

# The Official Bulletin of the ROTARY CLUB OF MANGALORE CENTRAL CENTOR

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## *President Speaks*



**Dear Rotarians,**

The release of this bulletin is timed to coincide with the 39<sup>th</sup> Charter Night of our club scheduled to be held at the Hotel Kudla family dinner meeting of our club. Through the years, 2 of our Charter members. Charter President Rtn MPHJ Premnath Kudva and Charter Member Rtn PP MPHJ Sathish Pai have guided us very well. I thank them for their continued guidance down the years! Please continue to guide us in the future also! We exchanged our club flag with Rotary Club of Pearl City Tuticorin in the dinner meet of our club for April (the Club was represented by Rtn Lingasudhan). 4 of our members attended "ARIVU", RI Dist 3181 PELS/SELS held at Wayanad. It was a educatvie experience for them (Rtn Bhasker Rai, Rtn PP PHF Ravi Jalan, Rtn Vikas Kotian and Rtn Jagannath Shetty) Zonal Lieutenant designate Zone 2, RI Dist 3181 Rtn PP PHF Ravi Jalan attended the Zonal Lieutenant designates learning Seminar held at Kushalnagar. I would like to thank Rtn PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai, Rtn PP MPHJ Sathish Pai, Rtn PP MPHJ Dr. Madhusudan Upadhy, Rtn IPP Rajesh Shetty, Yours truly, Rtn PHF Rajesh Seetharama, Rtn PP Sai Baba Rao, Rtn M. V. Mallya, Rtn PP PHF Rajgopal Rai, Rtn PP PHF K.M. Hegde and Rtn Jagannath Shetty for helping out in the conduct of the Medical Camp at Urwa by financial contributions. Rtn Jackson Saldanha is thanked for organizing the camp. We had a joint programme with the Action Group for the Elderly Mangaluru on Yoga. Rtn PP MPHJ Dr. Madhusudan Upadhy received the 4th level MPHJ PIN in the weekly Club Meeting held on 09.05.2025. Hearty congratulations Rtn Dr. Upadhy! He contributed Rs. 25,000 (294.12 USD) to the Endowment Fund of the Rotary Foundation on 09.05.2025. I thank him! We contributed an amount of Rs. 10,000 towards Annadana at Koti Channayya Garadi Yenmur on 26.05.2025. I thank Club President Elect Rtn Bhasker Rai for this donation! The Ear Camp held on 25.05.2025. was a successful event. I thank Rtn Ishwar Malpe and team for the success of this event. The guest lecture by Rtn PP MPHJ Yashomathi Marla and the speeches by Rtn Dr. Gurudath Kamath, Rtn Sudhir Shetty were well received by the members. The hosts of today's dinner, Rtn IPP Rajesh Shetty, Rtn Janardhan Alva and Rtn Nagendra are thanked for their generous gesture! I thank Rtn PP MD Dr. Madhusudan Upadhy for contributing Rs. 31,000 (364.7 USD) and for becoming the 2<sup>nd</sup> Major Donor of our Club. Rtn Sudhir Shetty is warmly welcomed to our Club.

Yours in Rotary  
**Rtn. PHF Brian Pinto**  
President

## *Secretary's Report*



The following activities were conducted by our club from **23.04.2025**.

**23.04.2025** - 5 of our club achievers were felicitated by our club in the family dinner meeting held at Kanara Club at 8.00 p.m.

**23.04.2025** - Our Club exchanged our club flag with the club flag of Rotary Club of Pearl City Tuticorin (RI Dist 3212) in the family Dinner meeting held at Kanara Club at 8.45 p.m.

**25.04.2025** - 1 member represented our club in the Zonal Review meeting of RI Dist Zones 2,3 held at Officers Club Mangaluru at 7.30 p.m.

**25.04.2025 - 27.04.2025** - 4 of our members attended "ARIVU" RI Dist 3181 PELS/SELS held at Saptha Resort, Waynad.

- 29.04.2025** - A talk on Yoga was held jointly by our club and Action Group for the Elderly (AGE) held at Sahodaya Hall, Balmatta at 5.00 p.m.
- 01.05.2025** - The Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Club was held at Hotel Woodlands at 8.00 p.m.
- 02.05.2025** - The Business Meeting of the Club for May was held at Kanara Club at 8.00 p.m.
- 09.05.2025** - Rtn PP MPH F Yashomathi Marla (Rotary Club of Surathkal) RI Dist 3181 Rotaract Committee Chairman 2024-25 addressed our members on Rotaract movement in the Weekly Club Meeting held at Kanara Club at 8.00 p.m.
- 09.05.2025** - Rtn PP MPH F Dr. Madhusudan Upadhy received the 4th level MPH F Pin in the Weekly Club Meeting held at Kanara Club at 8.45 p.m.
- 09.05.2025** - Rtn PP MPH F Dr. Madhusudan Upadhy contributed an amount of Rs. 25,000 (294 USD) to the Endowment Fund of the Rotary Foundation.
- 16.05.2025** - Rtn Dr. Gurudath Kamath addressed our members on Japan in the Weekly Club Meeting held at Kanara Club at 8.00 p.m.
- 17.05.2025** - Zonal Lieutenant designate Zone 2, RI Dist 3181 2025 -26 Rtn PP PHF Ravi Jalan attended the Zonal Lieutenant designates learning seminar held at Veera Bhumi Resort, Kushalnagar.
- 20.05.2025** - Our Club held a Press Conference (regarding the Ear Camp) at Mangaluru Press Club at 11.00 a.m.
- 21.05.2025** - Rtn PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai and Rtn PP PHF Ravi Jalan participated in an online Rotary Protocol Quiz organize by RI Dist 3132 and were awarded certificates of excellence.
- 23.05.2025** - Rtn Sudhir Shetty delivered his classification talk in the Club Weekly Club meeting held at Kanara Club at 8.00 p.m.
- 25.05.2025** - A Free Hearing Camp was held by our Club at Women's College from 9.00 a.m. - 5.00 p.m.
- 26.05.2025** - An amount of Rs. 10,000 was donated by our club for Annadana at Koti Chennayya Garadi Yermur at 4.00 p.m.
- 28.05.2025** - Rtn PP MD Dr. Madhusudan Upadhy contribution Rs. 31,000 (364.7 USD) to the Annual Fund of the Rotary Foundation.

Yours in Rotary  
**Rtn. PHF Rajesh Seetharama**  
Secretary

### *Between you and me...*



Dear Rotarians,

38 years of eventful club activities have elapsed and the 39<sup>th</sup> Charter Night of the Club is being celebrated in the family Dinner Meeting of the Club being by held in Hotel Kudla. I would salute our 2 charter members - Rtn PP MPH F Premnath Kudva. and Rtn PP MPH F Sathish Pai for their efforts in building the club to its present state of strength. Please keep the good work going! Our Club is doing extremely well this year also! Let us continue the good work. I would like to thank our club President Rtn PHF Brian Pinto for sponsoring the May issues of Centor.

Yours in Rotary  
**Rtn. PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai,**  
Editor

### **THE 3 DECADES OF MY STINT IN UAE, EXCHANGE ARE THE MOST MEMORABLE YEARS IN MY LIFE - RTN SUDHIR SHETTY**

Delivering his classification talk in the weekly Club meeting held at Kanara Club on Friday, the 23rd May 2025 at 8.00 p.m., Rtn Sudhir Shetty went into details of his life. He also released the weekly Centor. Rtn PHF S.S. Nayak rendered the invocation. Immediate past President Rtn Rajesh Shetty welcomed the gathering and conducted the meeting. Club Secretary Rtn PHF Rajesh Seetharama made the announcements. Rtn PP MPH F Premnath Kudva presented the speaker a memento. Rtn PP PHF Ravi Jalan thanked.

**CLUB HELPS OUT IN THE ANNADANA OF KOTI CHENNAIYA GARADI YENMUR  
ON 26.05.2025 BY DONATING Rs. 10,000**

Our Club donated an amount of Rs. 10,000 towards the Anna Dana of Koti Chennaiya Garadi, Yenmur on 26.05.2025. The donation was possible due to the generosity of Club President Elect Rtn Bhasker Rai who donated the amount on behalf of the Club to Mr. Anil Shetty of the Garadi on 26.05.2025 at 4.00 p.m. We thank him for his generosity!

**EAR CHECK UP CAMP**

A Ear Check Camp was held by our club jointly with Keshav Malpe Team, National Womens College and DK Working Journalists Association at National Women's College Mangaluru from 10.00 a.m. - 3.00 p.m. Present on the occasion were Rtn PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai, Rtn PP PHF Rajgopal Rai, Rtn IPP Rajesh Shetty, Rtn PP PHF Ravi Jalan, Rtn Bhasker Rai Katta, Rtn PHF Rajesh Seetharama, Rtn Pradeep Kulal, Rtn Jackson Saldanha, Rtn K.N. Manjunath, Rtn M.V. Mallya, Ann Geetha Rai, Dr. Arphitha, Mr. Lava Bangera, Mr. Sathish, Mr. Jayaprakash Hebbar and Mr. Srinivas Nayak. 27 people benefitted from the camp.

**RTN PDG MD DR. B. DEVDAS RAI PARTICIPATES IN AN ONLINE**

**ROTARY PROTOCOL QUIZ ORGANIZED BY RI DIST 3132**

**ON 21.05.2025 AND IS AWARDED A CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE**

RI Dist 3181 Counsellor Rtn PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai participated in an online Rotary Protocol Quiz organized by RI Dist 3132 on 21.05.2025 and was awarded a Certificate of excellence by RI Dist 3132 on 21.05.2025. Many Congratulations Rtn Dr. Rai!

**RTN PP PHF RAVI JALAN PARTICIPATES IN AN ONLINE**

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**RTN PP MD DR. MADHUSUDAN UPADHYA CONTRIBUTES Rs. 31,000 (364.7 USD)**

**TO THE ANNUAL FUND OF THE ROTARY FOUNDATION ON 28.05.2025**

Rtn PP MD Dr. Madhusudan Upadhyha has contributed Rs. 31,000 (364.7 USD) to the Annual fund of Rotary Foundation on 28.05.2025 with this contribution, the total contribution by him to the Rotary Foundation is 10,003 US Dollars upto now. He becomes the 2<sup>nd</sup> Major Donor to the Rotary Foundation from our club (The First Major Donor from our Club is Rtn PDG MD. Dr. B. Devdas Rai)

## Photo Gallery



**Felicitation of Club achievers for the  
year 2024-25 by our club  
in the family dinner meeting of  
the club for April**

**Release of Centor by the hosts of the  
club family dinner meeting  
for the month of April**



**Exchange of our club flag with the  
club Club Flag of Rotary Club of Pearl City,  
Tuticorin (RI Dist 3212) in the  
family dinner meeting of  
our club for April**

**Our Club delegates seen  
at ARIVU (RI Dist 3181 PELS/SELS)**



## Photo Gallery



**joint meeting of our club and AGE  
Mangaluru regarding Yoga**

**Board Meeting of the Club for May**



**Release of Centor by Rtn M.V. Mallya in the  
Business Meeting of the Club for May.**

**Release of Centor by  
Rtn PP MPHF Yashomathi  
Marla (Rotary Club of Surathkal)  
in the Weekly meeting of our Club**



## Photo Gallery



**Rtn PP MPHF Dr. Madhusudan Upadhya receiving the 04th Level MPHF Pin in the Weekly Meeting of our Club.**

**Release of Centor by  
Rtn Dr. Gurudath Kamath  
in the weekly meeting of our Club.**



**Zonal lieutenant designate  
Zone 2 RI Dist 3181 25-26  
Rtn PP PHF Ravi jalan seen in  
Zonal Lieutenant designates  
RI Dist 3181 2025-26 learning  
seminar held at Kushalnagar**

**Press Conference conducted by  
our club regarding  
the Free Ear Checkup Camp**



## *Photo Gallery*



**Bulletin Release by Rtn Sudhir Shetty  
in our weekly meeting**

**Inauguration of the free Ear check up  
camp conducted by our club**



**Donation of Rs 10000 by our club towards  
Annadana at Koti Chennya Garadi Yenmur**

## **MEET OUR CHARTER MEMBERS**



**Rtn. MPHF PP Premnath Kudva,  
Charter President**



**Rtn. PP MPHF Sathish Pai  
Charter Member**

**We Thank them!**



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

- Rtn PHF S.S Nayak was the Moderator of a Vikasith Bharathi Programme organized by BJP Economic Cell at BJP Office, Mangaluru on Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> of May 2025 at 4.00 p.m. Many Congratulations Rtn S.S. Nayak!
- Rtn PHF S.S. Nayak was the Anchor of "Business Tonic" programme broadcasted by Namma Kudla 24 x 7 News Channel on Sunday, 25.05.2025 at 10.00 a.m. Many Congratulations Rtn S.S. Nayak!
- Rtn Ramdas and Ann Sartiha toured Austraila recently. Many Congratulations Rtn Ramdas and Ann Saritha!

### **BIRTHDAYS**

25<sup>th</sup> May 2025: Annet Dr. Priyanka (D/o Rtn IPP Rajesh Shetty)

26<sup>th</sup> May 2025: Annet Krithi (D/o Rtn PHF Rajesh Seetharama)

29<sup>th</sup> May 2025: Ann Dr. Supriya (W/o Rtn PDG MD Dr. D. Devdas Rai)

30<sup>th</sup> May 2025: Rtn PDG MD Dr. B. Devdas Rai

### **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

28<sup>th</sup> May 2025: Ann Sajitha and Rtn Murali H.

*With Best Compliments From:*

**Rtn. PHF BRIAN PINTO**

President, Rotary Club of Mangalore Central

### **THIS MEETING**

30.05.2025 - FRIDAY - 7.00 P.M. - KUDLA FAMILY RESTUARANT

CHARTER NIGHT AT 7.00 P.M. - THIS MEETING OF OUR CLUB IS THE FAMILY

DINNER MEETING OF OUR CLUB FOR MAY. THE CHARTER NIGHT OF OUR CLUB WILL BE HELD

AT KUDLA FAMILY RESTUARANT FROM 7.00 P.M. - 10.00 P.M ON FRIDAY, 30.05.2025.

THE DINNER IS HOSTED BY RTN IPP RAJESH SHETTY, ANN PRAMEELA FAMILY, RTN JANARDHAN ALVA,

ANN SHOBHA FAMILY AND RTN NAGENDRA - PLEASE ATTEND THE MEETING WITH FAMILY

### **JOINT BOARD MEETING**

05.06.2025 - Thursday - Hotel Woodlands - 8.00 p.m. The Joint meeting of Board of 2024-25 and the Board of 2025-26 will be held at Hotel Woodlands on Thursday, the 05<sup>th</sup> of June 2025 at 8.00 p.m. All Board members of 24-25 and 25-26 are requested to attend without fail.

### **NEXT MEETING**

06.06.2025 - FRIDAY - KANARA CLUB - 8.00 P.M. - BUSINESS MEETING - PLEASE ATTEND

8.30 - ASSISTANT GOVERNOR RI DIST 3181 ZONE 2, 2025-26 RTN MPHF CHINNAGIRI GOWDA'S.

CLUB ASSEMBLY - RTN MPHF CHINNAGIRI GOWDA (ASSISTANT GOVERNOR ZONE 2 RI DIST 3181 2025-26

(ROTARY CLUB OF MANGALORE SUNRISE) WILL BE CONDUCTING A CLUB ASSEMBLY ON FRIDAY,

THE 06<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2025 at 8.30 P.M. AT KANARA CLUB. ALL OUR MEMBERS ARE REQUESTED TO ATTEND.

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