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Hearty Welcome to our Today's Chief Guest

REV. FR. PETER GONSALVES

Principal St. Lawrence English Medium
School, Bondel.

He is from Kakkada, Kadaba Tq. He had his primary education from St John the Baptist Hr primary school kakkada and High School education from Govt High school Kakkada. P. U. C. from St Aloysius College Mangalore and B. A. from SDM College Ujire. He had Philosophy and Theology Education from St Joseph's inter diocesan Seminary Jeppu Mangalore(Affiliated to university of Urbana). Later he did B. Ed. from Srinivas College of Education Pandeshwar.

He had Ministry service from 2014 to 2018: Assistant director at Saint Anthony charity institution Jeppu, Mangalore.

2018 to 2019: Parish Priest of Holy Cross Church Bellare and teaching faculty at St Philomena's school Puttur.

2019 to 2021: Parish Priest of Saint John Mary Vianney Church Bambil and Principal of Loreto English Medium School. Loreto.

2021 onwards: Principal of St Lawrence English Medium School Bondel Mangalore and associate priest at Bondel church.

Dear Rotarians, Ann's and Annets,

The installation Ceremony of the Interact Club of Bokapatna Govt School would be done on Friday, the 19th of July 2024 at 3.00 PM.

The installation officer is Assistant Governor Rtn. PHF Vishwanath M. Shetty.

All are cordially invited

Mohan Nair, President

PROGRAMME TODAY AT 07.00 PM

Chief Guest : **Rev. Fr. Peter Gonsalves**

Topic: **Service Above Self.**

Ann's & Annets Invited

Dinner Meeting

Speaker meeting

Ann's & Annets Invited

Dinner Meeting

RI President 's Message for July 2024. TOWARD A GREATER VISION

Rotary is at its best when we foster a sense of inclusion and belonging in our clubs. In fact, I would go so far as to say that belonging is The Magic of Rotary itself.

With a focus on inclusivity and belonging, it is easier to be united in a common purpose. When we are committed to one another and focused on our goals, we are most effective.

Rotary's Action Plan can help. The Action Plan comes with tools you can use to collect feedback, assess your club's strengths and weaknesses, and address challenges.

The world is changing, and our clubs can't afford stand still. But the changes we make need to be consistent and strategic building on one another toward a greater vision. The Action Plan can help you work toward that vision and create effective change within your club. Following the Action Plan and addressing suggestions from the community will go a long way to fostering the sense of belonging we want all Rotary members to feel in their clubs. That's why expanding our commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion is so important.

Committing ourselves to each other's well-being is the first step to expanding our reach, allowing us to spread Positive Peace in these troubled times.

Peacebuilding is one of our top priorities, and one of the most effective ways we can build peace is with our Rotary Peace Fellowships, through which peace and development professionals learn how to prevent and end conflict.

We offer the fellowships through our Rotary Peace Centers at leading universities around the globe. Where more than 1,800 Rotary Peace Fellows have graduated. And thanks to a \$15.5 million gift from the Otto and Fran Walter Foundation, we can continue supporting peacebuilders in more regions with the next peace center at Bahçesehir University in Istanbul.

Opening another peace center is a monumental achievement, and it is my great honor to invite you to celebrate at next year's Rotary Presidential Peace Conference at the Istanbul center. The three-day conference 20-22 February will highlight the many ways our family of Rotary advances peacebuilding. Registration for the conference is officially open. I hope to see you there.

The 2025 Rotary Presidential Peace Conference has great potential for our peacebuilding efforts but only if we have your support. The truth is, we're not going to bring peace to the world, end polio, or grow membership by waving a wand and saying some funny words. It's up to you. You create the magic with every project completed, every dollar donated, and every new member inducted.

I love my Rotary family and I know you do too. That's why I know that together, we can make every club and district simply irresistible. This year, let us change the world by embracing The Magic of Rotary.

STEPHANIE A. URCHICK, President, Rotary International



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Brief report of the meeting held on 10.07.2024

President Rtn. Mohan Nair welcomed and told that he is very much grieved to share about the passing away of one of our ex senior **Rotarian K. N. Alva** this morning. He said that Late K. N. Alva had gone to Belgium to be with his daughter during her pregnancy and was not well. Hence he returned to India and was hospitalised in A. J. Hospital where he breathed his last. Only a few days ago he had resigned to our club on health grounds. He was a thorough gentleman and had been in our club since 2001 and had served as Treasurer for 3 times and Director of various avenues of service. One minute condolences was done to pay homage to the departed soul. Rtn. J. V. Shetty and Rtn. T. G. Shenoy offered condolences.



There afterwards **Plans and Targets for the year 2023-24** was placed before the members by the Directors through power point presentation. Club Service Director 1 Rtn. Dr. Arun Kumar Shetty, Director 2 Rtn. Dr. Prakash K. E. Vocational Service Director Rtn. Dr. Shivaprasad Youth Service Director Rtn. Radhakrishna Rai International Service Director Rtn. Shambhavi Prabhu and Community Service Director Rtn. Prasanna Mallya. AG Rtn. Vishwanath M. Shetty congratulated the President & Directors for meticulous planning of the various targets with budgets. He informed that bringing in new members is most important and your club has already inducted 3 members Hence it may not be difficult for the President to achieve the target, he said. Further he said that the theme of Rotary this year is Rotary creates magic and hence this year magic should be done in our club to bring out spectacular results. He said that the target for the district is more than 3.5 lakh dollars. Hence from our club the target should be 10000 dollars to surpass the 8200 dollars attained during last year dollars. PDG Rtn. K. Krishna Shetty informed that during this year our club proposes to have a big project with Global Grant assistance. For that contributions from the members to the extent of 10 to 15000 dollars were required and sought the approval of the members. Members agreed for the same.

Rtn. Pundalika Shenoy rendered the invocation. Rtn. Dr. Sukesh Rao formally introduced the Chief Guest and the Secretary Rtn. Sudarshan Nayak proposed the vote of thanks.



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JULY- MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH MONTH

Maternal and child health is a significant public health issue. Together, we can end preventable deaths among all women, children and adolescents and improve their health and well-being. Today, still too many women, infants and children worldwide have little or no access to essential, quality health services and education, clean air and water, and adequate sanitation and nutrition. Maternal health means women's health during pregnancy, childbirth, and postnatal. Each stage should be a positive experience, ensuring women and their babies reach their full potential for health and well-being. Although a progress occurred in the last two decades, about 287 000 women died during and following pregnancy and childbirth in 2020. The most common direct causes of maternal injury and death are excessive blood loss, infection, high blood pressure, unsafe abortion, obstructed labour, and indirect causes such as anaemia, malaria, and heart disease. Most maternal deaths are preventable with timely management by a skilled health professional working in a supportive environment. Ending preventable maternal death must be the top priority. About 140 million births take place every year. The proportion attended by skilled health personnel has increased: from 58% in 1990 to 81% in 2019. Deaths from complications during pregnancy, childbirth, and postnatal have declined by 38% in the last two decades. However, an average reduction of just under 3% per year, this pace of progress is far too slow. It also hides vast inequalities within and across countries. More than half of maternal deaths occur in fragile and humanitarian settings. Sub-Saharan Africa and Southern Asia share the greatest burden of maternal deaths, 86% of the global total in 2017.

Rotary makes high-quality health care available to vulnerable mothers and children so they can live longer and grow stronger. To reduce this death rate, ROTARY helps to vaccinate babies, access needed medical care, and train skilled health care providers for mothers and babies-so mothers and babies can live longer and stronger. Let us from our own position expand the path of quality service to mothers and babies-so that mothers and babies everywhere in the world can have equal opportunities for a healthy and beautiful future-and thereby create a dream of a prosperous, peaceful world.

Birthday Greetings



Ann Shamala Bharath, 13th July

Annet Nikitha Santosh Soans, 13th July

Jone Shashank Alwyn D'sa, 16th July

Happy Marriage Anniversary



Rtn. Sheenappa Gowda & Ann Latha

10th July



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