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Special Welcome to **Today's Chief Guest** 

**PDG MPHF** RTN DR.(Prof.) B. DEVDAS RAI Consultant Physician and HOD Dept.General Medicine

K. I. M. S., Natekal, Mangalore.

He was President of Indian Medical Association 2005-06. President of Association of Physician's of India D. K. Branch 2002-03.

He joined Rotary Club of Moodabidri in 1992. After he moved to Mangalore he joined the Rotary Club of Mangalore Central in 1995 where he became the President in 1998-99. During his Presidentship, the club scaled newer heights and achieved may milestones.

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At the district level, he has served RID 3180 and 3181 in several capacities. He was the Chairman of several RI Dist. Committees (Polio, Rotaract, Interact, District Projects, Sports, Vocational training team). He was a member of the DGNNC in 2003-04. He served as the RID 3180 Governor in the year 2012-13 covering 134 clubs in D. K., Udupi, Shimoga, Chikmagalur,, Hasan, Kodagu, Mysore & Chamarajanagar districts. Post Governorship, he has been active in the District and the Club. He has served the District as Trainer, Counsellor and Youth Service Director. He has been conducting a RID 3181 Rotary awareness Quiz since 17 years.

Community Service rendered and achievements: In the year 1999 organized a Rotary - consumex Karavali Utsay in Karavali Grounds and donated the entire surplus funds of Rs. 10,00,000/-(Ten Lakhs) to the Dist Administration for construction of Science and Space at Pilikula. He has Conducted several Medical Camps Blood Donation Camps, Eve Camps, Dental Health Check up Camps and Conducted Diabetes Detection drive, hepatitis B. immunization drive, Cleft Lip Surgery Project, Pulse Polio immunization drive etc. A sum of 1.72 Lakh Dollars @ Rs. 70/- Rs. 1,20,40,000/- was donated to Rotary Foundation (India) during his Rotary Governorship for the Rotary Community Services projects in the Country.

Awards Conferred: Karnataka Zilla Rajyostava Award-for Medical Service -2004. Aryabata State Award Bengaluru for Medical Service-2003. Karnataka Rajyostava Award Instituted by 2 fortnightly Magazine Sumasaurabha and Hradayavahini for Medical Service-2003. Sadhana Award by Mangala Kannada Weekly Magazine - for Medical Service - 2005. He was conferred the Rotary International Chicakgo U.S.A. "Service Above Self" Award for Community Service-2021. R.I. Dist. 3180 Annual Award for Best Rotaract Club Chairman for 5 times.

Indian Medical Association (I.M.A. D.K.) "Doctors Day Award" for medical service-2015. Karnataka State I.M.A. Award for outstanding Medical Services-2008.

Happily married to Dr. (Prof) Supriya Rai, Consultant Gynaecologist, Dept. Gynaecology K.S.H.E.M.A. Deralakatte.

**NEXT WEEK** 

AT 07.00 PM PROGRAMME TODAY

Chief Guest: RTN DR. B. DEVDAS RAI PDG Dist. 3181

Topic :Rotary Fellowship - A Catalyst for Membership Growth Anns & Annets Invited Dinner Meeting

Anns & Annets Invited

Speaker meeting

12.08.2025

AT 07.00 PM

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

Proceedings of the Rotary Club weekly meetinon July 29, 2025. Theme: 'Our Traditions & Culture' Welcome: At the beginning of the program, President of the Club Rtn. M.S. Arun Kumar Shetty welcomed

the chief guest, Rotarians, Anns, Annettes, and the guests.

He highlighted the significance of these traditions in the Indian context.

Presentation Summary: Rtn. PDG K. Krishna Shetty, in his address, highlighted the importance of the Indian culture and traditions, which are proved rich in terms of values and scientifically much more advanced than the so-called advanced countries of the world. He, in his address, spoke about the tradition of greeting each other with folded hands, which will be remembered for a long time. So also the traditions like throwing coins to the river, putting Tilak on the forehead, bells in the temple to keep the evil spirits away from a person and to get concentration, applying Mehendi, sitting on the floor with Sukhasana posture to have food, avoid sleeping with the face directed towards north, piercing the ear and nose with steds, Surya Namaskar, fasting at least once in a month, touching the feet of the elderly persons, wearing sindoor by the married women on the fore head, worshipping the Pippal tree and taking pradakshina to the Pippal and Baniyan tree, growing the Tulasi plant in the portals of the compound, wearing bangles, visiting the temples will increase the positive energy in a person and will help a person to live happily and lead a contented life which is not told and practiced in any one of the cultural traditions except the Indian culture.

Announcements: President of the club, Dr. M. S. Arun Kumar Shetty, announced in the house about the achievement of Remona Evette Pereira, who has won the Golden Book record by performing the classical dance for more than 170 hours without a break. Her exceptional talent was spotted by our club back in 2022, and she was honored with the prestigious Young Achievers Award. Remonas journey is an inspiration, and we are delighted to have been a small part of it.

Rtn. Dr. Shivaprasad K was congratulated for receiving the Avenues of Service Award by Rotary International. Rtn. Ramanand Pai was congratulated for winning the photography prize in the photography competition held at Vijayapura under the auspices of the Vijayapura Photographers Association.

Upcoming Programs: The inauguration & installation of the Rotaract Club, St. Aloysius, will be held on August 1, 2025, at St. Aloysius College in the Sanidhya Hall at 2.30 pm. Rtn. PDG K. Krishna Shetty will be the chief guest for the function.

The inauguration and installation of the Interact Club of St. Lawrence English Medium High School will be held on August 6, 2025.

RAHLA 2025 will be held on Sept 14, 2025, at Rotary Balabhavan under the leadership of Rtn. Dr. K. E. Prakash. Other Activities: An MOU was signed between the Rotary Club North and Sri Devi Institute of Technology to have joint programs in the future, represented by the president of the club, Dr. MS Arun Kumar Shetty, and the principal of the college, Rtn. Dr. K. E. Prakash, and Dr. Gayathri B.J, faculty of the college.

Rtn.PDG K. Krishna Shetty will be the chief guest for the Thatastu Program on July 31, 2025, at Sridevi Institute of Technology, Kenjar.

House recognized the presence of Dr. Prathibha Salian-Miss India Fitness Crown

Dr. Gayathri B.J, HOD, Dept of MBA, Sri Devi Institute of Technology, Kenjar

Dr. Thilak and Mrs. Thilak, a surgeon at the medical college and a potential member

Mr. Rtr. Arron Maclin Crasta, President of the Rotaract Club 2024-25, Rtr. Janhavi Kotian, President of Rotaract Club 2025-26, and Rtr. Anisha D'Souza, Secretary 2025-26

Honors: DRR Citation Award to the Rotaract Club, St. Aloysius College

Individual Award to the Secretary of the Rotaract Club, Rtr. Mark I. Mascarenhas, 2024-25

Both the awards were handed over to the president and secretary of the club.

Birthday wishes: Rtn. Diviya Rai, July 23, 2025,

Rtn. Dr. Shivaprasad, July 25, 2025, Annet Akshata Ajit Rao, July 28, 2025, Rtn. Vishwanath Shetty, July 28, 2025

Happy Marriage Anniversary : Rtn. Subraya Prabhu and Rtn. Shambhavi Prabhu, July 24, 2025

Acknowledgements: Invocation: Rtn. RM. Gogeri, Guest Introduction: Rtn. Ganesh Hegde

Vote of Thanks: Rtn. Raghavan

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## **Rotary Fellowship Groups**

In Rotary, a fellowship is a group of individuals who unite around a shared interest, profession, or recreational activity. These international groups are open to all interested participants and offer opportunities to connect, explore common passions, and enrich their Rotary experience. Key Aspects of Rotary Fellowships:

Common Interest: Fellowships are centered around specific hobbies, professions, or shared interests, such as antique automobiles, literature, or healthcare.

International Scope: Fellowships operate on a global scale, enabling members to engage with like-minded individuals worldwide.

Networking and Friendship: They promote networking, foster friendships, and encourage the exchange of ideas among members.

Service Opportunities: Fellowships also serve as platforms for collaborative service projects related to their particular interests.

**Independent Operation:** Although recognized by Rotary International, fellowships function independently and are self-sustaining.

No Religious or Political Affiliation: Fellowships are strictly non-religious and non-political in nature.

**Examples:** Popular fellowships include those focused on 4x4 vehicles, urban gardening, and various professional sectors.

Rotary Peace Fellowships: In addition to interest-based fellowships, Rotary offers Peace Fellowships, which are prestigious and highly competitive awards for individuals pursuing careers in peace & conflict resolution. These fellowships provide financial support for master's degree programs or professional development certificates in peace studies & related fields. Each year, Rotary awards up to 130 fully funded fellowships to dedicated leaders from around the globe to study at one of its peace centers. Through academic training, field experience, and global networking, the Rotary Peace Centers program equips peace and development

the globe to study at one of its peace centers. Through academic training, field experience, and global networking, the Rotary Peace Centers program equips peace and development professionals to become effective agents of change. The fellowships cover tuition and fees, room and board, round-trip transportation, and expenses for internships and field studies. Since the program's inception in 2002, Rotary Peace Centers have trained over 1,800 fellows

who now serve in more than 140 countries. These individuals work as leaders in government, NGOs, educational and research institutions, peacekeeping and law enforcement agencies, and international organizations such as the United Nations and the World Bank.



MoU between Shree Devi Institute of Technology and Rotary Club of Mangalore North





TATAASTU-25- Rtn PDG K Krishna Shetty as the Chief Guest at Sridevi Institute of Technology, Kenjar



Our member JV Shetty at Tulu Koota .

Inauguration of Interact Club and Vana Mahotsava at Karnataka Public School, Muttur

## Happy Birthday Wishes



Ann Shakunthala K Shetty, 31st July

Annet Shruthi Dr. Sathish Shetty, 31st July







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