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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 ?

Club Service

Rotary Club Manipal

Friday 15th August 2025 | 10:00 am

Rotary Bhavan, Manipal

Theme: Independence day celebration

Speaker: Col Dr. FEA Rodrigues

Meeting Co-ordinator: Rtn. Dr Shantharam & Ann. Vijayalakshmi

No. of Participants: 60



Overview

The Rotary Club of Manipal commemorated India's 79th Independence Day with a ceremony that included the hoisting of the national flag by retired Colonel Dr. FEA Rodrigues, various speeches, and the distribution of awards. A key highlight was an essay competition on "Unite for Good" held across nine schools, with 162 participants. The event also featured a patriotic quiz, cultural performances, and the honoring of four Interact Clubs with a Rotary International Excellence Award for achieving their goals, culminating in a vote of thanks and the national anthem.

79th Independence Day was celebrated impressively by Rotary Club Manipal. The National Flag was hoisted by Col. Rtd. Dr. FEA Rodrigues. at Rotary Hall, Ananth Nagar, Manipal. President Rtn. Shashikala Rajavarma welcomed the gathering. Rtn. Vijayalakshmi Jaivittal presented the thought for the day & Rtn. Renu Jayaram presented the Rotary Information.

Essay Competition was held in all the 9 Interact Schools on the occasion of Independence Day. The topic was "Unite for Good". 162 students participated in the competition (115 in Kannada & 47 in English). All the participants were awarded with Participation Certificate. New Generation Service Director Rtn. Dr Girija A announced the winners & Prizes were distributed to the best three Essays by the Chief Guest. Also, Club Excellence Award, sent by Rotary International was handed over to the four Interact Clubs for achieving the set goals.



The chief guest was introduced by Rtn. Col. Shanthbag. Rtd. Col FEA Rodrigues was honoured on the occasion. He said that it was a great honour to serve in the Indian Defence, as a doctor and as a teacher.

he felt proud to be in all the three noblest professions. He cited few memorable experiences of his service. Quiz was conducted by Rtn. Shubha HS & Rtn. Nahusha Shetty, & the gathering enjoyed it. It was followed by Cultural Programmes. Dance by little tots of Timora Play School, Manipal for a patriotic song, was the highlight of the program. Rotarians & Family actively participated in the skit, songs & group dance. Past District Governor Dr. Gowri and Assistant Governor AG Rtn. Amit spoke on the occasion. Secretary Vanishree Rao proposed Vote of thanks. Annette Aahana Hegde and Annette Stuti Shetty were the Master of Ceremony for the Meeting. The meeting was concluded with National Anthem & Group Photo.



Club Service contd...

Independence Day Celebration



Cultural Programs



Prize distribution for Essay Competition & Club Excellence Award for Interact Clubs



Rotary Information
Rtn. Renu Jayaram

An official flag was formally adopted by Rotary International at the 1929 Convention.

Rotakids is a Rotary sponsored international service organization for children aged between 7 & 12 offering club members the opportunity to try something new, make new friends and make a difference in their community.

"Rotary My Flag My India" refers to an event organized by Rotary International in Chennai, India, on December 7, 2014, to create the world's largest human flag and set a new Guinness World Record. The event aimed to instil patriotism and national pride among youth by assembling over 50,000 volunteers to form the Indian tricolour. The event was organised by RI Dist 3230.



Thought for the day
Rtn. Vijayalakshmi Jaivithal

Peace of mind is a beautiful gift which only we can give to ourselves just by expecting nothing from anyone.



"The help Rotary gives to our community & the world is priceless! There's no better feeling in the world"

Mary E. O'Boyle
Realtor®

New Generation Service

Interact  **UNITE FOR GOOD** Rotary  MANIPAL

ROTARY CLUB OF MANIPAL
GOVT PU COLLEGE, HIGH SCHOOL
SECTION, BOARD HIGH SCHOOL, UDUPI

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NO BAG DAY

16-08-2025 2.30pm-3:30pm

**Topic : CHIT CHAT ON
HEALTH FOR
TEENAGERS**

RESOURCE PERSON :
Rtn DR GIRIJA A

Gynaecologist &
Obstetrician
SONIA CLINIC & NURSING HOME

VENUE-
BOARD HIGH SCHOOL, UDUPI



16.08.2025: Shanivara Sambrama (No Bag Day) - Interact Club of Govt. High School, Malpe, under the leadership of Pushpalatha teacher organised awareness session on Media & Internet usage. The students made kites from waste and with subject "Media and Web" and flew them as part of No Bag Day programme.

09.08.2025: Interact Club of Christ School, Manipal organised orientation for the academic year 2025-26 as the first event of the year, introducing members to the club's mission of teamwork, social responsibility and becoming global citizens. The session covered the one-year action plan and discussed ideas such as umbrella distribution awareness sessions in school, stationary distribution for government schools etc. Fun and engaging activities, including cultural coordination, Training in volunteer and the games fostered cooperation and enthusiasm among participants, setting a positive tone for the year ahead.

Public Image

ಮಗವಾಲ ರೋಟರಿ: ಯೂತ್ ಲೀಡರ್‌ಶಿಪ್ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ, ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ

ಉಪ. 15: ಮಗವಾಲ ರೋಟರಿ ಕ್ಲಬ್ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ಜುಲೈ 31-82 ರೋಟರಿ ಯುನೈಟೆಡ್ ಸರ್ವಿಸ್ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ ಪಡೆದ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ಉದ್ಘಾಟನೆ. ಕಾರಣವೇನೆಂದರೆ ರೋಟರಿ ಕ್ಲಬ್‌ನ ಉದ್ದೇಶವೇನೆಂದರೆ... ಜುಲೈ 31-82 ರೋಟರಿ ಕ್ಲಬ್‌ನ ಉದ್ದೇಶವೇನೆಂದರೆ... ಜುಲೈ 31-82 ರೋಟರಿ ಕ್ಲಬ್‌ನ ಉದ್ದೇಶವೇನೆಂದರೆ...

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Vocational Service



Honoring Col. Dr FEA Rodrigues on the occasion of
79th Independence Day.

Rotarians in Action

09.08.2025: Road Safety Project by RC Parkala. AG Rtn. Amit Aravind, President Rtn. Shashikala Rajavarma & Chairman District Project Rtn. Rajavarma Ariga, Rtn. Jaivittal & Rtn. Sripathy attended the event



15.08.2025: The famous Cricket Player Mr. Anil Kumble was invited as Chief Guest for the inauguration of the student-led, MAHE - MUN Conference organized by OIAC & MAHE. Our Rotarians were excited to meet the legendary Cricket Player.



Larry Lunsford, a member of the Rotary Club of Kansas City-Plaza, Missouri, USA, has been selected to become Rotary International President for 2027-28.



Celebrations



15th Aug - Rtn Dr Lakshmi Meghana

17th Aug - Ann Aaina Jain, W/o Rtn Sunny Jain

