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New Generation Service

### District Projects

Clean Environment for Good  
Health

Awareness to Road Safety

Education with Legal Awareness

Go Green and Save Water

### THE 4-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do

- Is it the TRUTH ?

- Is it FAIR to all concerned ?

- Will it build GOODWILL and  
BETTER FRIENDSHIPS ?

- Will it be BENEFICIAL to all  
concerned ?

### Rotary Club Manipal :

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> December 2025

Rotary Hall, Manipal

**Theme:** New Year Celebration

**Meeting Co-ordinator:** Rtn. Jaivittal,

**Games Coordinators:**

Rtn. Farida Uppin & Rtn. Subhash Bangera

**No. of Participants:** 40

### Club Service



### Overview

The Rotary Club of Manipal celebrated the New Year on 30 December 2025 with a lively fellowship meeting that combined reflection and recreation. The evening featured a video presentation highlighting the club's service projects from July to December 2025, followed by games, music, and festive activities involving members and their families. The celebration reinforced camaraderie, fellowship, and a shared commitment to service as the club welcomed 2026 with renewed enthusiasm.

The Rotary Club of Manipal hosted a vibrant New Year Celebratory Meeting on 30 December 2025 at Rotary Hall, Manipal, marking the close of an eventful year and welcoming 2026 with warmth and camaraderie. The meeting was called to order and the gathering formally welcomed by President Rtn. Shashikala Rajavarma.



The celebrations commenced with a symbolic cake-cutting ceremony by the Johns and Annettes of the Club, joined by PDG Rtn. Dr. Jayagowri, the President, Secretary, and host Rtn. Jaivittal K S, setting a joyful and inclusive tone for the evening. Rtn. Divyashree presented the Thought for the Day, inspiring members as they reflected on service and fellowship.

A special highlight of the evening was a video presentation showcasing the projects executed during the first six months of the Rotary year (July–December 2025), presented by the President.

The compilation was warmly appreciated by members, serving as a moment of pride and reflection on the club's impactful service initiatives.

The formal proceedings seamlessly transitioned into a fun-filled celebration with engaging team games organized by Rtn. Farida Uppin and Rtn. Subhash Bangera. Activities such as Secret Santa and Standing Musical Chair fostered laughter, bonding, and team spirit among members and their families. The evening was further enlivened by lively dance sessions, music, and melodious performances by Rtn. Rohit Shetty, which added energy and cheer to the celebration.

Members and their families danced, laughed, exchanged gifts, and shared memorable moments as they bid farewell to 2025 and welcomed the New Year 2026 in high spirits. The evening stood as a testament to the strong fellowship and vibrant culture of the Rotary Club of Manipal.

The meeting concluded with announcements and a vote of thanks by Secretary Rtn. Vanishree Rao, followed by the National Anthem and a group photograph.





## Club Service



## Community Services



27.12.2025: RC Manipal in association with Sonia Clinic conducted blood check-up camp at Sonia Clinic, Ananth Nagar, Manipal. TSH tests were done free of cost for about 50 patients.



**Thought for the Day**  
**Rtn Dr Divyashree MS**

“Every sunrise of the New year is an invitation –Not just to dream bigger, but to do better; Not just to count blessings, but to become one in someone’s life”



## New Generation Services



26.12.2025: RC Manipal in association with Craftsmantra organized a talk on “Public Amenities & my Responsibilities” by Resource Person Ms. Gayathri Upadhy, Retd. Administrative Head, MICE Computer & Life Skill Educator, at Govt. Higher Primary School, Sagrinole. Christmas celebration was conducted and Ms. Gayathri Upadhy not only conducted an educative & informative session; she also entertained the students by coming to the premises as Santa Clause and distributing cakes to children. Children enjoyed the session. The program was conducted by Youth Service additional Director Rtn. Renu Jayaram & President Rtn. Shashikala Rajavarma.



03.01.2026: RC Manipal in association with Rotaract Club of TMA Pai Polytechnic organized a Campus Cleaning Drive in MIT college premises and surrounding area. Rotaractos & Rotarians joined hands with college management and actively participated and did an excellent job in cleaning the college surroundings as well as the outside areas of the campus. This initiative helped spread awareness about cleanliness, responsibility, and teamwork. Overall, the program was successful and truly meaningful. There were around 22 Rotaractors who enthusiastically participated in the drive. The event was driven by Rtn. Jaivittal, Rtn. Col Madhav Shanbhag, Rtn. Divyashree, Rtn. Balachandra, Rtn. Vanishree Rao & President Rtn. Shashikala Rajavarma.

## Rotarians in Action



04.01.2026: Official Visit of District Governor Rtn. K Palaksha to Rotary Club of Manipal Hills was at Rotary Children's Library Hall, Manampalla, Manipal. 12 Rotarians of RC Manipal visited the event.



## Public Image



## Theme



### ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ರೋಟರಿ: ಜೈಪುರ ಕಾಲು ಜೋಡಣೆ ಉಚಿತ ತಿಬಿರ



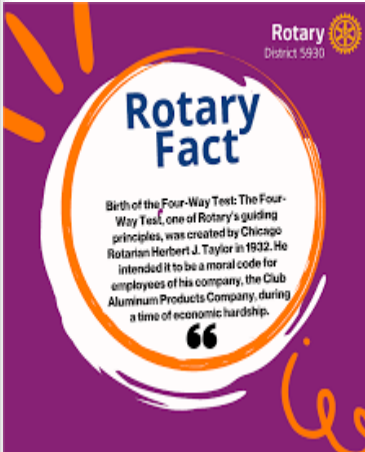
**ಮಣಿಪಾಲ, ಡಿ. 24:** ಅಪಘಾತ, ಅನಾರೋಗ್ಯ ಇತ್ಯಾದಿಗಳಿಂದ ಕಾಲು ಕಳೆದುಕೊಂಡವರಿಗೆ ಉಚಿತವಾಗಿ ಜೈಪುರ ಕಾಲು ನೀಡುವ ಸೇವೆ ಕೈಗೊಂಡಿರುವ ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ರೋಟರಿ ಕಾರ್ಯ ಅನುಕರಣೀಯ. ಸಮಾಜದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಗತ್ಯವಿರುವವರಿಗೆ ನೀಡುತ್ತಿರುವ ಈ ಸಹಾಯದಿಂದ ಫಲಾನುಭವಿಗಳು ಸ್ವಾವಲಂಬಿ ಜೀವನ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದು ಎಂದು ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಸ್ವರೂಪಾ ಬಿ.ಕೆ. ಹೇಳಿದರು.

ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ರೋಟರಿ ಕ್ಲಬ್ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ಬಿ.ಎಂ.ಐ. ಉಡುಪಿ ಕರಾಪುರ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನ ಶ್ರೀ ಭಗವಾನ್ ಮಹಾವೀರ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ ಸಹಾಯಕ ಸಮಿತಿ ಸಹರೋಗದೊಂದಿಗೆ ಮೂರು ದಿನಗಳ ಉಚಿತ ಜೈಪುರ ಕಾಲು ಜೋಡಣೆ ತಿಬಿರದ ಸಮಾರೋಹದಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿ ಅವರು ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು.

ರೋಟರಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ 3182ರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಗವರ್ನರ್ ಫಾಲಾಕ್ ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಡಾಕ್ಟರ್ ನೆಟ್ ಮುಖ್ಯಸ್ಥ ನರಸಿಂಹ ಭಟ್, ಅಮೆರಿಕ ರೋಟರಿ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಡಾ|| ವಸಂತ ಪ್ರಭು, ರೋಟರಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ 3182 ವಲಯ 4ರ ಉಪ ಗವರ್ನರ್ ಅಮಿತ್ ಅರವಿಂದ್, ರೋಟರಿ ಕ್ಲಬ್ ಮಂಗಳೂರು ಟಿಲ್ ಸೈಡ್ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಪೀಟರ್ ಆಂಟನಿ ಪಿಂಚೋ, ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ರೋಟರಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಶಶಿಕಲಾ ರಾಜವರ್ಮ, ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ ವಾಣಿಶ್ರೀ ರಾವ್, ರಾಜವರ್ಮ ಅಂಗ, ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ರೋಟರಿ ಪದಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತರಿದ್ದರು.



## Celebrations



| Birthdays   |   |
|-------------|---|
| 30-Dec      | Ann Shrimathi w/o Rtn Nagaraja Tantry               |
| 31-Dec      | Lord Nagaraja Bhat Kunjar h/o Rtn Surekha Nagaraj   |
| 01-Jan      | Rtn Vedavathi Suvarna                               |
| 01-Jan      | Lord Mercera Gowri Prasad Rao h/o Rtn Vanishree Rao |
| 01-Jan      | Annette K Krithika d/o Rtn Krishna M S              |
| Anniversary |   |
| 01-Jan      | Rtn Subhash Bangera and Ann Shwetha Bangera         |

