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Club Service

30.12.2024: Family Dinner Meeting

Theme: Red Carpet

Welcome the New Year 2025

Venue: Rotary Bhavan, Manipal

Organised by: Rotaract Club – Manipal Central

No. of participants: 90

Meeting called to order by President Rtn. Subhash Bangera & President Rtr. Athulya Acharya. Secretary Rtr. Tapasvi Pai presented the thought for the day.

It was a fun filled celebration with games, lively dances and non-stop music & good food. Rotarians & Rotaractors together danced, laughed & made memories as we welcomed the new year 2025. It was delightful & entertaining evening oozing with energy & ideas of the young Rotaractors. It exhibited the strength & team work of the Rotaractors.



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

Community Service



01.01.2025 to 10.01.2025: Kamal A Baliga Charitable Trust Mumbai, Dr V V Baliga Memorial Hospital Udupi, IMA Udupi, Sri Janardhana & Mahakali Temple Ambalpady & Rotary Club Manipal organised 33rd Alcohol De-addiction Camp at Kamal A Baliga Hospital.

President Rtn. Subhash Bangera was one of the Chief Guests on the day of inauguration on 1st Jan 2025. On the day of Valedictory on 10th Jan 2025, District Governor Rtn. MPHF CA Dev Anand was one of the Chief Guests.



Thought for the Day
Rtr. Tapasvi Pai

As we stand on the threshold of 2025, let's remember that it is a new chapter, and we are the authors of it. Let's step into this year with courage, creativity, and collaboration, ensuring that every action we take lays the foundation for a greater purpose.

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 ?

Premada Kaigalu

Battery Operated Hand Fitment Camp

Date: 04.01.2025 & 05.01.2025

Venue: Rotary Sports Complex, Ananth Nagar, Manipal

New year 2025 started with a bang, conducting mega project in a very successful & satisfying way !

Rotary Club Manipal in Association with Inali Foundation Pune, Rotary Club of Poona Downtown (RID 3131), Manipal Mahila Samaj, IMA UK Women Doctors Wing & IMA Udupi collaboratively organised the 2 days Free Battery-Operated Hand Fitment Camp to more than 100 beneficiaries. The project was well-planned & organised systematically. The team got together to make it a successful one. On Jan 3rd evening, an Orientation Program was held and the work flow was designed and the task was distributed. 15 Nursing Students of New City Hospital, Udupi were called as volunteers. "Premada Kaigalu" was the name of the project as a tribute to the legendary, Senior Rtn. Premleela Bhat, who was turning 88 years this month. After the prosthetic hand fitment, there was counselling for the beneficiaries. Complementary gifts were given & also advise on availing monitory benefits from the government.



Though the registration process started at 8.30 am in the morning on Jan 4th, the formal inauguration was at 5.30 pm by lightning the lamp by the dignitaries. AV was played about the camp and Rtn. Rajavarma Ariga, Community Service Director and Rtn. Dr Girija, additional Service Director spoke about the camp. Mr. Siddalingappa, Superintendent of Police was the Chief Guest. Rtn. Dr Suresh Shenoy - President IMA, Dr. Nandini Bhat - President MMS, Dr. Archana Bhaktha - President IMA UK Women Doctor's Wing, DG Rtn. CA Dev Anand addressed the gathering.

Valedictory was on Jan 5th evening. Out of 120 registrations, the number of battery hand donation was 91 (89 single hand & 2 bilateral). Inali Technicians, Volunteers & Rotarians who actively participated in the camp were honoured with Mementos/Certificates. Overall, the smiles and feedback given by the beneficiaries was very heart warming.

Rotarians in Action

Congratulations to Annette Krithika, D/o Rtn. M S Krishna for earning Gold Medal in MSc. Biotechnology.



07.01.2025: Some of the Rotarians visited Rtn. Dr Nagesh Kumar G Roa and wished him on his 75th Birthday.



Rotarians in Action... (Contd.)



10.01.2025: Rotarians accepted invitation of Rtn. Premleela Bhat on the occasion of 88th Birthday Celebration at ManipalDotNet office and wished her.

The 10 I's of Rotary Membership Growth and Engagement

1. **Investigate**
Discover potential individuals who align with Rotary's values.
2. **Identify**
Recognize suitable candidates who can contribute meaningfully.
3. **Inform**
Share Rotary's purpose and benefits in a concise, impactful way.
4. **Inspire**
Highlight Rotary's transformative projects and success stories.
5. **Invite**
Welcome them to participate in a club meeting to observe Rotary in action.
6. **Introduce**
Facilitate introductions with current members for seamless integration.
7. **Induct**
Celebrate their joining through a formal and memorable induction ceremony.
8. **Involve**
Engage new members actively in meetings and club activities.
9. **Include**
Assign them to committees to foster a sense of belonging and responsibility.
10. **Instill**
Cultivate Rotary's spirit, values, and vision in their journey as members.



Rtn. Venu G was a part of a collaborative training project at Ramdurg, Belgaum. It was organised by Rotary Ramdurg in association with JCI Ramdurg and Local Education Department. Training seminar was for 3 days for about 2000 school students of Class 10 from across the Taluk. Focus was on performance and results in the upcoming board exams organized by Rotary Club Ramdurg.

Celebrations



Birthdays:

- ❖ 30th Dec - Ann Shrimathi, W/o Rtn. Nagaraja Tantry
- ❖ 1st Jan – Rtn. Vedavathi Suvarna
- ❖ 1st Jan - Lord Mercera Gowri Prasad Rao,
H/o Rtn. Vanishree Rao
- ❖ 1st Jan - Annette K Krithika, D/o Rtn. Krishna M S
- ❖ 7th Jan – Rtn. Dr Nagesh Kumar Rao
- ❖ 9th Jan - Rtn Dr Divyashree M S
- ❖ 10th Jan – Rtn. K S Jaivittal
- ❖ 10th Jan – Rtn. Premaleela Bhat

Anniversaries:

- ❖ 1st Jan – Rtn. Subhash Bangera & Ann Shwetha Bangera