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A Hearty Welcome to our Today's Chief Guest

Rtn. P. V. RAI

**MD & CEO, Pixel Softek Pvt. Ltd.,
Bangalore**

Rtn. P. V. Rai is a mechanical engineer from Mysore University, with a postgraduate diploma in computer applications from NITIE (now IIM Mumbai) and a master's in business management

from Jamnalal Bajaj Institute of Management Studies, Mumbai.

He is the founder and managing director of Pixel Softek Pvt Ltd, a company specializing in GIS, fiber optics/broadband network design, and asset mapping, serving international markets through its subsidiary, Pixel Softek Inc., USA.

Pixel Softek was ranked No. 1 among India's Top Performing MSMEs by The Economic Times in 2021 and won the India SME 100 Award and the Rotary National CSR Award in 2025.

With over 25 years of executive experience, Mr. Rai has a proven track record of driving sales growth in both international and domestic markets, particularly in the technology sector. His expertise includes corporate governance, strategic planning & implementation, and enterprise management.

A member of Rotary Bangalore Vijayanagar for 28 years, Mr. Rai served as Club President in 2007-08 and later held several senior district leadership roles, including Assistant Governor, District Director, District Secretary, Zone Governor, and District Conference Chairman.



PROGRAMME 24.01.2026 AT 07.00 PM
**Inter District Joint Meeting of RC Mangalore North
& RC Vijayanagar, Bangalore**

Chief Guest : **Rtn. P. V. RAI**

Guest of Honor : **Rtn. Dr. Sanjeev Rai B.**
Ann & Annets invited Dinner Meeting

Next meeting. 03. 02. 2026 AT 07.00 PM

Brave Heart Awards

Chief Guest: **Rtn. Major General M.V. Bhat**

Ann & Annets invited

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

About Rotary Club Vijayanagara, Bangalore

Formed in the year 1986, RBV is today a 39-year-old club rendering yeoman service in the fields of vocational service, club service, community service, youth service, and international service. Rotarians have been serving society with meaningful community projects in their immediate surroundings and in the neighbouring districts as well as internationally. RBV has the sparkling mix of professionals with a judicious mix of seasoned Rotarians along with budding ones renowned for some of the trailblazing projects impacting and uplifting the community at large. Fellowship and bonhomie are the standout features of the club.

President : **Rtn. Sudharshan Reddy**

Secretary : **Rtn. Sudhir Krishnamurthy**

Date of Provisional Inauguration : **27th December 1986**

Date of Charter Presentation : **11th February 1987 / 10th April 1987**

Meeting day / Time : **Wednesday 7.00 p.m.**

Meeting Place : **Vijayanagara Club, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, Bengaluru - 40**

Charter Membership : **35**

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Induction of A new member to the Club :-
Dr. M. Jayakara Bhandary



Dr. M. Jayakara Bhandary, Professor of Botany and Principal of Dr. P. Dayananda Pai-P. Sathish Pai Government First Grade College, Mangalore, holds M.Sc., M.Phil., and Ph.D. degrees in Applied Botany from Mangalore University. With a career spanning research fellowships under CSIR-DST and teaching positions across St. Aloysius College, Mangalore, and Government College, Karwar, he has also served in key academic administrative roles. He led Carstreet Government College to NAAC A Grade accreditation and has authored books, translated works on biodiversity, published over 150 popular science articles, and delivered around 60 invited talks. He has contributed as an expert member of the Karnataka State Biodiversity Board and the Western Ghats Task Force, and is also a trained HRD facilitator.



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Proceedings of the Rotary Club Weekly Meeting - January 20, 2026

Agenda : Vocational Service Award Function

Welcome : President Rtn. Dr. M. S. Arun Kumar Shetty welcomed the chief guest, Rotarians, invitees, Anns, Annets, and guests.

Induction of a New Member : Dr. M. JayakaraBhandary, Principal, P. Dayanand Pai-P. Sathish Pai GFGC, Car Street, Mangalore, was inducted into RC Mangalore North by PDG K. Krishna Shetty in the presence of club office-bearers and his family. Rtn. Dr. K. E. Prakash introduced him to the gathering.

Felicitation and Presentation of Vocational Service Awards : Rtn. PDG K. Krishna Shetty, along with the President and office-bearers, presented the Vocational Service Awards to:

Sri MallikarjunBiradar, Sub Inspector, Kavoor Police Station

Smt. V. J. Bincy Mol, Nursing Officer, Lady Goschen Hospital

Sri Thirthesh A. S., Platoon Commander, Home Guards, Kadaba Unit

Sri Chandrahasa R. Salian, Leading Fireman, Kadri Fire Station

Sri Shashikanth K. Bhat, Senior Driver, KSRTC, Mangalore Division

Reply to Felicitation : Awardees Smt.V.J. Bincy Mol, Sri MallikarjunBiradar, and Sri Chandrahasa R. Salian expressed their gratitude for being honoured and briefly shared their professional experiences.

Address by the Chief Guest : Chief Guest Smt. Najma Farooqi, Assistant Commissioner of Police Traffic Sub-division, Mangalore City appreciated the club's initiative to recognize professionals from diverse fields. **Key points from her address:**

- The awards celebrate not only professional skill but also integrity, dedication, and ethical conduct.
- True excellence lies in honesty, fairness, and service to the community.
- The awardees exemplify the values of the Rotary Four Way Test.
- Every vocation-whether police, nursing, home guards, or public transport-has the power to uplift society.
- She encouraged Rotarians to follow traffic safety rules and volunteer as Weekend Traffic Wardens to support the police.

Announcements by the President

- The District Conference "Sneha Sourabha" will be held in Mysore from January 30 - February 1, 2026. Eighteen members have registered.
- Ride for Rotary at AJ Grand Elite, Yekkur in January 17, 2026 saw participation from 28 Rotarians.
- The next regular meeting will be held on January 24, 2026, instead of January 27, due to the CSR project inauguration and a joint meeting with RC Vijayanagara, Bangalore.

Member Recognition

- Rtn. Sudharshan Nayak contributed \$100 to RI TRF.
- Rtn. Jayaram Shetty, Past President of RC Mangalore East, attended the meeting.

Birthday & Anniversary Wishes : Rotarians, Anns, Annets, and families celebrating birthdays and anniversaries were greeted with warm wishes.

Acknowledgments

- Invocation: Ann. Chitra Rao
- Introduction: Rtn. Dr. Jyoshna Shivaprasad
- Introduction of Awardees: Rtn. Dr. Sathish Kumar Shetty P.
- Vote of Thanks: Rtn. M. K. SubrayaPrabhu

Closing : The meeting concluded with a fellowship dinner sponsored by the club.



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Felicitation and Presentation of Vocational Service Awards

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Annet Riya Neetha Rai, 22nd Jan



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