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## OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF ROTARY CLUB OF MANGALORE DOWNTOWN

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### **We Meet :**

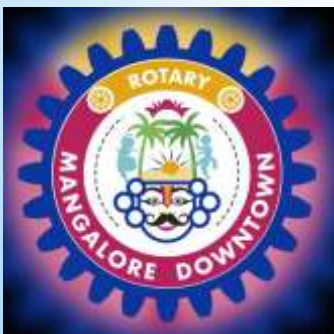
Every Tuesday

**Venue:** Green Room,  
Eden Club, Nanthoor,  
Mangalore - 575008

**Time:** 7:30 PM

### **Club Website:**

<http://rcmangaloredowntown.rotaryindia.org/>



## PRESIDENTIAL MUSINGS



Dear Fellow Rotarians and family members,

As October wraps up, let's look back at what we've achieved despite the festive season slowing us down a bit. Kudos to our team for doing us proud at the indoor sports - 2 gold and 2 silver medals! Your teamwork

and dedication really shone through.

On the Rotaract Club front, we've submitted our application to RI and are hoping for receiving Rotaract Club Charter soon and installation of the new club by next month.

### October Highlights:

- 3 meetings, including 2 speaker meets, a business meet, and a board meet.

We've got some exciting projects lined up across various Rotary avenues. Let's keep working together to make a real difference in our community.

Thanks for your continued support and commitment.

Best regards,

**Rtn PHF Sathyajith Rao, President**

## “SAMVEDA #34 – LEADERSHIP MASTERY”



The poster is for a workshop titled "SAMVEDA #34 – LEADERSHIP MASTERY". It features a dark green background with a red triangle in the top right corner. The Swastika National Business School logo is in the top left, with text indicating it is affiliated to Mangalore University. A Rotary logo and "MANGALORE DOWNTOWN" text are also present. The main title "SAMVEDA #34" is in large white letters, with "Workshop for Students" and "LEADERSHIP MASTERY" below it. A date box indicates "28 OCTOBER 2025 03:00 PM". The venue is "Narayana Guru PU College, Mangalore". A portrait of Dr. Raghavendra Holla N. is shown, with his title "Resource Person" and "Author & National Trainer, JCI India" listed. The text "You are Cordially Invited" is at the bottom. Logos for the principals of both schools are at the very bottom.

**Swastika** NATIONAL BUSINESS SCHOOL  
Mangaluru (Affiliated to Mangalore University)

In association with

Rotary **MANGALORE DOWNTOWN** UNITE FOR GOOD  
(A.C. District 2191 Zone 5 Charter No 31977)

**SAMVEDA #34**  
Workshop for Students  
**LEADERSHIP MASTERY**

28  
OCTOBER  
2025 03:00 PM

Venue: Narayana Guru PU College  
Mangaluru

Resource Person:  
**Dr Raghavendra Holla N**  
Author & National Trainer, JCI India  
Chairman, Swastika National Business School

You are Cordially Invited

Dr Malini N Hebbar  
Principal  
Swastika National Business School

Mrs Renuka Arun  
Principal  
Narayana Guru PU College

**28<sup>th</sup> October , 2025**

In continuation of our association with Swastika National Business School, as part of series of workshops for PU students, conducted another workshop #34 on "Leadership mastery" on 28th October, 2025 at Narayana Guru PU College, Mangalore. Shri Raghavendra Holla, Author & National Trainer, JCI and Chairman of Swastika National Business School was the resource person.

# ROTARY INFORMATION

## CLUB BANNERS

One of Rotary's most vibrant traditions is the exchange of club banners.

These decorative banners, often displayed at meetings and district events, are carried by Rotarians traveling abroad to exchange with other clubs.

Typically, the banners feature symbols or artistic elements that represent the club's town, region, or national culture, including handcrafted touches like embroidery, weaving, or painting.



**Club Banner of  
Rotary Mangalore Downtown**

Many of these banners are considered artworks in their own right.

The tradition grew so popular that, in 1959, the Rotary International Board of Directors advised clubs to exercise moderation, fearing that the exchanges could become financially burdensome.

Despite this, the tradition continues today as a meaningful expression of goodwill and international friendship among Rotary members.

The Rotary archives now hold around 20,000 banners, each one reflecting a club's local pride and the strong global ties of the Rotary organization.

This exchange practice remains a cherished symbol of unity and mutual respect.

**(Source: *TheRotarianminute.org*)**

# EVENTS THAT JUST HAPPENED

## ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE- PART I, II & III



Rotary Leadership Institute- Part-I, II & III was held at Hotel President, Mysuru on 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2025. The programme was hosted by Rotary Yelanduru Greenway.

**Rotary**  
District 3181



**20<sup>26</sup>**  
**27**

**Save the Dates**

- 2025, Nov 21 Pre-AGLS 2.0, Madikeri
- 2026, Jan 30, 31 & Feb 11 District Conference (Rotary Year 2025–26), SAATHI - Team Presentation (2026–27), Mysore
- 2026, Feb 21, 22 IAGLS @ Sampige Resort Moodbidri
- 2026, Mar 11 Pre PELS & SELS- Zones 1, 2, 3
- 2026, Mar 7 I Pre PELS & SELS- Zone 6
- 2026, Mar 8 I Pre PELS & SELS- Zones 7, 8, 9
- 2026, Mar 15 I Pre PELS & SELS- Zones 4, 5
- 2026, Apr 24, 25, 26 I PELS & SELS & ZELS @ IBIS Styles, Calangute, Goa
- 2026, June 21 I DTLs & Club Leaders Learning Seminar @ Mysore
- 2026, June 28 I Governor Installation @ Bendur, Mangalore
- 2027, Jan 22, 23, 24 I District Conference @ Mangalore
- 2027, June 12 I District Awards @ Mangalore

**Saathi**  
TOGETHER, WE LEAD





**”**

ROTARY IS A PASSION AND A WAY OF LIFE, STANDING SHOULDER TO SHOULDER WITH PEOPLE OF A COMMON CAUSE WHO HAVE THE SAME PASSIONS AS YOU HAVE.

**DEAN ROHRS**  
PAST ROTARY INTERNATIONAL VICE PRESIDENT

# EVENTS THAT JUST HAPPENED

## “ಬಲೆ ಗೊಬ್ಬುಗ” – “BALE GOBBUGA”



The *Downtowners* delivered a stellar performance at the Zonal Indoor Competition – Bale Gobbuga, held on 12th October 2025 at Fr. Muller's Indoor Stadium. The event, hosted by the Rotary Club of Mangalore Hillside, witnessed enthusiastic participation and vibrant sportsmanship from Rotarians across the region.

Our club members made us proud by securing several honours:  
✧ Rtn. Jayaraj K. clinched the Gold Medal in Chess, showcasing remarkable strategic skill and composure.

✧ The dynamic badminton duo Rtn. Ganesh Prabhu & Rtn. Rajesh Shetty triumphed with a Gold Medal in Badminton Doubles (40–50 age category), displaying superb coordination and competitive spirit.

□ Rtn. Rajesh Shetty further added to the medal tally by bagging a Silver Medal in Badminton Singles (50–60 age category).

Adding youthful energy to the event, our talented *Annet* Anvitha Joshi, daughter of Rtn. Prabhat Joshi, gave a spirited performance in Badminton Singles (Below 14 years) and also teamed up with Rtn. Rajesh Shetty in the Mixed Doubles category, putting up a commendable fight.

It was truly a day of pride and joy for the *Downtowners*, celebrating teamwork, talent, and the spirit of Rotary fellowship both on and off the court!

# The Downtowners

## BUSINESS TONIC- EPISODE No. 338



Our member **Rtn Ganesh Bhandary** was one of the panelist in the “Business Tonic- Episode No.338 on the Topic –Panel Discussion on Funding & Marketing Support for MSMEs” telecasted on 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 and retecasted on 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 on Namma Kudla 24X7 Youtube channel

## Meeting on Sports development in Mangalore



Under the leadership of our member **Rtn Umesh Gatty A.**, a delegation had a meeting with **Mr.Arun Machayya**, Vice President of **Karnataka Kreedha Pradhikara** at **Mangala stadium** on 28<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 and discussed on the issues relating to sport's development in Mangalore

# The Downtowners

## Karnataka State Bench Press Championship-2025



Sri Shakthi Bharath Gymnasium, Thokkottu under the aegis of Karnataka Powerlifting Association & Dakshina Kannada Powerlifting Association organised Karnataka State level Sun-Junior, Junior, Senior & Masters '**Bench Press Championship -2025**' at Gatty Samaja Bhavana, Thokkottu from 24<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2025. Our member **Rtn Umesh Gatty A.**, was one of the Chief Guest on the occasion.

## International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking



As part of “**International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking-2025**” celebration, Ullal Taluk Level National Mental Health Programme was held at Parijnana PU College, Someshwara on 27.10.2025. Our member **Rtn Dr Savitha Gatty** also spoke on the occasion.

# The Downtowners

## Distribution of Scholarships

### ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿವೇತನ ವಿತರಣೆ



ಕೀರ್ತನಕಾರ ಡಾ.ಎಸ್.ಪಿ.ಗುರುದಾಸ್ ಅವರನ್ನು ಸನ್ಮಾನಿಸಲಾಯಿತು. ನಾಗರಾಜ್ ಪಾಲ್ಕಿ, ಎಂಆರ್ ಪಿಎಲ್‌ನ ಜೀವಂ ಗಣೇಶ್ ಭಂಡಾರಿ ಇತರರಿದ್ದರು. ಮಂಗಳೂರು: ಇಲ್ಲಿನ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾನಿಲಯ ಸಮಾಜೋದ್ಧಾರಕ ಸಭಾದ ವಾರ್ಷಿಕ ಸಭೆ ಹಾಗೂ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿವೇತನ ವಿತರಣಾ ಸಮಾರಂಭ ನಗರದ ಶ್ರೀ ಕಾಳಿಕಾಂಬಾ ವಿನಾಯಕ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯಿತು. ಸಭಾದ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ನಾಗರಾಜ್ ಪಾಲ್ಕಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು. ಎಂಆರ್‌ಪಿಎಲ್‌ನ ಜೀವಂ ಗಣೇಶ್ ಭಂಡಾರಿ, ನಿವೃತ್ತ ಶಿಕ್ಷಕ ಸುಧಾಕರ ರಾವ್ ಪೇಜಾವರ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅತಿಥಿಗಳಾಗಿದ್ದರು. ಕೀರ್ತನಕಾರ, ವಿಶ್ವಕರ್ಮ ಕಲಾ ಪರಿಷತ್ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡಾ.ಎಸ್.ಪಿ.ಗುರುದಾಸ್ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಗೌರವಾರ್ಪಣೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲಾಯಿತು. 37 ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿವೇತನ ನೀಡಲಾಯಿತು. ಯು.ಗಣೇಶ್, ವಿದ್ಯಾನ್ ಪ್ರವೀಣ್ ಶರ್ಮ, ಸುರೇಶ್ ಕುಮಾರ್ ಬಿ, ಗಣೇಶ್ ಕೆ.ಎ, ಸುಜೀತ್ ವಿನೋದ್ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸಿದರು.

On the occasion of Annual Assembly of Rastriya Vishwa Brahmin Samajoddharaka Sabha held in October, 2025 at Kalikamba Vinayaka Temple, Mangalore, our member **Rtn Ganesh Bhandary** was one of the Chief Guest.

On the occasion, 37 students were given scholarship and Dr. S.P. Gurudas was honoured.



“The foundation upon which Rotary is built is friendship; on no less firm foundation could it have stood.”

- PAUL P. HARRIS

“Our ability to reach unity in diversity will be the beauty and the test of our civilization.”

- Mahatma Gandhi





## BIRTHDAY WISHES TO OUR MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILY MEMBERS

|                                                            |          |
|------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Rtn PARINEETHA SHENOY                                      | 3RD NOV  |
| JON PRATHUL PRASHANTH KOTIAN<br>S/O. RTN. PRASHANTH KOTIAN | 10th NOV |
| Jon.PRANAY SUVARNA,<br>S/o Rtn RAHUL SUVARNA               | 11th NOV |
| Jon.ANIRUDH SHETTY,<br>S/o Rtn RAJESH SHETTY               | 14th NOV |
| Rtn UMESH GATTY A.                                         | 17th NOV |
| Ann SAHANA GANESH,<br>W/o Rtn GANESH M.P.                  | 17th NOV |
| Ann RANJANA HEGDE,<br>W/o Rtn PRABATH JOSHI                | 19th NOV |
| Rtn PRASHANT NAYAK                                         | 20th NOV |
| JON SATHVIK TANAY HANDE,<br>S/o Rtn SANDEEP HANDE P.       | 24th NOV |



## WEDDING ANNIVERSARY WISHES TO OUR MEMBERS

| NAME                                                | DATE OF ANNIVERSARY |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Rtn. PRASHANTH KOTIAN &<br>Ann. PRITHVI KOTIAN      | 7 <sup>th</sup> NOV |
| Rtn. EKANATH DANDEKERI &<br>Rtn ASHALATHA DANDEKERI | 27 <sup>h</sup> NOV |

# NOTABLE ROTARIANS AROUND THE WORLD

## RTN KONOSUKE MATSUSHITA

### Famous Rotarians



Konosuke Matsushita  
Founder of Matsushita  
Rotary Club of Osaka, Japan

Konosuke Matsushita was a Japanese industrialist who founded Panasonic, Japan's largest consumer electronic company.

Konosuke lent his brother in law a factory to start his own business that became Sanyo Electric.

Design by RC of Morisset

Konosuke Matsushita (November 27, 1894 – April 27, 1989) was an Japanese business magnate best known as the founder of Panasonic, Japan's largest Electronics Company selling products under the brand names National, Panasonic, Technics and Quasar.

Konosuke Matsushita was the member of Rotary Club of Osaka, Japan.

## ROTARY HISTORY

#RotaryFacts



### DID YOU KNOW?

Harry Ruggles one of the 1st members of the Rotary Club of Chicago created the Rotary "name badge" we all wear so proudly at meetings. He also introduced singing in Rotary...

HELLO  
my name is

Harry

@changemakeranburrell

Rotary  
District 3195

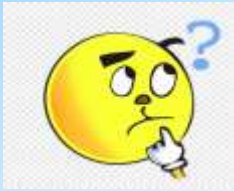


CREATE HOPE  
IN THE WORLD



### DID YOU KNOW?

The first Rotary Convention was held in Chicago in the year 1910 with members of 16 Rotary clubs. Rotarians from over 120 Countries Participated in the 2023 Rotary Convention held at Melbourne, Australia. Next Rotary convention is scheduled to be held on 25th -29th of May 2024 in Singapore



## BRAIN TEASERS

### SUDOKU



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### ROTARY QUIZ

- 1) What is the First official motto of Rotary International?
- 2) Which is the largest Rotary Club in the World in terms of membership?
- 3) Which is the largest Rotary Club in India?
- 4) What is the predecessor to The Rotary Foundation (TRF)?
- 5) Who was the first President of the first Rotary Club (Founded in Chicago in the year 1905)

### RIDDLES

Sam and Sally have four daughters.  
 Each of their daughters has one brother.  
 How many children do Sam and Sally have in total?

(Answers on the last page)

# ROTARY IN NEWS

## DISTRICT EXCELLENCE AWARD – 2024-25!!!!

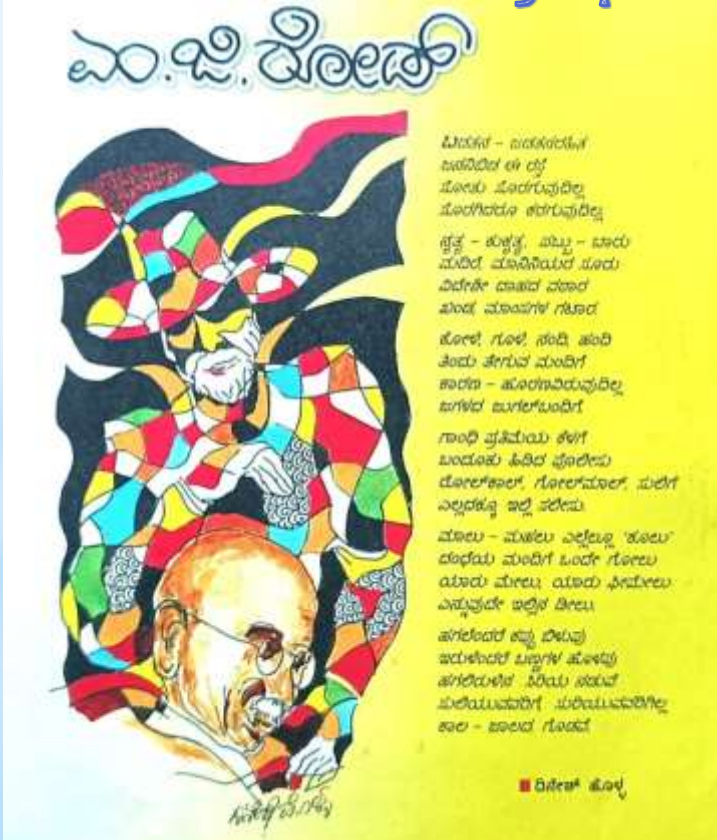


### 🏆 PROUD MOMENT FOR RID 3181 🏆

Thrilled to share that Rotary International has honoured our District 3181 with the prestigious 2024-25 District Excellence Award!

This recognition celebrate districts where at least half the clubs earn the Club Excellence Award — and we did it with style!

## ಪ್ರತಿಭಾ ಕಾರಂಜಿ



The Kannada poem “ಎಂ.ಜಿ.ರೋಡ್” penned by our Honorary member Rtn Dinesh Holla, which was earlier published in “Taranga”, Kannada Weekly.

“Imagination is the beginning of creation. You imagine what you desire, you will what you imagine, and at last, you create what you will.”

— George Bernard Shaw

# October reflections

## "UNITE FOR GOOD"



Rtn. PDG Major Donor Dr. Devdas Rai, a distinguished member of the Rotary Club of Mangalore Central, graced our weekly meeting on 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2025, as the guest speaker. He delivered a captivating address on the topic "Unite For Good," where he masterfully articulated the nuances between the Rotary International theme and the presidential message. His talk was not only deeply informative but also highly thought-provoking, leaving a lasting impression on all attendees.

"It is the long history of humankind (and animal kind, too) that those who learned to collaborate and improvise most effectively have prevailed."

– Charles Darwin

# October reflections

## "GST-2.0 - REVOLUTIONARY TAX REFORMS"



During our weekly meeting on 14th October, 2025, our in-house speaker Rtn Rajesh Shetty delivered an insightful talk on **"Revolutionary Tax Reforms – GST 2.0."** He eloquently explained the intricacies of the latest GST reforms introduced by the Government on 21st September, 2025, highlighting their far-reaching implications on businesses and the general public. His presentation offered a clear understanding of the new framework, shedding light on how these changes aim to simplify compliance, enhance transparency, and strengthen the nation's tax ecosystem.

"The important thing about tax reform is you make the tax code less complicated, easier for people to understand. "

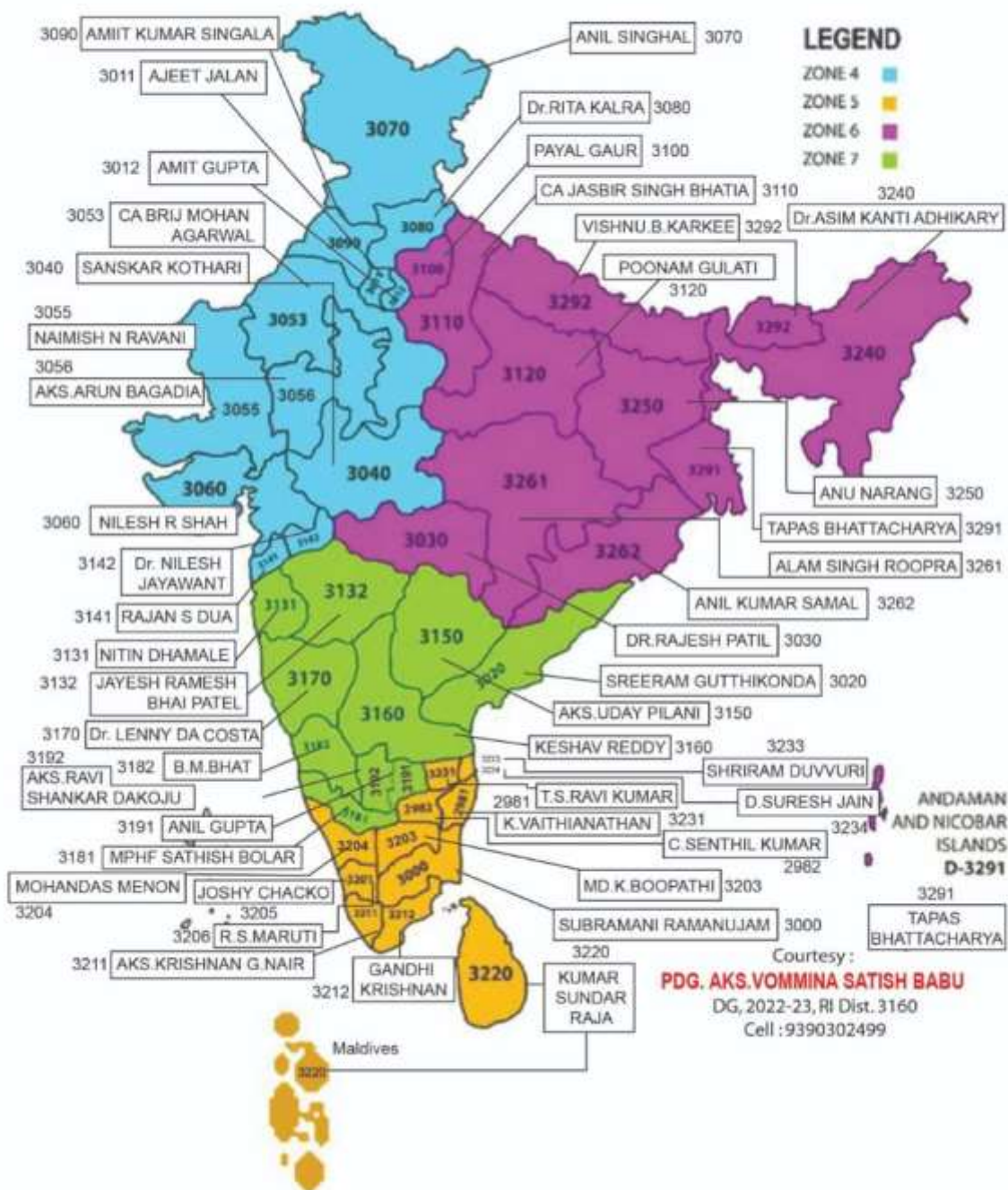
– Grover Norquist.

# ROTARY INFORMATION

## ROTARY DISTRICT GOVERNORS OF INDIA – 2026-27



### Governors 2026 - 2027



# ROTARY INFORMATION

## TRF TRUSTEE FOR 2026-2030



Past Rotary International Director (PRID) Rtn A.S. Venkatesh, popularly known as Venky, has been elected as TRF Trustee for the term 2026 to 2030. He is the member of Rotary Club of Chennai Mambalam. He was the Rotary International Director for the period 2021-23.

Rotary Mangalore Downtown congratulate him and wishes him all the success.





Mr. Narayana Prasad  
A. ChairmanMr. P. S. Ranganathan  
District Governor

### TRF Contribution update

#### Contribution of behalf of members

- The facility for Presidents/Secretaries to Contribute to TRF on behalf of their members stands withdrawn.
- Rotary Clubs now need to fill up the TRF Multiple Donor Form with names of Rotarians and their membership IDs.
- Cheque payable to Rotary Foundation(India) with PAN of the club written on the back of the cheque.
- The same may be posted to  
Rotary International South Asia Office,  
Pullman/Novotel Commercial Tower,  
Hospitality District, Aerocity, New Delhi 110 027

For any clarification, Contact PDG M Ranganath Bhat, DRFC  
98455 35121





## THE FOUR-WAY TEST

*Of the things we think, say or do:*

**first**

Is it the **TRUTH**?

**second**

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

**third**

Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?

**fourth**

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

## NOVEMBER- ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH



### **What is your Rotary Club doing in November to celebrate and focus on The Rotary Foundation?**

The Rotary Foundation transforms your gifts into projects that change lives both close to home and around the world. As the charitable arm of Rotary, we tap into a global network of Rotarians who invest their time, money, and expertise into our priorities, such as eradicating polio and promoting peace. Foundation grants empower Rotarians to approach challenges such as poverty, illiteracy, and malnutrition with sustainable solutions that leave a lasting impact... Strong financial oversight, a stellar charity rating, and a unique funding model mean that we make the very most of your contribution. Give and become a part of Rotary's life-changing work!

In 2025-26, our Rotary Foundation turned to 109 years. That's more than a century of Rotary members changing lives and improving communities all over the world. And that's definitely something worth celebrating.

Through our Foundation, Rotary members have supported thousands of projects to provide clean water, fight disease, promote peace, provide basic education, and grow local economies. We've also been a leader in the fight to eradicate polio worldwide. Join us in making sure that every Rotary member and people in every community know about the vital work of Rotary and its Foundation.



SMILE .....O.K. PLEASE



## BUTTER GARLIC MUSHROOM

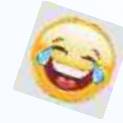
Saritha wanted to serve her guests 'Butter Garlic Mushrooms' for the evening party.

But she had no mushrooms and no time to buy them.

Her husband suggested, "Why don't you pick some of the wild mushrooms growing down by the nearby stream?"

"Some wild mushrooms are poisonous ?"

"I see squirrels eating them and they're OK."



So Saritha picked a bunch and washed, sliced and cooked them for the dinner.

Then she gave a little of the mushroom to Brutus, their dog.

Brutus ate every bite. She watched the dog. The wild mushrooms hadn't affected him.

The meal was a great success.

After everyone had finished, her daughter came in and whispered in her ear, "Mum, Brutus is dead."

"Saritha signaled her to silence and decided what to do."

The guests were dear to her.



She called the doctor and told him what had happened.

The doctor said, "That's bad, but I can take care of it. But please keep the guests calm."

Before long they heard the sirens of the ambulance.

The Paramedics and the doctor had their suitcases, syringes, and a stomach-pump.

One by one, they took each person into the bathroom, gave them an enema, and pumped out their stomach.

By midnight, the last one was done and the doctor finally left.

The hosts and the guests were all drained and weak and were sitting around the Living Room.

The daughter came in and said to her mum..."He lives at the end of our street."

"Who ?"

"The guy who ran over Brutus with his motorbike."



## FORTHCOMING ROTARY EVENTS

### “SNEHA SOURABHA”- ROTARY DISTRICT CONFERENCE-2025-26”

“SNEHA SOURABHA”, District Conference for the year 2025-26 of RID 3181 will be held from 30<sup>th</sup> January to 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2026 at Silent Shores Convention Centre, , KRS Road, Hootagalli, Mysuru. Interested members are requested to register themselves for the event. Registration may be made by visiting conference website:

<https://districtconference3181.in/> .

The Registration charges are as under:

Rotarian- Rs.4,500/-

Rotarian with Spouse- Rs.7,500/-

Ann – Rs.3,500/-

Annet – Rs.2,000/-.

The above rates will be revised from 10<sup>th</sup> November onwards.



**Grab October Deal Now!**

|           |              |
|-----------|--------------|
| 1st Prize | - Rs 3,000/- |
| 2nd Prize | - Rs 2,000/- |
| 3rd Prize | - Rs 1,000/- |

All registrations in the month of October till 06th November will be eligible for the lucky draw. WIN part of your registration cash back.

**District Conference registration prices will be revised from 10th November onwards**

|                      |            |
|----------------------|------------|
| Rotarian             | Rs 5,000/- |
| Rotarian with Spouse | Rs 8,000/- |
| Guest                | Rs 5,000/- |

**Hurry!**

VISIT WEBSITE, REGISTER & PAY  
[www.districtconference3181.in](http://www.districtconference3181.in)

### ‘ಕಾಣಿಕೆ’ - THE ROTARY FOUNDATION SEMINAR



“ಕಾಣಿಕೆ - The Rotary Foundation Seminar” for Rotary International District 3181 will be organised on 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> November, 2025 at The Puttur Club, Puttur.

The event is hosted by Rotary Club Puttur. Interested members are requested to register for the event.

# FORTHCOMING ROTARY EVENTS

## ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION- TAIPEI -2026

Rotary International Convention-2026 will be held from 13<sup>TH</sup> to 17<sup>TH</sup> June, 2025 at Taipei. The registrations for the said event is already open. Interested members may register for the event.



## “Khel Milan”- RAFFLE DRAW



DG Ramki launches the Raffle Ticket for District Sports Rotary- “Khel Milan” at the venue of Rotary Kambala held on 12<sup>th</sup> October, 2025. Seeking support of all Rotarians in raising funds by way of buying Raffle Tickets.

Only 100 tickets on sale @ Rs 5000 each.

To Buy ONE, now.- Call **9740560862**

Raffle ticket entitles FREE entry to Fellowship Dinner on 6th Dec 2025.

Draw is on 06/12/2025

# FORTHCOMING ROTARY EVENTS

## “ROTARY KREEDA BHANDHAVYA-2025”

“Rotary Kreeda Bhandhavya-2025”, the Zonal Outdoor Sports Meet will be held 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2025 at Mangala Stadium, Mangalore. Rotary Mangalore Central will be hosting the event.

Various outdoor event like Running, Walking, Long jump, shot put, relay is being held under various age categories. Special events like ball throw and lemon & spoon race will be held for Annets & Johns. Finale of the events will be tug of war conducted at the end of the programme.

Members, including family members are requested to participate in large numbers.



## “TREASURE HUNT -2025”



Rotary Mangalore City is conducting “Treasure Hunt- 2025” for Rotarians of RI District 3181 on 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2025 at Mangalore. The event is for 4-Wheelers only.

Entry Fee is Rs.1,000/-.

# FORTHCOMING ROTARY EVENTS

## “SERGEANT-AT-ARMS LEARNING SEMINAR”



**Sergeant-at-Arms (SAA)  
Learning seminar**

November 14 from 10.00 AM to 2.00 PM  
at Yashobhoomi, New Delhi

**All 50 seats booked!**

Few EXTRA seats open on  
special demand — register by Oct 17!





Learn from the best:  
PDG Jawahar Vadlamani  
India's first Chief SAA at  
Rotary Convention 2026, Taiwan

Don't miss out—  
grab your seat NOW!

www.rotaryinstitute2025.com

**“Sergeant-At-Arms (SAA) Learning Seminar”** is being organised on 14<sup>th</sup> November, 2025 for the incoming District Sergeant-At-Arms at New Delhi as part of various training programmes being conducted by Rotary Training Institute-2025 for Zone 4, 5, 6 & 7.

## “PRE-AGLS 2.0”

Rotary District 3181  
and District Secretariat . 2026-27

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TOGETHER, WE LEAD

**AGain  
Together**

Meet. Mingle. Multiply impact.

Pre - Assistant Governor  
Learning Seminar - 2.0



Rtn Clayinka Hakeem Dabeola  
81 Populists - 2026-27



Rtn Sethiah Bolar  
District Governor - 2026-27



Rtn IPDG Vikramdatta  
District Learning Partnership - 2026-27



Rtn GK Shetty  
District Secretary - Admin - 2026-27



Rtn Dr Azevind Bhat  
District Secretary - Events - 2026-27



November

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SHARP 8.45 a.m.  
@ **AAHAN HILLS**  
Sapthagiri Estate  
Next to Club Mahindra Holiday  
Kootuhole, Galibeedu Road  
Madikeri

**“Pre-Assistant Governor’s learning Seminar – 2.0”** is being organised on 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2025 at Aahan Hills, Madikeri for the newly elected Assistant Governors for the year 2026-27.

# FORTHCOMING ROTARY EVENTS

## “ಚಿನ್ನರ ಚಿಲಿಪಿಲಿ”



“ಚಿನ್ನರ ಚಿಲಿಪಿಲಿ”, A Children's Festival-2025 is being organised on 9<sup>th</sup> November, 2025 at University College, Mangalore by Rotary Mangalore Seaside. The event is open for all the children from Kindergarten to 10<sup>th</sup> Standard. Various events in nursery rhymes, fancy dress, tricycle race, painting, elocution, singing, dancing, memory test etc will be held.



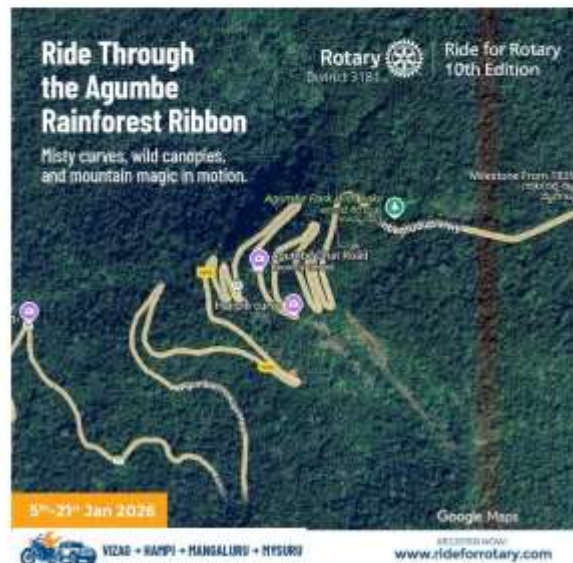
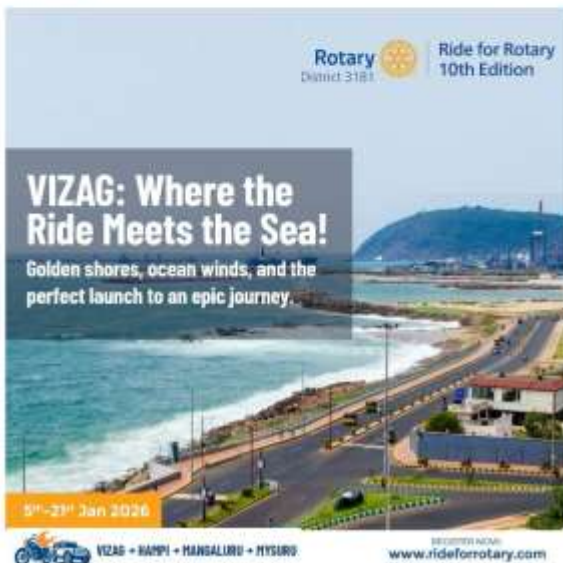
## “MANN KI BAAT”

Our D.G. Ramki's 'Mann Ki Baat'- Episode No:4 on the topic: “Our Foundation- How to get best returns out of our contributions” will be telecasted live on 3<sup>rd</sup> November from 8.00 PM to 9.00 PM on Google Meet.

Members are requested to log in to the event.

# FORTHCOMING ROTARY EVENTS

## “RIDE FOR ROTARY- 10<sup>TH</sup> EDITION”



### “Ride for Rotary” – 10th Edition

Embark on a spectacular 16-day adventure, beginning on 5th January 2026 from the sun-kissed shores of Vizag and culminating on 21st January 2026 at the regal streets of Mysuru. The journey winds through Hampi and Mangaluru, unveiling the breathtaking Agumbe Rainforest, its mist-laden curves, and enchanting wild canopies. Join this epic ride of camaraderie, exploration, and purpose.

Register now at [www.rideforrotary.com](http://www.rideforrotary.com)

## **FORTHCOMING ROTARY EVENTS**

### **“ESRAG-SA MEGA QUIZ SERIES – 2025-26”**

Environment Sustainability Rotary Action Group – South Asia (ESRAG-SA) is organising ‘ESRAG\_SA Mega Quiz Series- 2025-26, a online quiz contest held virtually live on 8<sup>th</sup> November, 2025, 6<sup>th</sup> December, 2025 and 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2026.

It is open to all Rotarians, Rotaractors, RCC, Interactors (Only ESRAG). Participants include members from Africa, Middle East, SE Asia, Oceania and South Asia.



The poster for the ESRAG-SA MEGA QUIZ SERIES 25-26 features the Rotary logo, ESRAG logo (Environmental Sustainability Rotary Action Group), and SOUTH ASIA. The title 'ESRAG-SA: MEGA QUIZ SERIES 25-26' is prominently displayed. Below the title, it states: 'Contestants will be Rotary, Rotaract, RCC, Interact Clubs and & Others (Only ESRAG, etc.,) for an online quiz contest. Participants welcome from Africa, Middle East, SE Asia, Oceania & South Asia. VIRTUAL LIVE QUIZ DATES ARE 8TH NOV 2025, 6TH DEC 2025, AND 10TH JAN'. The bottom of the poster shows a green landscape with a tree and mountains, and the text 'ESRAG- SA Mega Quiz Series Sherpa - Vipin Bahl Hony Secretary & Co-Chair-ESA'.

### **“ROTARY ZONAL CRICKET TOURNAMENT”**



Rotary Zonal Cricket Tournament for Zone 2 &3 will be held on 16<sup>th</sup> November, 2026 at Mangalore. The event will be hosted by Rotary Club of Mangalore South.

## ANSWERS TO BRAIN TEASERS

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## ROTARY QUIZ

- 1) 'Service Above Self' is the First official motto of Rotary International.
- 2) Rotary Club of Seattle. It has more than 600 members. It also happens to be the fourth oldest Rotary Club in the world.
- 3) 'Rotary Club of Vijayawada Mid-Town' is the largest Rotary Club in India. It also happens to be the largest Rotary Club outside United States of America.
- 4) 'The Endowment Fund' is the predecessor to The Rotary Foundation (TRF) started in the year 2017 by the then Rotary International President Rtn Arch C. Klumph.
- 5) Rtn Silvester Schiele is the first President of the first Rotary Club (Founded in Chicago in the year 1905)

## RIDDLES

'Five'