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Hearty Welcome to our Today's Chief Guest

Rtn. RUDOLPH M.C. RODRIGUES

Chartered Accountant.

He was born in Mangalore, and he had his entire education at St. Aloysius Institutions Mangalore, from where he graduated in commerce in 1981. He

qualified as a chartered accountant in 1986 and has been practicing as a chartered accountant as a partner of the firm M/s Rodrigues & D'Souza since then. He is a past chairman of the Mangalore branch of the Southern Indian Regional Council of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. He is a past president of the Rotary Club of Mangalore Sunrise. He was the AG for Zone 4 of Rotary Dist. 3180 during 2008-09. He is the vice president of Rachana. He has presented papers on professional subjects on several occasions. He was the president of the Sodality of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. He is married to Juliet, and they have one son, Leander. His hobbies include reading and guizzing.



Our Rotarians are all set to take the challenge in the 'Bale Gobbuga,' Zonal Level Indoor Games at Father Muller Indoor Stadium, Mangalore, on October 12, 2025.

PROGRAMME 14.10.2025 AT 07.00 PM

Chief Guest: Rtn. Rudolph M.C. Rodrigues
Topic: "Empowering Prosperity: Driving Economic
& Community Development"

Ann & Annets invited Dinr

Dinner Meeting

Next meeting. 28. 10. 2025 AT 07.00 PM

DEEPAVALI CELEBRATION Potluck Dinner

Anns & Annets Invited

WE MEET EVERY TUESDAY AT 7.00 P.M. AT BAL BHAVAN, MANGALURU - 3 PH: 0824-2950246

OUTSTANDING ROTARIAN AWARD-2025 : ROTAY MANGALORE NORTH Awardee : Rtn. Major Donor Dr.Shivaprasad K.

Rtn Major Donor Dr.Shivaprasad K. B.Sc., BHMS, MD is currently serving as the Medical Superintendent at Yenepoya Homeopathic Medical College and Hospital, Naringana, Mangalore, a unit of Yenepoya Deemed to be University. His vast and dedicated service in teaching and consultancy in the field of homeopathy spans across 34 long years. His experience and consultancy are extended as he serves as a consulting homeopathic physician at Swathi Homeopathic Clinic, K. F. Road, Alake, Mangalore, since 1991. His immense experience and expertise in the



treatment of chronic diseases, allergic conditions, lifestyle disorders, and palliative care for cancer patients have been commendable. Dr.Shivaprasad is a veteran in the field of homeopathy. He has donned several leadership positions in his profession as well as in Rotary International. His tenure as the principal of Fr Muller Homeopathic Medical College and Hospital (2013-2020), PG coordinator (1999-2009), and vice principal (2009-2013) has been the most significant and productive. Considering his excellence and contributions to the field of homeopathy, he was appointed the NAAC Assessor in 2020, which is a rare honor. Many recognitions and assignments have come his way. He has served as dean of the Homeopathy Faculty of Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore; member of the Board of Studies at KLE Deemed to be University, Belgaum; member of the Karnataka Board of Homeopathic System of Medicine, Bangalore; member of the Expert Committee of the Homeopathic Education Board, National Commission for Homeopathy, Ayush Ministry, New Delhi; chairman of the Board of Studies (UG), RGUHS, Bangalore; member of the Central Council of Homeopathy, New Delhi; and member of the Advisory Committee for Establishment of Institutional Quality Monitoring Cell (IQMC), RGUHS, Bangalore, besides being a member of the faculty of homeopathy of Calicut, Kerala, and Utkal Universities. Having a brilliant track record in academics and research, Dr.Shivaprasad has to his credit 09 co-authored research publications indexed in renowned homeopathy journals, besides presenting cutting-edge research papers in national and international conferences. He is a proud co-holder of a patent for developing specialized software for assisting the homeopathic physicians.

In his relentless pursuit of social service, Dr.Shivaprasad has an impeccable record of leadership in Rotary International for the last 31 consecutive years. He has imbibed the core values of Rotary and has been at the helm of several Rotary service projects. His passion for Rotary inspired him to actively participate in the RLI (Rotary Leadership Institute) at 3 levels of intensive training. He has facilitated several community service projects in the district. Besides being a resource person at various

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leadership training programs, he has been instrumental in conducting medical camps and health awareness programs. Under the School Support System and Happy School project,

Dr.Shivaprasad has been at the helm facilitating school adoption and providing basic amenities to schools since 2000. As the primary host contact of the Global Grant Project worth US\$ 35,994 along with the overseas partner, Rotary Club of Auburn Hills, USA, Dr.Shivaprasad has been instrumental in providing gynec-onco surgical instruments to Lady Goschen Government Hospital, Mangalore, in 2025. As the president of the club, he successfully completed the Fr Muller-RC Mangalore North Eye Bank Matching Grant along with RC Wuerzburg, Germany.

As President of the Rotary Club of Mangalore North during 2002-03 & 2005-06, he led the club to unprecedented achievements and took charge as the Assistant Governor in 2020-21 and moved on to become the District Chairman of RAHLA in 2022-23. Subsequently, he was given the responsibility as District Chairman, Club Extension, during 2023-24, which led to his elevation as District Secretary, Training, during 2024-25. Currently, he holds the onerous responsibility of enhancing the public image of Rotary by being the District Chair for Rotary Public Image. He has consistently maintained top-notch leadership skills as chairman of District Committees like Peace & Conflict Resolution, Rotary World Peace Fellowships, District PolioPlus, Rotary Fellowship, Student/Parent, and Village Adoption.

Dr.Shivaprasad has been contributing consistently to The Rotary Foundation (TRF). He is a major donor and Paul Harris Society member along with his spouse, Rtn. Dr.Jyoshna. He is also a Polio Plus Society member. He was recognized as the Best Rotary President, bagging a whopping 24 awards during his tenure from 2002 to 2003. He was selected as the Alternative Team Leader for the GSE Team to RID 1190, UK, in 2012-13, besides hosting the GSE Team from Germany, the USA, and New Zealand. Dr.Shivaprasad has been an integral part of many a conference and event of Rotary International at various levels. He participated in the Rotary International Convention held in Bangkok in 2012. He was a part of the Rotary India Centenary Celebration held at Kolkata, the Membership Conclave held in Hyderabad in 2024, the Rotary Grant Seminar, New Delhi, 2024, the DISHA-2025 Summit & Conference, Jaipur, the LEAD-2025, and the Rotary India Leadership Conclave, Chennai, besides participating in all the seminars and conferences organized at the District level.

He has been the recipient of several awards and recognitions. He was awarded the Suvarna Karnataka Rajyotsava Award by RGUHS, Bangalore; the Homeopathy Acharya Award by the Karnataka Qualified Homeopathic Doctors' Association, Bangalore; the SwasthlSiri State Award for excellence in medical and social service; and the Rotary's prestigious Avenues of Service Award. Dr.Shivaprasad has a passion for physical fitness and engages in cricket, shuttle badminton, and yoga and participates in running marathons.

His spouse, Dr. Jyoshna, is also a Rotarian serving as HOD, Department of Homeopathic Pediatrics, at Fr. Muller Homeopathic Medical College and Hospital. The versatile couple is blessed with a talented son, Likhith, an engineer.

Proceedings of the Rotary Club Weekly Meeting-October 7, 2025

Theme: "Rotary Action Plan"

Welcome: Club President Rtn. Dr. M.S. Arun Kumar Shetty warmly welcomed fellow Rotarians, special invitees, Anns, Annets, and distinguished guests.

Presentation Summary: The chief guest, Rtn. MD.Dr.Shivaprasad K, District Chairman-Public Image, delivered an insightful talk on the "Rotary Action Plan."

He emphasized that while the Action Plan guides activities at the Rotary International level, clubs and districts are encouraged to develop their own strategic plans aligned with Rotary's vision. As the world evolves rapidly, Rotary must adapt to continue thriving. The Action Plan honors Rotary's legacy while embracing future opportunities, guiding members and supporters toward impactful projects.

The four priorities of the Action Plan serve as tools to help clubs overcome challenges, seize new opportunities, and advance their initiatives:

- Priority 1: Increase Our Impact People of Action make evidence-based decisions.
- Priority 2: Expand Our Reach We are inclusive, engaging, compassionate, and ambitious on behalf of the world.
- Priority 3: Enhance Participant Engagement We foster meaningful relationships across generations and continents.
- Priority 4: Increase Our Ability to Adapt We embrace new perspectives and ideas to strengthen Rotary and drive lasting change.

Dr.Shivaprasad highlighted that clubs with strategic plans are more successful in engaging members. He urged all Rotarians to "Live the Action Plan."

As an example, he cited the successful execution of the Happy School Project at Belma-a global grant initiative worth US \$35,994-implemented in partnership with the Rotary Club of Auburn Hills, USA. The project included the donation of GYNEC-ONCO surgical instruments to Lady Goschen Hospital, Mangalore, and the provision of chairs and benches to the Government Primary School in Belma, Deralakatte.

The President made these announcements.

- The Rotary Club North, in collaboration with the Rotaract Club of St. Aloysius College, successfully conducted CPR training.
- 'Bale Gobbuga,' the Zonal Indoor Games, is scheduled for October 12, 2025, at Fr. Muller Indoor Sports Complex, Mangalore.
- Registration for the upcoming TRF Seminar in Puttur is now open.
- Members were reminded to complete their My Rotary registrations.

Special Guests: Past President Rtn. Anil Rao of Rotary Mangalore Hill Side encouraged all Rotarians, Anns and Annets to participate in the Zonal Indoor Games on Oct. 12, 2025. Rtn. Vasudev Shettigar, Secretary, Rotary Mangalore Hill Side was also present.

Recognition

- Rtn. Dr.Sudharshan CM served as chief guest for MANOMITRAM, a mental health program organized by the Lion's Club in collaboration with the District Mental Health Program Office and the School of Social Work, Roshani Nilaya, Mangalore.
- Rtn. Dr.Shivaprasad K delivered a radio talk on homeopathic medicine and a YouTube presentation titled "How Homeopathy Is Shaping Karnataka's Healthcare System."
- Rtn. Dr. Alwyn D'Sa was the chief guest and resource person at the CBSE Teacher-Training Program Teachers with Purpose held at Anugraha, Udupi. He led sessions on 'Classroom Communication' & 'Innovative Strategies in an Al-Dominated Context.'

Birthday Wishes: Rotarians, Anns, Annets, and Jones celebrating birthdays were honored and wished continued happiness and success.

Acknowledgments:

- Invocation: Rtn. Raghavan
- Introduction to the Chief Guest: Rtn. Mohan Nair
- Vote of Thanks: Rtn. Dr.SukeshRao

Closing: The meeting concluded with the National Anthem, followed by a fellowship dinner sponsored by Rtn. Dr.Sathish Kumar Shetty P.





Rtn.Dr.Alwyn D'Sa as the resource person at the CBSE teacher -training program,"Teachers with purpose", held at Anugraha,Udupi.Dr.D'Sa facilitated sessions on"Class room communication"&"Innovative Strategies to be adopted in an Al-Dominated Context"



'Bale Gobbuga,' Zonal Level Indoor Games at Father Muller Indoor Stadium, Kankanady, Mangalore, on October 12, 2025.



PDG KRISHNA SHETTY handing over prizes to the winners



Annet Suhana secured First place in Chess (Above 14 years)



Annet Janavi Mallya received First Prize in the Chess Competition (Below 14 years)

New beginning... People become really quite remarkable when they start thinking that they can do things. When they believe in themselves, they have the first secret of success.

- Norman Vince Peale



First prize in Shuttle badminton Doubles, Rtn Walter D'Cunna & Rtn Ganesh Hegde.



Congratulations to our club president, Rtn. Dr. Arun Kumar Shetty, for securing 2nd prize in Table Tennis singles above 60 years.



First place Table Tennis Doubles Rtn G K Udupa& Rtn Arunkumar shetty



Rtn. M. K. Subraya Prabhu was the resource person and chief guest in the Bank recruitment and test paper solving program jointly sponsored by Bank of Baroda and Vijaya Rural Development Prathishtana & Yuvavahini (R) Mangalore at Shree Gokarnanatheshwara College Mangalore.





Inauguration of Alzheimer's Day at Town Hall Mangalore

Happy Wedding Anniversary



e Rtn Subraya Prabhu & Rtn. Shambhavi Prabhu receiving Prizes in the Alzheimer's Day celebration held at Town Hall Mangalore, on September 28,2025.



Rt. Dr. Sathish Kumar Shetty P & Ann Rekhamani S. Shetty - 11th Oct.



Happy Birthday Wishes



Rtn Madhava Nayak U 10th Oct



Rtn Vijay S Rao 11th Oct



Ann Amitha Arun Shetty 11th Oct



Rtn Harish Shenoy 13th Oct



Ann Rekhamani S. Shetty 14th Oct

Annet Divya Rao, D/o Rtn. Vijaya Rao on 8 th Oct.

Annet Smitha, D/o Rtn. J. V. Shetty, 11th Oct Jone Akshay, S/o Rtn. Dr. Prakash K. E.,12th Oct

Jone Deviprasad, S/o Rtn. Bharath Kateel, 11th Oct Annet Janhavi, D/o Rtn. Prasanna Mallya, 12th Oct



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