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Rtn. CA Dev Anand  
District Governor

Rtn. Jagannath Kote  
Assistant Governor

Rtn. Nagaraj Shetty  
Zonal Lieutenant

Rtn. Subhash Bangera  
Club President

Rtn. Farida Uppin  
Club Secretary

Rtn. Rathnakar Udyavar  
Club Treasurer

Rtn. Vanishree Rao  
Rtn. Shashikala Rajavarma  
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## Club Service

**Date:** 10.12.2024

**Topic:** Club Assembly & District Sports Planning

**Venue:** Rotary Bhavan, Manipal

**Host:** Rtn. Bharathi Kotian

**No. of participants:** 30



Meeting called to order by President Rtn. Subhash Bangera. Thought for the day was presented by Rtn. Dr. Komal Smriti and Rotary Information was presented by Rtn. R S Phaneendra Rao.

**Club Assembly:** Decisions taken during the Board Meeting were discussed with the members for their feedback. Avenue Directors proposed their plans & projects for coming months. Rtn. Rathnakar Udyavar submitted the Treasurer's Report.



It was an Open Forum, where all the Avenue Directors submitted the reports of their respective avenues.

**District Sports Planning:** As Rotary Club of Manipal is hosting the District Sports Meet 2024 – Rota Magic, a significant event, it brings great responsibility. To ensure its success, specific roles and responsibilities was assigned to the Committee members.



## Avenue Directors

- Rtn. Dr Jayagowri H  
Club Service
- Rtn. Prashanth Hegde  
Vocational Service
- Rtn. Rajavarma Ariga  
Community Service
- Rtn. Amit Aravind  
International Service
- Rtn. Dr Pradeep S  
Youth 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 ?



**Thought for the Day**  
Rtn. Dr Komal Smriti

You become your best self when you work on things people can't take away from you: mindset, character, integrity, authenticity, discipline and kindness.



**Rotary Information**  
Rtn. R S Phaneendra Rao

The International Agency for Prevention of Blindness IABP, a global NGO representing 150 organizations mostly NGOs with its presence in 100 countries around the world developed partnership with Rotary International A formal MOU was signed in 2017 to grant funds for sustainable projects that provide comprehensive eye services to prevent blindness IABP has its headquarters in London. The first project of IABP and Rotary International service partnership has come up in New Delhi, India. RC of Delhi South metropolitan partnered with RC in Korea and in Hawaii, received a grant of USD 200,000 from The Rotary International The club then approached IABP and received a matching grant of USD 200,000 thus making a total grant of USD 400,000. A rotary eye hospital was established in Karol Bagh, New Delhi, very close to the iconic Connaught Place. It exemplifies the power of collaboration of likeminded NGOs to serve the humanity.

### Club Service ... (Contd)

District Sports Chairman Rtn. Amit Aravind updated regarding the progress of the preparations. Further to this the Committee Members had meetings throughout the week in Ajjarkad Ground for the smooth functioning of the event.

The meeting was concluded with Announcements & Vote of Thanks by Secretary Rtn. Farida Uppin, National Anthem & Group Photo.



**10.12.2024:** Official Visit of the District Governor Rtn. CA Dev Anand to Rotary Club Manipal Town at Sharda Hall, MAHE Manipal. ZL Rtn, Nagaraj Shetty was one of the Guests of Honour. RCM Members attended the event.

**14.12.2024:** Zonal Review Meeting was hosted by RC Aisiri Parkala. Apart from the monthly reports submitted by the Clubs, the main discussion was with regards to the District Sports Event "Rota Magic". Club Presidents were requested to encourage their respective Club Members to actively participate in the event and for 100% registration. Appeal was made by the AG & ZLs to share the registration details, entry forms at the earliest.



### Community Service

### Vocational Service



Rotary Club of Manipal in association with IMA Women's Wing & OBG Society of Karnataka visited Schools in Udupi & Manipal to promote awareness regarding Cervical Cancer. Rtn. Shashikala Rajavarma, Rtn. Rajavarma Ariga along with Dr. Shubhageetha visited Composite High School, Rajiv Nagar, Manipal, Indiranagar School, Udupi & Manipal Pre-University College, Manipal. Dr. Shubhageetha addressed the students with regards to Cervical Cancer. Rtn. Rajavarma Ariga also attended Board High School, Udupi and Dr. Rajalakshmi addressed the students on the Cervical Cancer

**11.12.2024:** IT Chairman - Rtn. Prashanth Hegde was the Chief Guest for the 24<sup>th</sup> Weekly Meeting of Rotary Club Karkala (Zone 5). He spoke on "Embracing Technology".

### Rotarians in Action

**11.12.2024:** Rtn. Mahalasa Kini presented a talk on her journey for the uplifting of Weavers in Udupi at Interact Hall, Manipal, organised by Manipal Mahila Samaj. She was honoured for her accomplishments.



**14.12.2024:** John CA Vineeth Shetty, S/o Rtn. Nagaraj Shetty was a resource person for the awareness program about Foreign Investments & Income Tax, held at Canara Commercial Centre, Udupi.

Rotarians in Action ... (Contd)



14.12.2024: Dr. A V Baliga Hospital Dodnagudde, Kamal A Baliga Charitable Trust, One Good Step jointly with Autism Society of Udupi organised Kalasaurabha – Talent Exhibition Program for Special Children to showcase their talent. DG Rtn. CA Dev Anand was the Guest of Honour. Rtn. Rajavarma Ariga, Rtn. Shashikala Rajavarna. Rtn. Dr. Virupaksha Devaramane, Rtn. Col Madhav Shanbhag, Ann Dr Lavanya participated in the event and encouraged the Children. Ramp Walk by the Special Children & their parents was an eye-catching event. Rtn. Shashikala Rajavarama was the judge for the event and Rajavarma Ariga distributed the certificates to the participants.



District Sports Chairman Rtn. Amit Aravind was the Chief Guest and inaugurated the Zonal Sports Meet of Zone 2 on 13.12.2024 and Zone 5 on 15.12.2024.

Women IN ROTARY

2013: Anne L. Matthews begins her term as the first woman to serve as RI vice president.

2019: Brenda Marie Cressey begins her term as the first woman to serve as vice-chair of The Rotary Foundation. In April-June 2019 she serves as chair of the Foundation, the first woman appointed to this role.

2022: Jennifer Jones begins her term as the first female president of Rotary International.

Public Image

Public image section containing a newspaper clipping in Kannada titled 'ರೋಟರಿ ಕೋಟ ಸಿಟಿ: ವಲಯ ಮಟ್ಟದ ಕ್ರೀಡಾಕೂಟ' (Rotary Kota City: District Level Sports Meet) with a photo of the event. Below the clipping is the logo for 'Udayavani' newspaper and the date 'Sat, 14 December 2024' with a URL.



Celebrations

Birthdays:

- ❖ 11-Dec - Annette Gowri Shenoy d/o Rtn Nirmala Shenoy
❖ 12-Dec - Rtn Krishna M S
❖ 16-Dec - Annette Rajashree D/o Rtn Nagaraja Tantry

Anniversaries:

- ❖ 10-Dec - Rtn Rathnakar K Udayavar & Ann Mohini Rathnakar
❖ 11-Dec - Rtn Rajavarma Ariga & Rtn Shashikala Rajavarma

