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PROGRAMME TODAY

AT 07.00 PM

Installation of Office Bearers 2025-26

Anns & Annets Invited Dinner Meeting

Issue No.01



A Special Welcome to our Today's Chief Guest

DR. SANJEEV RAI B.

MBBS, DCH, MD (Ped), FIAP, FAAP, MBA (HA) Consultant Pediatrician

Dr Sanjeev Rai was born at Puttur, D K Dist Karnataka, Had early education at Puttur and Mangalore

Assignments: Consultant Paediatrician ,Currently he is Senior Scientist Emeritus at Father Muller Research Center, Mangalore

He was Chief of Research, Father Muller Research Center, Chief of Medical Services, Father Muller Institutions, Dean, Father Muller Medical College, Professor & Head of Pediatrics, Father Muller Medical College

He also worked as Unit Head of Pediatrics, Kasturba Medical College, Visiting Fellow, Loma Linda University, USA & Royal Children's Hospital, Australia

He was Conferred Professor Emeritus by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences Research & Publications:

Investigator for projects by WHO, CSIR, ICMR, DST, and others (Grants over 3 Crores)
He Guided 70+ PG and PhD theses and Published 100+ scientific papers
He is Co-holder of two medical device patents.

He was Awarded Dr. T M A Pai Gold Medal for Best Researcher

- * Lifetime Achievement Award by IAPK
- * Member of UPSC Selection Committee and Inspector for MCI and NBE
- * Past President of IAP Karnataka and IMA Dakshina Kannada

Rotary assignments:

- * Past Rotarian of the Rotary Club of Mangalore North for more than 25 years
- * Held several positions in various committees in the R I District 3180.
- * Organized Two District conferences of RI 3180.
- * Served as 3 H volunteer in the Vietnam Refugee camp in the Philippines
- * Paul Harris Fellow.
- * Received Vocational Excellence Award by Rotary Mangalore North.
- * Past President of Indo-German Association.
- * Project Director, World Bunt Foundation.
- * Member of Many Social and Philanthropic societies

 Married to Mrs. Dayavathi Rai, Homemaker. Blessed with three children

Dr. Rakesh. Rai, working in Sydney, Australia as an intensivist. Er. Rashmi Shetty works at Infosys and Er. Rithesh Rai works at Bangalore in IBM.

NEXT WEEK 08.07.2025 AT 07.30 PM

Plans & Targets

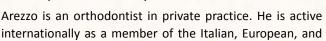
Anns & Annets Invited

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RTN. FRANCESCO AREZZO,

R. I. President 2025-26.

Francesco Arezzo, a member of the Rotary Club of Ragusa, Italy, has been selected by the Board of Directors to become Rotary International's president for 2025-26. Arezzo will become president on 1 July.



American orthodontics associations. He is vice president of the National Association of Italian Dentists for the province of Ragusa and was the founder and head for seven years of the delegation for Ragusa of the National Trust for Italy. He is a Knight of Honor and Devotion in Obedience within the Sovereign Order of Malta.

A Rotary member for more than 30 years, Arezzo has served as vice chair of the Joint Strategic Planning Committee and as RI director, learning facilitator, and as district conference presidential representative.

Arezzo is a Benefactor of The Rotary Foundation. He is married to Anna Maria Criscione, an entrepreneur in the tourism field. They have two children.

RTN P K RAMAKRISHNA (RTN RAMKI) District Governor 3181 – 2025-26

- Born on December 23, 1952, in Oorgaum, Kolar Gold Fields (KGF)
- Holds an M.Sc. in Organic Chemistry from the University of Mysore
- Began career at CECRI, contributing to the Indian Air Force's SARAH project on Mercuric oxide button batteries
- Worked at Sunanda Aromatic Industries before turning entrepreneur
- Founded FLOWERSYNTH in 1981, producing over 100 fragrance ingredients
- Life member of FAFAI; Partner at Well-Bloom Agro Products
- Director at Regain Biotechnologies
- Member of Rotary Mysore Mid-Town since 1986
- Served as Club President (1995-96) and Assistant Governor (2000-01)
- Became a Major Donor in 2011
- Held key district roles, including Chairman, District Grants Sub-Committee
- Recipient of the 4-Avenue Service Award
- Interests: Meditation, Reading, Research, Fragrances, and NLP integration

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Rtn. CA SHANTHARAM SHETTY

Asst. Governor (Zone II) 2025-26.

Hailing from a humble farming background in Karkunje village, Kundapur, Rtn. Shantharam Shetty overcame early challenges to become a Chartered Accountant and founded his own firm, Shantharam Shetty & Co., in Bejai.

His leadership journey began as Secretary of the Southern India Chartered Accountants Students Association (1993–94). In Rotary,



he has served with distinction as Secretary (2005–06) and President (2014–15) of Rotary Club Mangalore East, and currently serves as Assistant Governor 2025-26. He has contributed significantly to membership growth, foundation activities, and was awarded the Presidential Citation in 2015–16.

Beyond Rotary, he has played a pivotal role in the Indian Red Cross as literary District Chairman and State Managing Committee Member. Under his leadership Mangalore Branch got multiple state level awards and recognition for blood donation and humanitarian service. He holds key roles in the BJP's Economic Cell. Further he leads in religious and social activities like Ganeshotsava celebrations and ABVP conferences. He has presided over the Akhila Bharatiya Sahitya Parishad State Conference.

He has been honored widely such as: Karnataka Rajyotsava Award – 2022; International Iconic Award – 2025 from Asianet Suvarna News;

Most remarkably, he has had the privilege to interact and work alongside some of India's most eminent personalities including the Hon'ble President Shri Ram Nath Kovind, Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, Finance Minister Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman & Smt. Sudha Murthy. He is supported by his wife Mrs. Rashmi and daughter Ishani, a B.Com student in Mangalore.

RTN. GANESH KRISHNA BHAT,

Zonal lieutenant for Zone-2

Born in Mangalore in 1957, Rtn PHF Belthangady Ganesh Krishna Bhat completed his schooling at Kendriya Vidyalaya, Panambur, Graduate in economics and financial management from SDM College, Ujire. He began his career with the State Bank of India, serving for 7 years. He then joined NIIT in Rajajinagar, Bangalore, where he served as center head for seven years. Later, he accepted



an opportunity with UAE Exchange in Kuwait, working as a dealer and managing global remittances for 14 years.

After his retirement, Rtn. Bhat returned to Mangalore and joined the management of Besant Group of Institutions, where he currently serves as the correspondent of the Kannada Medium School. He joined the Rotary Club of Mangalore North thereafter, during the COVID-19 period. His contributions to Rotary have been noteworthy-he served as secretary in 2021-22 and president in 2023-24 and is now designated as zonal lieutenant for Zone-2 for the Rotary Year 2025-26.

A devoted family man, he is blessed with a daughter, Dr. Medha, and a son, Rtn. Vikas Bhat, a mechanical engineer.

"Train your mind to see good in everything. Positivity is a choice. The happiness of your life depends on the quality of your thoughts"

A satisfied life is better than a successful life because our success is measured by others. But our satisfaction is measured by our own soul, mind, and heart.

ROTARY LEADERS 2025-26



Francesco Arezzo RI PRESIDENT



Ramakrishna P. K. **District Governor** R I Dist 3181



Shantharam Shetty Asst. Governor



Ganesh Krishna Bhat Zonal Lieutenant

ROTARY NORTH TEAM 2025-26



Dr Arun Kumar Shetty President



Mohan Nair Imm Past President



Dr Sudarshan M Shambavi Prabhu Vice President



Secretary



J V Shetty Treasurer Chairman: Yoga



PDG K Krishna Shetty Joint Secretary, Chairman Rotary Balbhavan, Foundation TRF



K Ajith Rao Joint Treasurer



Sudarshan Nayak Subraya Prabhu President Elect. Club Service-I



Director: Club Service-II



Dr Shivaprasad K Director: Community Service, Service Project Chair



Vishwanath M. Shetty Director: International Service



Dr K E Prakash Director: Vocational Service



Rajesh Baliga Director: Youth Service



Dr Sukesh Rao Sergeant-at-Arms Chairman: Adiction/Deadiction



Dr P Sathish **Kumar Shetty Bulletin Editor**



Dr Alwyn D'Sa Nominated Trustee



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Vasanth Anchan Chairman: Website



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Dinesh Kumar A B Chairman: Food & Fellowship



Neetha Rai Chairman: **Cultural Activities**



Chairman: Sports



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Raghavan Chairman: **RCC**



Vijaya Rao S Chairman: Pluse Polio



T G Shenoy Chairman: Rotary Friendship Exchange & Fellowship



Madhav Nayak Chairman: Vocational Awards



Suraj Kotian Chairman: Vocational Service/ Youth Contact Chair Carrier Guidance



Saiith K Chairman:



Pundalika Shenov Chairman: Rotaract



Jayavarma Hegde Chairman: Intertact



Krishnaprasad Rai RAHYLA



Kanchana Devi Chairman: Youth Awards



Lohidas Chairman: Carrier Guidance



Lawrence J M Chairman: TEACH

Rotary Club Year-End Thanksgiving Program Highlights

The president, Mohan Nair called the meeting to order and in his address expressed his deepest gratitude to each and every Rotarian who has contributed to our club's success and touched upon the member's dedication, passion, and commitment to service that have made a tangible impact in our community.

The President fondly reflected on his journey with the Rotary Club, which began in 2016 at the instance and invitation of the club when K Venugopal was Past President and as secretary when Rtn. Prasanna Mallva and now President at the instance of several of our Rotarians especially PDG krishna Shetty. who extended unwavering support and guidance that eased the burden of responsibilities throughout his term. He also



acknowledged the invaluable help and encouragement of several other members. Special mention was made on Zone 2 AG and our member Rtn. Vishwanath Shetty, Club Secretary Rtn. Sudharshan Nayak, Dist. Secretary Rtn. Dr. Shivaprasad, Rtn. JV Shetty, Rtn. Prabha Adhikari, Rtn. Shambhavi Prabhu, Rtn. Dr. K.E. Prakash, Rtn. Ajith Rao, Rtn. Dr. Raghuveer, and Anns, Chitra Rao etc., for their wholehearted and unforgettable support throughout the year. He pointed out the fact that the club with everybody's support successfully completed over 37 projects which benefited around 2,600 individuals. Key accomplishments for the Rotary year 2024–25 included District projects such as RAYLA program for students, RLII & II training, 60-day yoga camp, Online WEB seminar for awareness Dementia, Medical camp at Polali for Rural Women, Incinerator at Women's Nursing school, Happy school at Deralakatte Primary school at a cost of over three lakhs with generous and exclusive contribution from our member Rtn. Shivaprasad etc.

The club also implemented a district grant project by donating a specialised treadmill to Divyang inmates/students of Adamya Chethana Palana Kendra in Montepadavu (a Seva Bharathi Mangalore initiative).

The club for the first time in its over 55 years of existence got sanctioned a global grant project in association with Auburns Hills club Canada, worth over ?33 lakhs to supply ONCO medical equipment for Government Lady Goschen Hospital in Mangalore, among others which is in the advanced stage of implementation.

He highlighted the passion and energy that have no doubt made a tangible impact and all our above efforts have now resulted in our club getting several awards including the coveted "Diamond Plus award" this Rotary year!!. Our Annual Fund and Polio Fund contributions have also reached all-time record numbers, at US\$12406/- and US\$ 1008/- respectively thanks to members generosity and perseverance taking the total giving from our club this year to an all time record level of US\$13404/-.(Previous record US\$ 8990/- during Rotary year 2020-21). He thanked all the members and pointed out that these contributions will significantly impact lives globally. As per Paul Harris Society awards criteria our club would be getting a unique and coveted "Platinum Award" of 100 % members with a minimum contribution of US\$25/- with a per capita contribution of over US\$ 200/-!!!.

He called upon all the members to carry this momentum forward by offering all round support for the new team and continue making a difference by breaking the past records and creating new ones not only by generously contributing and also by finding new avenues of community projects and implementing the same with renewed vigour with a single point Rotary's motto, "Service Above Self,"

In his remarks, Bulletin Editor Rtn. Ajith Rao reflected on his five year editorial tenure from 2020–21 to 2024–25,. He shared that though the role of editor, which requires utmost perseverance and patience, offered great satisfaction to him and helped him remain closely connected to the club's activities. He credited his achievements to the steadfast support of all the rotations and his spouse, Ann Ms. Geetha Rao.

The president also thanked all the members who contributed to the TRF/Polio Funds and Club honored the major donors for the Rotary year namely Rtn. Vishwanath Shetty, Rtn. Dr. Shivaprasad, Rtn. Sudharshan Nayak, and RTN. K E Prakash, Rtn. Mohan Nair and Rtn. Sajith K.

Rotarians viz. Madhav Nayak, T.G. Shenoy, Ajith Rao, Ms. Shambhavi Prabhu, K E Prakash, J V Shetty, Mr. Subhraya Prabhu, and Mr. Mohan Nair were honoured for achieving 90% attendance; and Anns Ms. Shanthi Nair, Ms. Geetha Rao, Ms. Rekha Mohan, Ms. Sumathi Shenoy, and Ms. Geetha Shetty were honoured for meeting 75% attendance. Also spoke on the occasion PDG Krishna Shetty and Major Donor Rtn Dr. K Shivaprasad on the various activities of the Rotary year.

The president elect informed Dr. Sanjeev Rai has been inducted as honorary member of the club who would be inducting the new office bearers on 1st of July and requested the club members to attend the inaugural function in large numbers and further sought all round support for the next year's programs and Projects.

Earlier, the invocation was delivered by Ann Geetha Rao, and the Vote of Thanks was proposed by Secretary Rtn. Sudharshan Nayak.



Unite for Good - Rotary Message 2025

The Rotary International theme for 2025," Unite For Good", calls upon Rotarians around the globe to come together in fellowship, service, and compassion. It is a powerful reminder that meaningful change is only possible when individuals unite with a common purpose-to do good in the world.



In a time marked by global challenges such as climate change,

inequality, health crises, and conflicts, the Rotary movement encourages its members to rise above differences of nationality, religion, and politics." Unite for Good" reflects Rotary's core values- service, diversity, integrity, leadership, and fellowship- while also emphasizing collaboration beyond boundaries.

Whether it's through local community service projects, international humanitarian efforts, or supporting Rotary's flagship program to end polio, the theme inspires Rotarians to join hands, strengthen partnerships, and build bridges of understanding and peace. It reminds us that even the smallest acts of kindness, when multiplied by millions of members worldwide, can lead to lasting impact.

As we move forward in 2025, "Unite for Good" is not just a slogan- it is a call to action. A call to every Rotarian to embrace unity, lead by example, and work together to create a more just, healthy, and hopeful world.

No respect for fellow being - No Rotary

Everyone loves one's own friends, kith and kin but it is to be seen how our behaviour is when we meet people we do not know. Definition of a gentleman is determined by his conduct towards people he has not met earlier or is not likely to meet again. And a Rotarian has got to be a gentleman or in true sense, a lady. If we are driving a car and there is a puddle of water and unmindful of the pedestrians we just go through the puddle, splash the water on the pedestrians or the cyclists, there is nothing that will harm us. But think if there is a Rotary wheel on your car and the person looks at that Rotary wheel, what impression that pedestrian and that cyclist will have of Rotary. Please do not forget that you provide the image of Rotary to the non-Rotary world. You have that responsibility and if you can't bear that, there would be no Rotary.

How you respect your colleagues whether in Rotary or outside will determine how much we have Rotary within us. -Rajendra K Saboo

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS -

Jone Rishabh Neetha Rai, 25th June Jone Viaansh Vikas N Bhat, 26th June Jone Pracheth Raghuveer, 30th June Jone Deviprasad Vishwanath Shetty, 1st July "When pain, misery, or anger happens, it is time to look within you, not around you."





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