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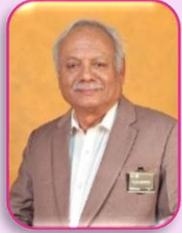


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Rtn Ramakrishna P K
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Nellikatte
(President RCME)

DG's official visit to our club 26.02.2026

Namaste to all my fellow Rotarians,

Ramakrishna Puthiakunhan Kannan, affectionately called Ramki, was born on the 23rd December 1952 at oorgaum Kolar Gold Fields. After his graduation from KGF First grade college, he joined Manasagangotri Mysore and did his M Sc in organic chemistry. He joined the Central Electrochemical Research Institute in Karaikudi and worked for one year on Mercuric oxide button batteries which was a classified area for the Defence forces at that point of time. The batteries were used by the Airforce for tracing lost pilots and the project was called SARAH, Sea Air Rescue and Homing. During that time the handling of Mercury was high and some work on mercury poisoning or Minamata disease was also done. Later he joined Sunanda Aromatic Industries in Mysore and worked in the lab producing many interesting fragranc intermediates for Incense, Soaps and Cosmetics

started his own fragrance chemicals manufacturing unit FLOWERSYNTH in 1981. He joined Rotary Mysore Midtown in 1986. He Was the President of the Club in 1995-96. He As DGSC he has a ended the first invited TRF Stewardship seminar in Mumbai chaired by the then RI President Jonathan Mujiabge. A 4-Avenue service awardee he received a District Rotary Foundation citation in 2001-2002. He has participated as a Trainer at Pre-PETS and SETS District Assemblies, AGTS within and outside the District. He had taken many zonal and district Responsibilities in Rotary and was highly successful. Presently his hobbies are Meditation, Reading, Research and Fragrances.

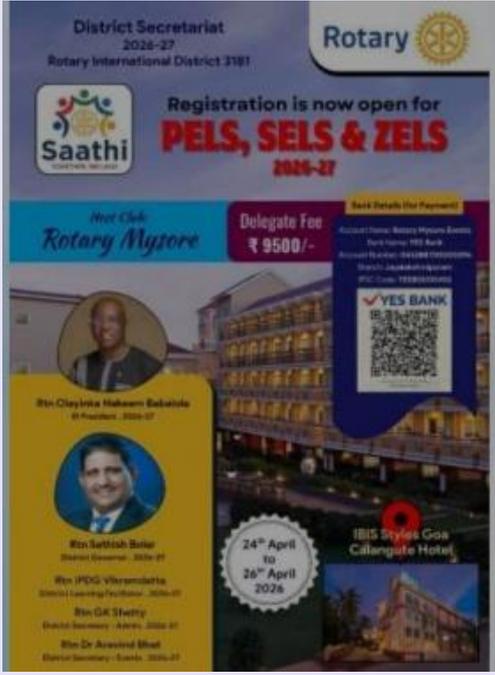
On this occasion of official visit to our club, we the President and members of Rotary Mangalore East family cordially welcomes Rtn Ramakrishna P K, District Governor RI Dist 3181

UPCOMING EVENTS.....



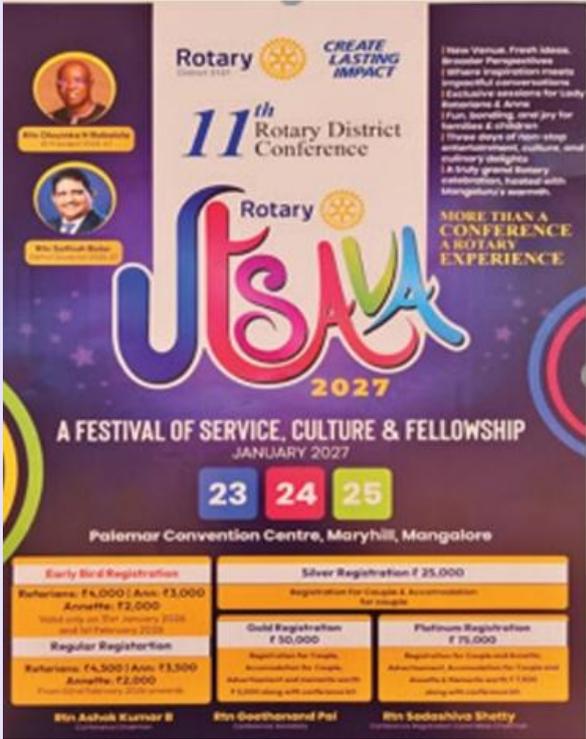
Rotary International Convention
 Will be held at Taipei Taiwan
 From 13 to 17 June 2026

PELS, SELS & ZELS
 Learning seminar for President
 Secretary and zonal Lieutenants
 For the year 2026-27 will be
 Held at Goa Calangute Hotel
 From 24th April 27th 2026, to be
 Hosted by Rotary Mysore.



Rotary Premier League cricket tournament RPL 2025-26
 Will be conducted by Rotary club of Puttur Elite on
 29th March at St Philomina College ground Puttur.

UTSAVA 2027, 11TH Rotary district conference will be held
 from 23rd Jan 2027 to 25th Jan 2027 at Palemar convention
 center Maryhill Mangalore. Rtn Sadashiv Shetty will be the
 District Chairman for conference registration committee.



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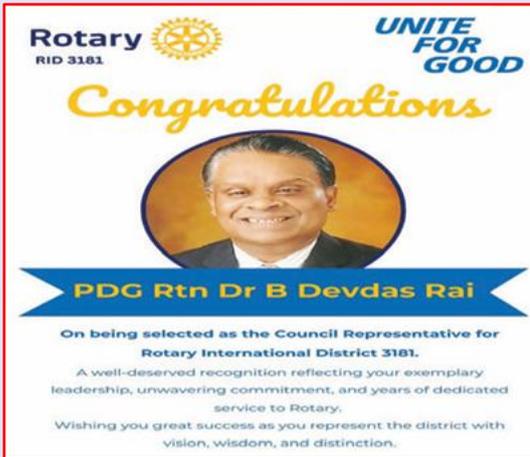
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PDG Rtn Dr B Devdas Rai has been selected To represent RI Dist 3181 at the Council of Legislation (COL), which is the law making body Of Rotary International.



DGE Rtn Sathish Bolar attended the Rotary International Assembly held at Orlando Florida USA. He met Rotary International President Elect Rtn Olayinka H Babalola On 12th January 2026.



CONGRATULATIONS PDG Rtn H R Keshav

The Service Above Self Recognition is one of Rotary's most prestigious honours, bestowed upon Rotarians who demonstrate exceptional dedication, integrity, and selfless service to their communities and humanity at large. This recognition celebrates individuals who embody Rotary's core values through impactful projects, leadership in service, and sustained contributions that create meaningful and lasting change.



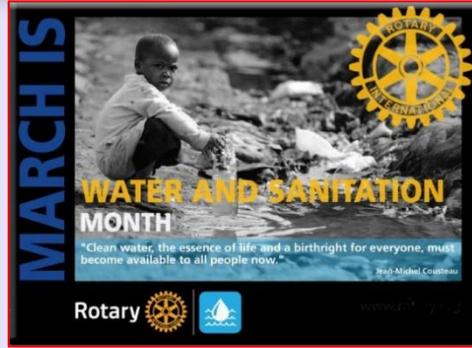
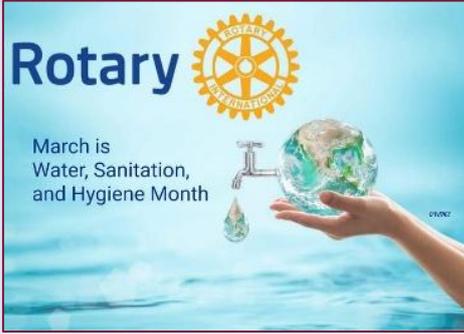
The Rotary Foundation is now accepting applications for 2027 #Rotary Peace Fellowships.

This year, Rotary will award up to 170 fully funded fellowships for #peacebuilders from communities around the world to study at one of its global peace centres located at premier universities – including the newest peace centre in Pune, India.

Fellows earn a master's degree or a postgraduate certificate in disciplines related to peace and development, providing them with advanced skills, knowledge, and networks to become effective catalysts for peace

The deadline to apply is 15th May 2026.

Designated Month - March



There are 2.5 billion people in the world that lack access to improved sanitation and 748 million people that don't have clean drinking water.

Nearly 1400 children die each day from diseases caused by lack of sanitation and unsafe water.

When people have access to clean water, they live healthier and more productive lives.

In 2015, the United Nations introduced their new Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) to end poverty and promote prosperity while protecting the environment and addressing climate change.

SDG encourages us to address universal access to drinking water and sanitation along with improved water management to protect ecosystems and build resiliency.

Rotary members are committed to reaching the water and sanitation SDG through projects like building wells, installing rainwater harvesting systems, and teaching community members how to maintain new infrastructure.

During March, Rotary Water and Sanitation Month, we're celebrating our commitment to create healthier communities by supplying clean water and sanitation facilities.

Our Members in News



Rtn CA Shantharam Shetty participated as the Guest of Honour at the Inter-State Youth Exchange Programme - MERA YUVA BHARAT (Karnataka-Telangana), organized by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India.



AG Zone II and our member Rtn CA Shantharam Shetty has been elected to Managing committee of Indian Red Cross Society DK District Branch with maximum votes for continuous fourth time. At present he is member of National Managing committee IRCS with National headquarter at NewDelhi. He is also outgoing Chairman of Indian Red Cross Society DK District Branch.

*President and members of Rotary club of Mangalore East are very proud of him and wishes him every success in his 4th term as **Congratulations.....***

Chairman Indian Red Cross Society DK District Branch.

Assistant Governor Elect Learning Seminar (AGELS)




Assistant Governor Elect Learning Seminar (AGELS) **"IGNITE learning redefined"** was held at Sampige resort Moodabidri on 21st and 22nd February 2026.

Debate on National Budget 2026



A debate on National Budget was conducted at our regular fortnightly meeting. Debate was initiated by Rtn CA Praveen Kumar Shetty. Rtn CA Shantharam Shetty and Rtn CA Hareesh Shetty participated in the debate. Clarified all the doubts of the Rotarians.





Rotary awards up to 170 funded fellowships a year for dedicated leaders from around the world to study at one of our eight peace centers.

Through academic training, practice, and global networking opportunities, the Rotary Peace Centers program develops the capacity of peace and development professionals to become effective catalysts for peace. The fellowships cover tuition and fees, room and board, round-trip transportation, and internship and field-study expenses.

Since the program began in 2002, the Rotary Peace Centers have trained more than 1,800 fellows who now work in over 140 countries. Many serve as leaders in governments; NGOs; education and research institutions; peacekeeping and law enforcement agencies; and international organizations like the United Nations and the World Bank.

Our fellowships

The Rotary Peace Fellowship is designed for leaders with work experience in peace and development. Our fellows are committed to community and international service and the pursuit of peace. Each year, The Rotary Foundation awards up to 50 fellowships for master's degrees and up to 120 for certificate studies at premier universities.

1. Master's degree programs

Accepted candidates study peace and development issues with research-informed teaching and a diverse student body. The programs last 15 to 24 months and include a two- to three-month field study, which participants design themselves.

The ideal candidate is academically strong, has a bachelor's degree in a related field, and has work experience in peace and development. We are looking for early-career candidates who demonstrate a commitment to peace and conflict resolution, can undertake extensive reading and research, and can participate actively within a diverse cohort of students. Successful candidates have a record of prior achievements in peacebuilding as well as the potential for future growth and impact as leaders in the field resulting from their participation in the fellowship. After the program, candidates should be willing to share their own work and experience, staying in touch with peace fellows in their region and maintaining strong connections with Rotary members.

Eligibility

Master's degree candidates must also: Be proficient in English. Have a bachelor's degree

Have a strong commitment to cross-cultural understanding and peace as shown through professional and academic achievements and personal or community service. Have the potential for leadership

Have at least three years of full-time relevant experience in peace or development work

Master's candidates must have a gap of at least three years between the completion of their most recent academic degree program (undergraduate or graduate degree) and their intended start date for the fellowship. Candidates currently enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program, or who will be enrolled in the upcoming academic year, are not eligible to apply.

Rotary Peace Fellows who have completed the certificate program, or a *Global Grant Scholarship*, must wait three years between the end date of that program and their intended start date for the fellowship.

We encourage people with disabilities and people from other diverse backgrounds to apply. Rotary provides reasonable accommodations as needed to people with disabilities.



Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) is an intensive leadership experience organized by Rotary clubs and districts where you develop your skills as a leader while having fun and making connections.

What are the benefits?

Connect with leaders in your community and around the world to:

Build communication and problem-solving skills

Discover strategies for becoming a dynamic leader in your school or community

Learn from community leaders, inspirational speakers, and peer mentors

Unlock your potential to turn motivation into action

Have fun and form lasting friendships

What's involved?

RYLA events are organized locally by Rotary clubs and districts for participants ages 14-30. Depending on community needs, RYLA may take the form of a one-day seminar, a three-day retreat, or a weeklong camp. Typically, events last 3-10 days and include presentations, activities, and workshops covering a variety of topics.

Your community might host a RYLA event for secondary school students to hone their leadership potential, for university students to develop creative problem-solving strategies, or for young professionals to learn ethical business practices.

How to participate?

RYLA participants are nominated by local Rotary clubs. Contact your local Rotary club to find out more about RYLA events in your area, how to apply, and any costs of getting involved.

What is ESRAG



Environmental Sustainability Rotarian Action Group (ESRAG) assists Rotary clubs, districts and multi-districts in planning, implementing and evaluating service projects, building awareness, and inspiring action. These projects promote environmental sustainability, awareness of climate change, and actions to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and to mitigate climate disruption. ESRAG promotes educational resources, initiates dialogue about environmental sustainability, and uses best practices in models and assessments for both projects and daily choices. This work advances the Object of Rotary through positive impacts in all six Areas of Focus.

ESRAG's focus on environmental sustainability offers Rotary the opportunity to provide long-term benefits for people all over the world. We will work to ensure that project investments preserve the ability for the environment to renew itself and continue to support human well-being, thereby supplying life-sustaining benefits to communities.

District Interact Conference



ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಮಟ್ಟದ ಭವ್ಯ ಇಂಟರಾಕ್ಟ್ ಸಮ್ಮೇಳನ ಕೃಷ್ಣರಾಜನಗರ, ಫೆಬ್ರವರಿ 20

“ಇಂಟರಾಕ್ಟ್ ಯುನೈಟ್ 2026” ಮೂಲಕ ಯುವಶಕ್ತಿಗೆ ಸೇವಾ ಸಂಕಲ್ಪದ ಸಂದೇಶ ರೋಟರಿ ಕ್ಲಬ್ ಆಫ್ ಕೃಷ್ಣರಾಜನಗರ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ರೋಟರಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ 3181ರ ಆಶ್ರಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಆಯೋಜಿಸಲಾದ “RI District 3181 - Interact Conference - Interact Unite 2026” ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಮಟ್ಟದ ಇಂಟರಾಕ್ಟ್ ಸಮ್ಮೇಳನವು ವಾಸವಿ ಮಹಲ್, ಕೃಷ್ಣರಾಜನಗರದಲ್ಲಿ ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಅದ್ದೂರಿಯಾಗಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಶಿಸ್ತಿನಿಂದ ನೆರವೇರಿತು. ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ವಿವಿಧ ಶಾಲೆಗಳ ಇಂಟರಾಕ್ಟ್ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ರೋಟರಿ ನಾಯಕರು ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿದ ಈ ಸಮ್ಮೇಳನ ಯುವಶಕ್ತಿಗೆ ಸೇವಾ ಮನೋಭಾವದ ಸಂದೇಶ ನೀಡಿತು.

ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆಯನ್ನು ರೋಟರಿ ಕ್ಲಬ್ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾದ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ದಯಾನಂದ ಟಿ.ಎನ್. ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು. ಕ್ಲಬ್ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಯಾದ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ಪುರುಷೋತ್ತಮ್ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದ ಸಂಘಟನೆ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮನ್ವಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಮುಖ ಪಾತ್ರ ವಹಿಸಿದರು.

ಸಮ್ಮೇಳನವನ್ನು ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಗವರ್ನರ್ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ರಾಮಕೃಷ್ಣ ಪಿ.ಕೆ. ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿ ಮಾತನಾಡಿ, ಇಂಟರಾಕ್ಟ್ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಸಮಾಜ ಸೇವೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ತೊಡಗಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ತಮ್ಮ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿತ್ವವನ್ನು ರೂಪಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕು ಎಂದು ಕರೆ ನೀಡಿದರು. ರೋಟರಿ ಸಾರುವ “Service Above Self” ಮೌಲ್ಯವನ್ನು ಜೀವನದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಳವಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡರೆ ಸಮಾಜದಲ್ಲಿ ಶಾಶ್ವತ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ತರಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯವೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಗವರ್ನರ್ ಎಲೆಕ್ಟ್ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ಯಶಸ್ವಿ ಸೋಮಶೇಖರ್ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ನಾಯಕತ್ವದ ಮಹತ್ವವನ್ನು ವಿವರಿಸಿದರು. ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಮೆಂಬರ್ಶಿಪ್ ಚೇರ್ ಪರ್ಸನ್ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ರಿತೇಶ್ ಬಾಳಿಗ ಅವರ ಶುಭಾಶಯ ಸಂದೇಶ ವಾಚಿಸಲಾಯಿತು. ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಇಂಟರಾಕ್ಟ್ ಚೇರ್ಮನ್ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ಆರ್. ರವೀಂದ್ರ, ಸಹಾಯಕ ಗವರ್ನರ್ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ರಾಜೇಗೌಡ, ವಲಯ ಸೇನಾನಿ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ನಾಗರಾಜ ಭಾವಿಕಟ್ಟಿ, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಇಂಟರಾಕ್ಟ್ ಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿ (DIR) ಬೃಂದಲಾ ಎಂ., ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ರೋಟರಾಕ್ಟ್ ಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿ (DRR) ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ಪ್ರಜ್ವಲ್ ಆರ್. (ಪ್ರಜ್ವಲ್ ಭರದ್ವಾಜ್) ಸೇರಿದಂತೆ ಅನೇಕ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ನಾಯಕರು ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದಲ್ಲಿ ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತರಿದ್ದರು.

ಸಮ್ಮೇಳನದ ಅಂಗವಾಗಿ ನಡೆದ ಕ್ವಿಜ್, ಗಾಯನ ಮತ್ತು ನೃತ್ಯ ಸ್ಪರ್ಧೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಉತ್ಸಾಹಭರಿತವಾಗಿ ಪಾಲ್ಗೊಂಡು ತಮ್ಮ ಪ್ರತಿಭೆಯನ್ನು ಪ್ರದರ್ಶಿಸಿದರು. ನ್ಯಾಯಾಧೀಶರು ಸ್ಪರ್ಧೆಗಳನ್ನು ನಿಷ್ಪಕ್ಷಪಾತವಾಗಿ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸಿದರು. ಮಧ್ಯಾಹ್ನದ ವಿಶೇಷ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದಲ್ಲಿ ಮೆಜಿಷಿಯನ್ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ರಾಜ್ ಭಟ್ ಅವರ ಮನರಂಜನಾ ಪ್ರದರ್ಶನ ಎಲ್ಲರ ಮೆಚ್ಚುಗೆಗೆ ಪಾತ್ರವಾಯಿತು.

ನಂತರ ನಡೆದ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಭಾಷಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಶ್ರೀ ನಾಗರಾಜ್ ಬಿಜಗನಹಳ್ಳಿ ಅವರು ಯುವಜನತೆಗೆ ಆತ್ಮವಿಶ್ವಾಸ, ಸಮಯಪಾಲನೆ ಹಾಗೂ ನಾಯಕತ್ವದ ಮೌಲ್ಯಗಳನ್ನು ವಿವರಿಸಿದರು. ಅವರ ಪ್ರೇರಣಾದಾಯಕ ಮಾತುಗಳು ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಹೊಸ ಚೈತನ್ಯ ಮೂಡಿಸಿದವು.

ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದ ಯಶಸ್ಸಿಗೆ ಇವೆಂಟ್ ಚೇರ್ಮನ್ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ಮೋಹನ್ ಕುಮಾರ್ ಸಿ.ವಿ. ಸಮರ್ಪಕ ಯೋಜನೆ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮನ್ವಯ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು. ಎಂ.ಸಿ. ಆಗಿ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ಅರುಣ್ ಬಿ. ನರಗುಂದ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಉತ್ಸಾಹಭರಿತವಾಗಿ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸಿದರು.

ರಿಜಿಸ್ಟ್ರೇಷನ್ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆಯನ್ನು ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ರವಿಕುಮಾರ್ ಎಂ.ಎನ್. ಹಾಗೂ ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ವರದಯ್ಯ ಸುಗಮವಾಗಿ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸಿದರು. ಸಭಾಂಗಣ ಹಾಗೂ ಮಧ್ಯಾಹ್ನದ ಊಟದ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆಯನ್ನು ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ವೈ.ಎಸ್. ಕುಮಾರ್ ಸಮರ್ಪಕವಾಗಿ ಕಲ್ಪಿಸಿದರು.

ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರಾದ ವೈ.ಬಿ. ಶಶಿಭೂಷಣ್, ರಾಘವೇಂದ್ರ, ಸದಸ್ಯರಾದ ದಯಾನಂದ ಎಲ್.ಜೆ., ರವಿಶಂಕರ್ ಎಲ್.ವಿ., ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ಸದಾನಂದ ಮೂರ್ತಿ, ರೋಟೇರಿಯನ್ ರಘುಶಂಕರ್, ಹರ್ಷ ಬಿ.ವಿ ಸೇರಿದಂತೆ ಕ್ಲಬ್‌ನ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಸದಸ್ಯರು ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದ ಯಶಸ್ಸಿಗೆ ಕೈಜೋಡಿಸಿದರು.

ರೋಟರಾಕ್ಟ್ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾದ ಹರಿಶ್ ರಾಘವೇಂದ್ರ ಹಾಗೂ ಆರ್‌ಸಿಸಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾದ ಬಿ.ಆರ್. ಗೋಪಾಲರಾಜು ಮತ್ತು ಸದಸ್ಯರು ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿ ಬೆಂಬಲ ನೀಡಿದರು.

ಕೊನೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಜೇತ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಬಹುಮಾನ ವಿತರಿಸಲಾಯಿತು. ಇವೆಂಟ್ ಚೇರ್ಮನ್ ಧನ್ಯವಾದಗಳನ್ನು ಅರ್ಪಿಸಿ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಗೀತೆಯೊಂದಿಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ಸಮಾಪ್ತಿಯಾಯಿತು.

MESSAGE FROM Trustee Chair 2025-26



Holger Knaack
Trustee Chair 2025-26
February 2026

February is Peacebuilding and Conflict Prevention Month, a perfect time to reflect on The Rotary Foundation's mission to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace. Whether improving health, supporting education, or alleviating poverty, peace is at the heart of everything Rotary does.

Rotary Peace Centers bring our ideals into the world by training the next generation of peacebuilders. Since 2002, more than 1,800 Rotary Peace Fellows have become catalysts for peace in over 140 countries.

I am often asked whether our peace fellows continue working for peace after their studies. The answer is a resounding yes. Many serve in United Nations agencies, governments, nongovernmental organizations, and groups they've founded themselves.

Recently, I met with the recipients of our latest Programs of Scale award, Pathways to Peace and Prosperity in Colombia. This \$3 million partnership with the World Food Programme is establishing four peace hubs that will train 1,000 people in conflict resolution and support 700 entrepreneurs in communities touched by conflict.

During the meeting, I thought I recognized one participant as Brigitta von Messling, a German peace fellow I worked closely with in Berlin 13 years ago. But so much time had passed I wasn't sure. When I asked Gladys Maldonado, a leader of the Colombia initiative, she confirmed it was Brigitta:

Brigitta is based in my city, Cúcuta, and is an active member of my Rotary club. She does wonderful work with the United Nations as an observer of the 2016 peace agreement Colombia signed with rebels. She even travels to remote locations in the Catatumbo region, an area of northern Colombia that has experienced violence by armed groups.

She has my utmost admiration. I had the good fortune of meeting her three years ago. She's incredibly intelligent, with a gift for recognizing the strengths of others.

Brigitta is invaluable to my country, my city, and my Rotary club. She connected me with the World Food Programme so we could build the Programs of Scale project, which has filled my city and country with hope.

What Gladys said about Brigitta echoes so many stories we hear about Rotary Peace Fellows worldwide: They are invaluable. They remind us that peace is built one person at a time.

Your support of The Rotary Foundation opens countless opportunities for transformation.

All persons ought to endeavor to follow what is right, and not what is established

..... Aristotle

We meet Fortnightly on Thursdays @ Tandoor Family Restaurant Karangalapady Mangalore

ROTARY CLUB OF MANGALORE EAST CHARTERED ON 19TH MARCH 1996

LIST OF PRESENT MEMBERS

	Name	Date of Join	Rotary ID
1	Chandrashekar P S	1-Jul-86	1221907
2	Nithyananda Shetty	01-Nov-1987	1400867
3	V K K Kalluraya	29-Jan-2002	2509993
4	Balakrishna Shetty	20-Mar-1996	2510011
5	CA.Praveen Shetty	11-Jul-2001	3349596
6	B Shekar Shetty	31-Dec-99	5145046
7	Jaikumar	01-Nov-2000	5309214
8	Shantharam Shetty	19-Oct-2003	6036983
9	Narayana Shetty	19-Oct-2003	6036986
10	Panduranga Shetty	20-Dec-2003	6128785
11	Sadashiva Shetty	02-Feb-2005	6291106
12	Anand Shetty	12/31/2006	6608022
13	Ramanatha Shetty	06-Dec-2006	6608030
14	K Shashidhara	7/1/2008	6880354
15	V E Gajendra	01-Sep-2010	8243236
16	S N Bhat	15-Dec-2010	8263694
17	Pradeep Kumar K	15-Dec-2010	8263701
18	M.Pramod Kumar	15-Dec-2010	8263703
19	Santhosh Kumar Shetty	25-May-2011	8323112
20	Dr.Vasanth Kumar Shetty	09-Oct-2014	8991118
21	Vincent Nazareth	9-Oct-14	8991149
22	Gopal Shetty	09-Oct-2014	8991158
23	CA. Hareesh Shetty	09-Oct-2014	8991227
24	N Vinod Kudva	09-Oct-2014	8991232
25	Mundadi Guthu Jayaram Shetty	09-Oct-2014	8991241
26	Prakash Puttur	01-Sep-2015	9352905
27	Dinesh Pai	14-Oct-15	9389660
28	Gopala krishna Kamath	01-May-2016	9411201
29	JOEL SALDANHA	07-Jul-2016	9679665
30	Raghavendra Nellikatte	7-Jul-16	9679672
31	Harish Adappa	07-Jul-2016	9679677
32	Dayananda Shetty	07-Jul-2016	9679680
33	Banu Prakash Shetty	02-Sep-2016	9711872
34	Bhojaraj Shetty	03-Sep-2016	9711875
35	Ashwatham Hegde	2-Aug-18	10327727
36	DEERAJ Shetty	02-Aug-2018	10327738
37	A. BALAKRISHNA Rai	02-Aug-2018	10327742
38	Umesh Shetty	18-Mar-2019	10506952
39	SHARATH ACHARYA	07-Jul-2019	10622302
40	SACHIN Shetty	22-Dec-2020	11026796
41	SHIVAPRASAD Kille	22-Dec-2020	11026822
42	Balappa Shetty	09-Sep-2021	11235547
43	Pramod Prabhu	01-Aug-2025	11496697
44	HARISH M N	01-Sep-2022	11545961

	Name	Date of Join	Rotary ID
45	SUKESH Rai	01-Sep-2022	11545971
46	Rajaram Shetty	01-Sep-2022	11548295
47	Arun Shetty	01-Sep-2022	11548301
48	NAVEEN Kille	01-Dec-2022	11635652
49	Panchami Shenoy	4/4/2023	11740192
50	Maheshchandra Nayak	30-Mar-2023	11740200
51	Dr Subramaniam	30-Dec-23	11940699
52	B Guruprasad Shetty	30-Dec-2023	11940989
53	Jyothi Surendra	21-Apr-2024	12035308
54	Siddu S R	01-Oct-2024	12185537
55	Avinash Shetty	29-Sep-2024	12186572
56	Mahesh Shetty	29-Sep-2024	12186589
57	Rajan Nambiar	01-Aug-2025	12404633
58	Vinodchandra	01-Aug-2025	12439714
59	Dhanraj Kumar	01-Aug-2025	12439732
60	AKHIL PAI	01-Aug-2025	12439810
61	Rahul Shetty	25-Oct-2025	12481432
62	Harish C	25-Oct-25	12481435

CHARTER DAY" on 19th March

Rotary Club of Mangalore East was chartered on 19th March 1996 by Rotary International. Our club was sponsored by Rotary Club of Surathkal with Rtn Raghavendra as DSR.

Club was started with 22 charter members under the able leadership of President Rtn Yadavakumar S H. 30 well organised Presidents led our club inclusively and empathetically and nurtured into one of the vibrant clubs of the district. At present there are 62 members in the club with Rtn Raghavendra Nellikatte at the wheel.

Rtn Chandrashekar P S was the first Assistant District Governor (Earlier the designation was ADG, presently AG) from our club, that was during 2002-2003. He is also longest serving member of our club. Eight members of our club served as AG of the district.

We are welcoming Rtn Panchami Shenoy as first lady President of our club for the year 2026-27.

LIST OF PRESIDENTS

Sl no	NAME	YEAR
1	Yadhavakumar S H	1996-1997
2	U V Shasthry	1997-1998
3	Shama Rao	1998-1999
4	Dr Ravi M S	1999-2000
5	Sukumar N	2000-2001
6	Gururaj M S	2001-2002
7	Ramprasad B R	2002-2003
8	K Narayana Shetty	2003-2004
9	VKK Kalluraya	2004-2005
10	Prakashchandra	2005-2006
11	Balakrishna Shetty S	2006-2007
12	K R Nath	2007-2008
13	Sadashiva Shetty	2008-2009
14	Ananda Shetty	2009-2010
15	CA Shivakumar	2010-2011
16	Divakar P	2011-2012
17	Gajendra V E	2012-2013
18	Pradeep Kumar	2013-2014
19	CA Shantharama Shetty	2014-2015
20	Santhoshkumar Shetty	2015-2016
21	Panduranga Shetty	2016-2017
22	M Karunakara Shetty	2017-2018
23	Jai kumar	2018-2019
24	Ramanath Shetty	2019-2020
25	N Vinod Kudva	2020-2021
26	Vincent Nazareth	2021-2022
27	CA Hareesh Shetty	2022-2023
28	M Jayaram Shetty	2023-2024
29	Gopal Shetty	2024-2025
30	Raghavendra Nellikatte	2025-2026

LIST OF CHARTER MEMBERS

Sl No	Name
1	Acharya, B. Yajnesh
2	Alva, G. T.
3	Balifa, B. R.
4	Bhat, Nagaraj M.
5	Chandra, Mohan K. Y
6	Gurjar, R. K
7	Kumar, S. H. Yadav
8	Kumar, U. B. Vijaya
9	Mahabala, M
10	Mithra, P. Raviskankar
11	Naik, Gopesh Kumar
12	Pai, B. H. Ramesh
13	Rao, B. Chandrashekar
14	Rao, B. Jeevesh
15	Rao, P. Chandra Shekar
16	Shastry, P. Harishchandra
17	Shastry, U. V.
18	Shettigar, M. Mohan
19	Shetty, C. R.
20	Shetty, M. Ravindra
21	Suraj, K.
22	Vishwanath, B. K.

121 years ago, a small circle of dreamers gathered with a simple idea — to serve, to uplift, to make a difference.

From that humble beginning in 1905, a spark lit by Paul Harris became a radiant flame spreading hope across continents. Through hands that serve and hearts that care, Rotary has woven a century-long story of compassion, integrity, fellowship, and action. Not just meetings... but movements. Not just projects... but transformed lives.

We celebrate more than a legacy — we celebrate a living promise:
Service Above Self.

Proud to walk this path of purpose, grateful to be part of a journey that continues to change the world, one act of kindness at a time

Let us recollect few of this year's events



Installation of NEW Team

Few of Projects



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