Shetty (99004 37896) for more details.

### **CELEBRATION OF WORLD POLIO DAY BY RID 3181 ZONES 2,3 2023-24 ON 24.10.2023**

World Polio Day was observed by RID 3181 zones 2,3 2023-24 Mangaluru on Tuesday, the 24th of October 2023 from 7.00 a.m. - 8.00 a.m. A Car Rally involving 70 Cars was flagged off at Mahaveer Circle. The Rally moved on to Kankanady, Valencia, Jeppu, Mangaladevi, Pandeshwara, K.S. Rao Road, PVS Circle, Kodialbail, M.G. Road and ended at Rotaray Bala Bhavan. Present on the occasion were PDG MD Rtn Ranganath Bhat, Assistant Governor Zone 2 RID 3181 2023-24, Rtn MD Subodh K. Das Assistant Governor Zone 2, RID 3181 2023-24, Rtn MD Vinod Kudva Assistant Governor Zone 3, RID 3181 2023-24, Rtn MD Shivani Baliga and Assistant Governor Zone 3, RID 3181 2023-24 Rtn MPHF PD Shetty. Our Club was represented by Rtn PDG MPHF Dr. Devadas Rai (Who flagged off the event), Club President Rtn Rajesh Shetty, Club Secretary Rtn PP PHF Ravi Jalan, Rtn PP PHF Rajgopal Rai, Zonal lieutenant Zone 2, RID 3181 2023-24 Rtn IPP Sai Baba Rao, Rtn Brian Pinto, Rtn M.V. Mallya Rtn PHF Gansh GT and Rtn Bhasker Rai.



Presentation of Nation Builder Award to two Teachers in our Dinner Meeting for the month of September.



Release of Centor by the Host of Family Dinner Meeting of the Club for September



Presentation of Level 3 MPHF PIn to Rtn PP MPHF Sathish Pai and the PHF PIN to Ann PHF Sapna Pai in the Family Dinner Meeting of our Club for September



Felecitation of Rtn Rajesh Seetharam and Ann Vidya in the Family Dinner Meeting of Our Club for September



Gandhi Jayanthi Celebration by our Club in MCC Premises



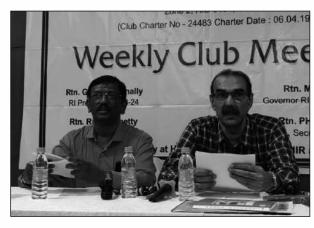
Beautification of St Peters High School, Kottara by our Club.



Board Meeting of the Club for October



Release of Centor by Rtn PP MPHF Dr. Madhusudan Upadhya in the Business Meeting of our Club for October



Annual General Body Meeting of the Rotary Mangalore Central Foudation



 $Rtn\,PP\,PHF\,K\,M\,Hegde\,receiving\,the\\ 1^{st}\,Prize\,in\,TT\,Singles\,Event\,for\,Rotarians\\ in\,Spardha\,-2023$ 



Rtn PHF Srinivas Shetty Receiving the Ist Prize in Chess Event for Rotarians in Spardha - 2023



Rtn PP PHF K.M. Hegde receiving the TT Doubles Ist Prize in Spardha-2023



 $Rtn\,PHF\,Darryl\,Steven\,Dsouza\,receiving\,the\,2^{nd}Prize\\in\,Shuttle\,Badminton\,Singles\,event\,for\,Rotarians\\in\,Spardha\,-\,2023$ 



Rtn Jayaprakash Shetty receiving the 2<sup>nd</sup>Prize Carrom Singles event for Rotarians in Spardha - 2023



Ann PHF Prameela Hegde and Ann Prathima Prashanth receiving 1<sup>st</sup> Prize in Shuttle Badminton Doubles Event for Anns in Spardha - 2023



Rtn PHF Darryl Steven D'Souza and Ann Poornima Rai receiving the Second Prize in Mixed Doubles Shuttle Badminton Event in Spardha - 2023



Ann Prathima Prashanth receiving the 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize in Shuttle Badminton event for Anns in Spardha - 2023



Ann Poornima Rai receiving the 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize in Table Tennis Event for Anns in Spardha - 2023



 $John \, Siddanth \, Shetty \, receiving \, the \, 2^{nd} \, Prize \\ in \, Table \, Tennis \, Event for \, Johns \, in \, Spardha \, \textbf{-} \, 2023 \\$ 



John Siddarth Prashanth receiving the  $2^{nd}$  Prize in Shuttle Badminton Event for John in Spardha - 2023



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Blood Donation Camp and Health Check Up Camp conducted by our Club at St Jude's Church Hall, Pakshikere



Exchange of our Club Flag by Rtn Jackson Saldanha with the Club Flag of RC Dubai Downtown RID 2452 (with Rtn Devanand Mahadev at Dubai)



Exchange of our Club Flag by Rtn Jackson Saldanha with the Club Flag of RC Alexandria Marine Egypt RID 2451 (with Rtn Dr. Razza Ibrahim at Dubai)



Free Eye Check up Camp conducted by our Club in the Service Bus Stand Hampanakatta



Release of Centor by Rtn Saji PR



The Donation of an amount of Rs. 11,000 to Mr. Ravindra for his treatment by our Club.



The Donation of a Wheel Chair to Mrs. Pushpa by Our Club



Donation of Rs. 9,500 to the SK Municipal Employees Union Dasara Celebration Committee by our Club



Release of Centor by Dr. Adarsh Gowda



Our Club delegates in the World Polio Day Observation held at Mangaluru



School Children of Udupi Zilla Panchayth Higher Primary School Parampally wearing with the uniforms donated by our club

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

- Rtn PP PHF K.M. Hegde successfully completed 1000 policies in the LIC of India. Many Congratulations Rtn K.M. Hegde!
- Rtn PHF S.S. Nayak was the Anchor of "BUSINESS TONIC" programme broadcasted by Namma Kudla 24 x 7 TV News Channel on Sunday, the 22<sup>th</sup> of October 2023 at10.00 a.m. Many Congratulations Rtn SS Nayak!
- John Dr Suraj son of Rtn PP PHF Dr Manjunath Revenkar and Ann Hemalatha was engaged to Dr Soujanya in a function held at Hotel Ocean Pearl on 26.10.2023 at 6.00 p.m. Many Congratulations John Dr Suraj and all the best!

#### **BIRTHDAYS**

10<sup>th</sup> October 2023: Annet Sharvi (D/o Rtn Jayaprakash Shetty) 25<sup>th</sup> October 2023: Lord. Dinesh (H/o Rtn Roopa Shetty)

With Best Compliments From:

## Rtn PHF RAJGOPAL RAI

Past President, Rotary Club of Mangalore Central

### THIS MEETING

27-10-2023 - FRIDAY - HOTEL MOTI MAHAL - 8.00 P.M. - FAMILY DINNER MEETING -

THE FAMILY DINNER MEETING OF OUR CLUB FOR OCTOBER WOULD BE HELD AT HOTEL MOTI MAHAL ON FRIDAY, THE 27<sup>th</sup>OF OCTOBER 2023 AT 8.00 P.M.THE DINNER IS HOSTED BY CHARTER PRESIDENT RTN MPHF PREMNATH KUDVA, ANN PHF SUCHITRA FAMILY THE FELLOWSHIP IS HOSTED BY CLUB PRESIDENT RTN RAJESH SHETTY, ANN PRAMEELA FAMILY. WE THANK THEM FOR THEIR GENEROSITY! - PLEASE ATTEND THE MEETING WITH FAMILY

### **BOARD MEETING**

02-11-2023 - THURSDAY - 8.00 PM - HOTEL WOODLANDS - THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CLUB FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER WOULD BE HELD AT HOTEL WOODLANDS ON THURSDAY, THE 02<sup>th</sup> OF NOVEMBER 2023 AT 8.00 PM ALL BOARD MEMBERS ARE REQUESTED TO ATTEND THE MEETING WITHOUT FAIL

### **NEXT MEETING**

03-11-2023 - FRIDAY - HOTEL MOTI MAHAL - 8.00 P.M. - BUSINESS MEETING - PLEASE ATTEND