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A Hearty Welcome to Today's Chief Guest

SMT. RAJESHWARI D. SHETTY



Smt. Rajeshwari D. Shetty is a Teen Parenting Mentor, Career Counsellor, POSH Trainer, Corporate Trainer, and Healing Practitioner, currently working as a freelancer (2025 onwards). She previously founded and led DISHA - Career Towards Excellence, a centre for counselling and training (2021-2025), after nearly two decades as a Lecturer in Statistics across reputed institutions including St. Aloysius PU College, Govinda Dasa PU College, St. Agnes PU College, and St. Philomena College .

She holds a Postgraduation in Statistics, B.Ed, and MSW in Counselling, along with certifications as a Career Counsellor, POSH Trainer, Corporate Trainer, and Hooponopono & EFT Healer .

A dynamic leader, she has served as President of JCI Surathkal (2022), First National Trainer of JCI Surathkal, and Chairperson of JCI India's Business Wing (JCOM)-2025. She is also a life member of ISTD, an active member of Lions Club Kadri Hills & Secretary of Buntara Sangha Surathkal Mahila Vedike.

Known for her master compeering in English, Kannada, and Tulu, she has conducted numerous trainings in public speaking, leadership, communication, emotional management, conflict resolution, work-life balance, and parenting. She is also a theatre artist and director of award winning short plays .

Her achievements include the Best Actress Award (1995), Best Teacher Award (2019), Outstanding Woman Award (2022), and Saadhanashree Award (2024), along with multiple recognitions for compeering and theatre direction at district and state level

She lives in Surathkal with her husband, Devendra Shetty, and is mother to Pratham (Architect) and Paarth (BBA LLB student). Her interests include reading, music, dance, and cooking .

PROGRAMME 14.04.2026 AT 07.00 PM

Chief Guest : Smt. Rajeshwari D. Shetty

Topic: Strong Roots, New Wings.

Ann & Annets invited

Dinner meeting

Next meeting 21. 04. 2026 AT 07.00 PM

Speaker meeting

Ann & Annets invited

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ROTARY CLUB WEEKLY MEETING : 7 April 2026

Topic: Environment: Cleaning Roads, Cleansing Minds, and Crafting Destiny

Welcome Address : President Rtn. Dr. M. S. Arun Kumar Shetty warmly welcomed the chief guest, Sri Ranjan Bellarpady, along with Rotarians, Anns, Annettes, and invited guests. He highlighted the importance of protecting the environment and keeping our surroundings free from pollution. He also thanked the chief guest for leading the Swachh Mangaluru Abhiyan under the guidance of Sri Ramakrishna Matha.

Presentation Summary: The chief guest explained how cleaning roads, cleansing minds, and crafting destiny are interconnected. A clean environment supports physical health, mental clarity, and a purposeful life. He emphasized that environmental stewardship builds discipline, positivity, and social responsibility.

He also spoke about the Ramakrishna Mission's initiative to respectfully collect old or worn-out photos of deities that are often left under banyan or pipal trees in temple premises. Maintaining cleanliness in sacred spaces, he said, is a shared civic duty. He appreciated the active participation of school children, NGOs, and college students in the Swachh Mangaluru Abhiyan.

Key Points from the Talk

1. Cleaning Roads (Physical Environment)

- Active Stewardship: Proper waste management, recycling, composting, and covering trash bins to prevent litter.
- Collective Action: Community-driven efforts like Swachh Bharat Abhiyan encourage responsibility toward clean public spaces.
- Environmental Impact: Clean surroundings reduce pollution, improve health, and protect natural resources.

2. Cleansing Minds (Mental and Ethical Purity)

- Connection to Surroundings: Clean spaces promote peace, clarity, and positive thinking.
- Cultivating Values: Cleanliness encourages compassion, discipline, and the removal of negative emotions.
- Mental Hygiene: Just as physical cleaning prevents disease, mental cleansing reduces stress and emotional clutter.

3. Crafting Destiny (Conscious Living and Sustainability)

- Personal Responsibility: Purity in thought and action helps individuals shape their character and future.
- Sustainable Future: Eco-friendly habits-reducing, reusing, and recycling-build a greener tomorrow.
- Positive Action: Citizens can create healthier communities through consistent, mindful environmental practices.

Announcements by the President : The club picnic at Sampige Resort, Moodabidiri, was attended by 19 members. Members were requested to contribute towards the construction of a home for the blind at Narikombu, Bantwal.

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Recognition: Rtn. B. Dinesh Kamath was elected CC member of the Canara Bank Retired Officers' Association at the triennial conference in Bangalore.

Ann. Dr. Bharathi Prakash was promoted to Associate Professor, Department of Microbiology, University College, Mangalore.

Rtn. R. M. Gogeri was honoured by Ranga Rekha Kalaa Balaga during the Vishwa Ranga Celebrations.

Rotarians, Anns, Annettes, and their family members celebrating birthdays and anniversaries were warmly greeted.

Acknowledgements and Closing : Invocation : Annet C V Suvarna, Introduction of Chief Guest: Rtn. M. K. Subraya Prabhu, Vote of Thanks: Rtn. T. G. Shenoy

The meeting concluded with the national anthem, followed by a fellowship dinner sponsored by Rtn. Ganesh Hegde




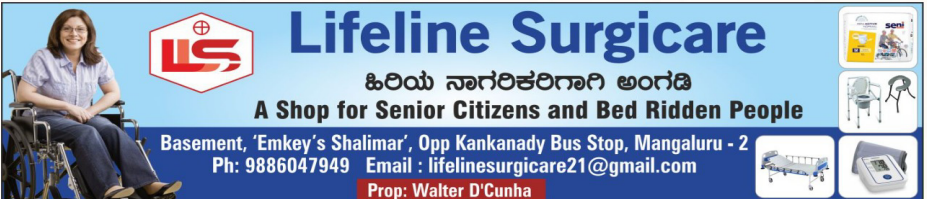
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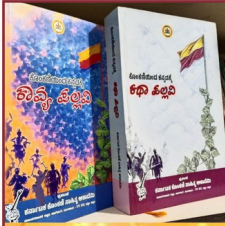
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Members are requested to donate for the construction of the residence cum training center of Sri Sharada Andhara Geetha Gayan Kala Sangha (R) at Narikombu.

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Rtn Dr. Alwyn D'Sa is the editor of *Katha Pallavi*, an anthology of Konkani short stories translated into Kannada published recently by the Karnataka Konkani Sahitya Academy.

Congratulations.....



Rtn RM Gogeri and his team at All India Radio in Mangalore were present for the recording of the Ugadi poets' gathering, which is organized by the Sauharda Sahitya Vedike.



Rtn. Dr. Shivaprasad K & Rtn. Dr. Jyoshna Shivaprasad participated in World Homoeopathy Day 2026 at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi, as a special invitee.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Rtn Dr Sudarshan M., 15th April

What you say...
Every careless word that people speak, they shall give an accounting for it on the day of judgement. For by your words, you will be justified, and by your words, you will be condemned.
 -Mathew 12:36-37



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