



Club No. 051651  
Chartered on 06/01/1999

# The Brigade Rote

## Rotary Bangalore Brigades



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**November 2025 – Rotary Foundation Month**

**December 2025 – Disease Prevention and Treatment Month - Edition: 05 & 06**

### *RI President's message*



Dear fellow member,

October is Rotary's Community Economic Development Month, a time to spotlight our efforts to help communities build thriving, sustainable futures. This month's observance aligns perfectly with the Rotary core value of leadership.

Leadership means empowering people to guide their own progress. That is precisely what Rotary's economic development projects aim to achieve. Take, for example, a recent initiative in southern India in which Rotary members unlocked the power of women of the Adivasi tribal groups through sewing training to earn a living and regain social inclusion.

Historically, widows and abandoned women in this region lose social standing and are shunned by society or blamed for their misfortunes. Opportunities to support themselves or obtain training are minimal.

This year, the Rotary Club of Windsor Roseland, Ontario, partnered with clubs in Districts 3203 and 3234 in India — and with the Indian organization Sevalaya Trust — to provide sewing machines and training to 80 Adivasi women. They learned to stitch saree blouses, kurta tunics, and salwar suits, enabling them to support themselves and their families. Each woman received a certificate for completing the program, and the sewing machine provider offered free long-term maintenance for the machines. The project offered vital income and dignity to women ostracized by society after widowhood.

This story is one example of Rotary leadership in action local people guiding solutions that address their community needs. Our role is not to deliver charity or to impose outside models, but to foster self-reliance by investing in leadership, skills, and sustainable enterprise.

This October, I invite Rotary members worldwide to reflect on economic leadership in their communities. Who is stepping forward to lead local economic initiatives, where is there untapped talent that could be supported with training or mentorship?

How can your club catalyse opportunity through partnerships with local businesses, Vocational schools, or savings groups? Leadership is not always about being visible. Sometimes it means listening, working collaboratively and amplifying the voices of others. That approach lies at the heart of Rotary's philosophy and our lasting impact on economic development.

By building capacity — whether through microcredit groups, vocational training workshops, or entrepreneurship programs — we enable communities to lead their own transformation. When people take ownership of their progress, change becomes sustainable.

Let us lead with good intention and provide support with heart. By nurturing local leadership, we can create opportunities that ripple through communities, empowering individuals, families, and societies.

Together, we can support economies that work for everyone and enact community development projects that last.

**Francesco Arezzo**

**President Rotary International 2025-26**

## District Governor's message

Warm Rajyotsava Greetings to All!



As we have concluded the first quarter of the Rotary year, I am pleased to share that our District has had an excellent beginning. The recent ICGF events were a resounding success, characterized by outstanding participation and enthusiastic engagement from clubs and members alike. I extend my sincere appreciation to everyone who contributed to this collective achievement.

As we move forward into the next phase of the year, I encourage every club to:

- Review and evaluate progress towards the set goals
- Strengthen and expand membership initiatives
- Plan and execute innovative and impactful projects
- Foster meaningful collaborations and partnerships
- Share club activities achievements and success stories with the district

Let us build upon this strong foundation and work together to make the next quarter even more purposeful and impactful.

### Important Dates to Remember:

- Kannada Rajyotsava Celebration -Karunadu Sobagu on 28th November 2025 at Nelamangala
- ICGF on International Service on 20<sup>th</sup> December 2025
- Mandatory MOCK GOV and Governor's Official Visit (GOV) – at all clubs
- District Conference - Vismaya 7th and 8<sup>th</sup> February at Clarks Exotica, Bangalore
- Service Project Planning – on going across clubs
- Thanks to Agriculture Team for their thoughtful initiative in gifting fresh organically grown vegetables to all the participants during the ICGFs providing free health checkups at the ICGF venues

Let us continue to stay connected, inspired, and united in our shared mission of Service Above Self.

Together, we can make a lasting and meaningful difference.

Warm regards,

Yours in the service of Rotary,  
Rtn. Elizabeth Cherian District Governor



### REGISTRATION

SINGLE ₹ 5900

COUPLE ₹ 8850

Above Registration Rates  
applicable upto October 31, 2025

### REGISTRATION

SINGLE ₹ 8500

COUPLE ₹ 11500

Above Registration Rates  
applicable after November 1, 2025

#### UTTHAMA

₹ 25,000

#### SHRESHTA

₹ 1,00,000

#### PRATHISHTA

₹ 2,50,000

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## President's message



Dear Rotarians Friends,

Warm greetings to each of you as we reflect on the months of November and December 2025. It is with immense gratitude and pride that I write to you, acknowledging your steadfast commitment to our shared Rotary ideals and the remarkable progress we have achieved together.

### Celebrating Our Club's Achievements

In the past months, Rotary Bangalore Brigades has successfully completed 55 impactful projects, in the year 2025-26 so far, investing a total of Rs.53.00 Lakhs. Through these initiatives, we have touched the lives of 5,768 individuals, demonstrating our club's dedication to service above self. These achievements were made possible by the collective effort of our members, who contributed an inspiring 1,532 Rotarian manhours.

### Special Initiative: RO Water Plant Inauguration

A highlight of our service this period was the inauguration of a clean drinking RO water plant at a Government School in Devanahalli taluk. This project stands as a testament to our commitment to enhancing community health and supporting local education.

### Strengthening Our Administration

To ensure the smooth functioning of our club, we conducted 20 weekly meetings and 4 board meetings in the year 2025-26 so far. Your active participation and support in these gatherings have been vital in fostering transparent and effective club administration. Also all compliance reports to District and RI have been filed time to time, making your club a highly compliant of Rotary rules and regulations.

### Active Participation in District Events

Our members have enthusiastically participated in projects and celebrations under Rotary International District 3192, including the vibrant Karnataka Rajyotsava festivities held in Nagamangala. Such involvement strengthens our bonds of fellowship and amplifies our service impact with other club members and district officers and teams.

### Commitment to The Rotary Foundation

I am proud to share that our club has committed / contributed over 3,000 USD to The Rotary Foundation this year, reinforcing

our dedication to Rotary's global mission and extending our reach to communities far beyond our own.

### Looking Ahead: Governor Official Visit

As we continue our journey, I encourage every member to attend and actively support the upcoming Governor Official Visit scheduled for 06/01/2026. Your presence and engagement will showcase our club's unity and commitment to Rotary's ideals, further motivating us for future accomplishments.

In closing, I extend my heartfelt appreciation to each of you for your unwavering dedication, teamwork, and compassionate service. Let us continue to inspire one another and strive to create lasting change in our community and beyond.

With Rotary regards,

**Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar**

**President 2025-26**

**Rotary Bangalore Brigades**

**30/11/2025**

## Secretary message



Dear Brigadears,

Warm greetings as we step into the new year with renewed energy and purpose. January is a special month for our Club, marking a period of reflection, pride, and forward momentum.

I am delighted to share that our Club has successfully completed 56 impactful projects across all the Avenues of Service. Every project, big or small, has contributed meaningfully to our community and strengthened Rotary's presence and relevance. January is also an important month as we welcome the Governor's Official Visit (GOV) on 06 January 2026. This visit is not just a review but an opportunity to showcase our collective efforts, learn from guidance at the district level, and recommit ourselves to Rotary ideals.

As we move ahead, let us continue to support each other, participate actively, and convert ideas into impactful action. Together, we can make the remainder of the Rotary year even more fulfilling.

Wishing you all a productive and joyful Year.

**Yours in Rotary,**

**Bhavesh Shah**

**Secretary 2025-26**

## RBB President's Message at the Governor's Official Visit



Good evening, respected District Governor, esteemed District officials, Past District Governors, valued club members, distinguished guests, generous donors, and dear friends.

It is my distinct honor and privilege, as President of Rotary Bangalore Brigades for 2025-26, to welcome you

all to this special occasion—the Governor's Official Visit. Your presence here today fills our hearts with pride and gratitude. A very warm and heartfelt welcome to our esteemed District Governor Rtn. Elizabeth Cherian Madam, we are grateful for your leadership and guidance, which continues to inspire us all. I also extend my warm regards to the Rtn. Anil Rikke Asst Governor, Rtn. Shankar Shastry Zonal Ambassador, Rtn. Devadasan District Secretary, Rtn. Renukeshwar swamy District Secretary and other district officials and Past District Governors whose unceasing dedication lights the path for clubs like ours. To our club members, your hard work, continuous undoubted support, encouragement and commitment have been the lifeblood of every initiative we have undertaken this Rotary Year. To our guests, donors, and friends—thank you for believing in the Rotary cause and for supporting us with your presence, your encouragement, and your generous contributions.

### Performance Review for the First Six Months-

As we reflect on the first half of this Rotary year, I am proud to share that our club has demonstrated excellent compliance in all aspects of Rotary administration and ethics. Our collective adherence to Rotary standards is a testament to our unity and shared vision.

We have successfully completed 56 community service projects in just six months, spending around a Crore rupee. These initiatives have touched the lives of many in our community—whether it is through promoting education, supporting healthcare, or nurturing the environment. Each project stands as a beacon of our commitment to service above self.

Our achievements would not have been possible without the unwavering support of our donors and friends. Your trust and generosity have empowered us to make a significant

contribution to the Rotary Foundation. These contributions will help fund impactful projects, not just here at home, but across the world.

### Appreciation and conclusion

I extend my heartfelt appreciation to each member, donor, and friend who has walked with us on this journey. Your enthusiasm and faith have brought our ideas to life and made a lasting difference. Together, we have set a strong example of what can be achieved when we work with purpose, compassion, and unity.

As we look forward to the coming months, let us continue to serve with passion and strive for greater heights. Let us remember that every act of kindness, no matter how small, brings us closer to a better world.

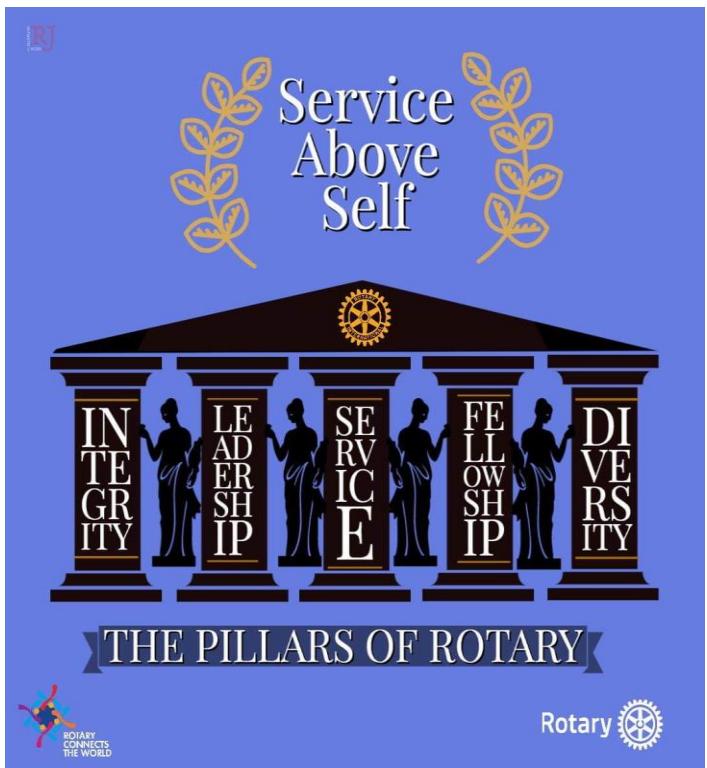
Thank you once again for gracing this occasion and being a part of the Rotary Bangalore Brigades family. Jai Rotary! Jai Karnataka! Jai Hind!

*Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar*

*President 2025-26*

*Rotary Bangalore Brigades*

*06/01/2026*



## Editor's Message



Dear Rotarians, Anns & Antts,

November is Rotary Foundation Month, a time when we celebrate the spirit of service that defines our club. This month we reflect on the generous contributions of

Rotarians worldwide that fund scholarships, peace initiatives, and community projects.

As we honor these achievements, we also look ahead to December, which Rotary has dedicated to Disease Prevention and Treatment. This important observance reminds us of our commitment to improving health

outcomes, from polio eradication to local health-education programs.

In this issue you will find stories of volunteers who have turned compassion into action, updates on our recent health campaigns, NID and ideas for how you can join the effort.

Together, we can build a healthier, more peaceful world, one project at a time.

We encourage you to share experiences and ideas, so the magazine reflects the energy of our club. Thank you for your continued support and enthusiasm.

**Ann. Madhura Machani**  
**Bulletin Editor 2025-26**

### CLUB INVOCATION PRAYER

LORD GIVE US COURAGE  
AND HOPE FOR EVERYDAY  
FAITH TO GUIDE US ON OUR  
WAY!  
GIVE US UNDERSTANDING  
AND WISDOM TOO!  
AND GRACE TO ACCEPT  
WHAT LIFE GIVES US TO DO!



## The Four Way Test

of the things we think, say and do

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

The Rotary Four-Way Test is a 24-word ethical guide used by Rotarians to assess the morality of their thoughts, words, and actions.

#### Meaning and Purpose:

##### TRUTH:

The first question emphasizes the importance of honesty and accuracy in all dealings.

##### FAIRNESS:

The second question highlights the need for equitable treatment and consideration of all parties involved.

##### GOODWILL AND FRIENDSHIPS:

This question encourages actions that foster positive relationships and mutual respect.

##### BENEFICIAL:

The final question emphasizes the importance of ensuring that actions are advantageous to everyone concerned, promoting a win-win outcome.

**NOVEMBER IS**



**ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH**

*"If we can conquer space, we can conquer childhood hunger."*

Buzz Aldrin

BECAUSE WE CARE  
MAKE A CONTRIBUTION, BE THE DIFFERENCE

Rotary

TAKE ACTION: [rotary.org/contribute](https://rotary.org/contribute)

November is Rotary Foundation Month, a key time for Rotary International to focus on its charitable arm, The Rotary Foundation, emphasizing Rotarian support and fundraising to tackle global issues like polio eradication, peace promotion, disease prevention, clean water, education, and economic development through grants and community projects. It's an annual call to action for members to celebrate the Foundation's impact and contribute to its mission of "Doing Good in the World".

**DECEMBER IS**



**DISEASE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT MONTH**

*"The prevention of disease today is one of the most important factors in line of human endeavor."*

Charles Mayo

Rotary

[www.rotary.org](https://www.rotary.org)

In Rotary, the month of December is designated as **Disease Prevention and Treatment Month**. This theme highlights one of Rotary's seven areas of focus, emphasizing the organization's global efforts to improve health outcomes and build healthier communities worldwide.

## Club Meetings, Joint Meetings and District Events

### Speaker Meet

RBB held a physical meeting on 17<sup>th</sup> October 2025. Mrs. Padmini Govind, the speaker for the day, spoke on 'Women Empowerment through Social Impact'. RBB honored Mrs. Padmini with the 'Rotary Excellence Award'. During the meeting the Club Bulletin for the months of September and October was released. The meeting was well attended by RBB members, Anns and Annts.



### ICGF – Vocational Service



The Rotary Bangalore Brigades, participated in the 3rd RI District 3192 International Community Grant Forum (ICGF) on Vocational Service on 18<sup>th</sup> October at the historic, Palace Grounds. Over 150 Rotarians participated in workshops and panel discussions that highlighted innovative vocational-training projects across the district, reinforcing Rotary's commitment to skill-building and sustainable livelihoods. The event concluded with a pledge to expand collaborative grant initiatives that empower youth and underserved communities throughout Bangalore and beyond. RBB President along with members Rtn. Dayanand Biradar, Rtn. Satish B. E and Rtn. Leela Sundaram participated the event



## Polio-Plus Walkathon 2025:

On 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct 2025 a lively contingent of RBB (Rotary Bangalore Brigades) members took part in the Polio-Plus Walkathon, which started at the Kempe Gowda Statue beside Vidhana Soudha and finished at the Rotary House of Friendship on Lavelle Road. Organized by Rotary District 3192 to mark World Polio Day, the walk saw the RBB team marching with banners, spreading awareness and reaffirming Rotary's pledge to a polio-free world. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi and Leela Sundaram, enthusiastic presence added a vibrant touch to the event, underscoring the club's commitment to the cause.



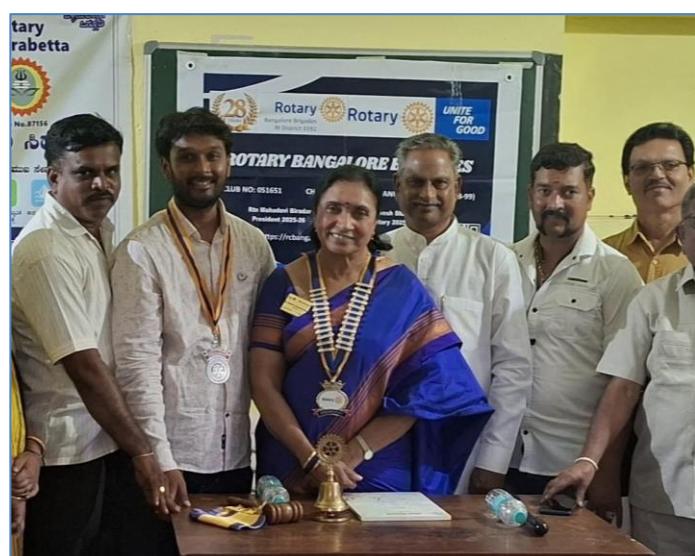
## Signing RQ MoU

On 5<sup>th</sup> November 2025, Rotary Bangalore Brigades (RBB) met jointly with the Anubandha Club and Rotary Siddarbeta to sign an MoU for installing a 1,000-litre PH-RO drinking-water plant at Koratagere. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar and Rtn. Dayanand Biradar were present for the signing.



## Meeting with Siddarbeta

Meeting with Sahayoga partner club Rotary Siddarbeta on 5<sup>th</sup> November



## First Club Assembly

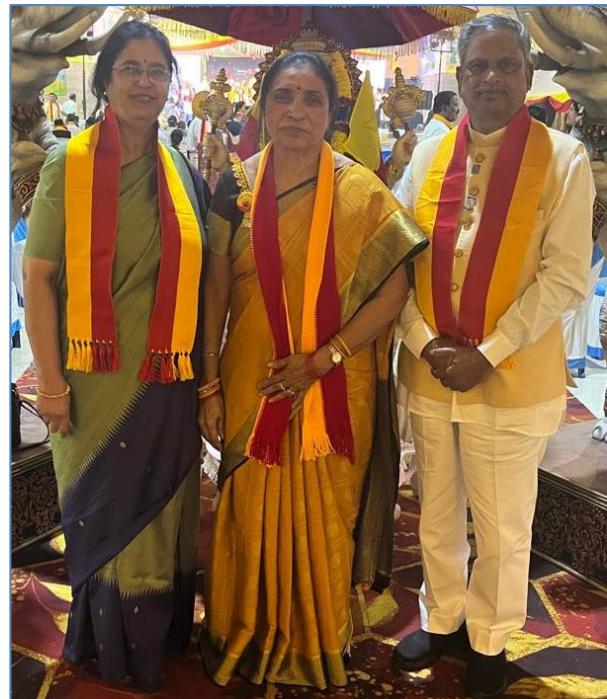
On 4<sup>th</sup> November 2025, during the club's weekly meeting, the Service Chairs delivered concise reports covering all service avenues, and the first club assembly was hailed as a great success.



## Kannada Rajyotsava



On 28<sup>th</sup> November 2025 a District Event Kannada Rajyotsava celebration - KARUNAAD SOBAGU was held at Nelamangala. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar, Rtn. Leela Sundaram and Rtn. Dayanand Biradar took part in the event.



## District Polio Orientation



On 10 December 2025, Rotary District 3192 hosted its Polio Orientation Program. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar and Rtn. Leela Sundaram represented Rotary Bangalore Brigades at the event, which aimed to raise awareness about polio vaccination, share best-practice strategies for community outreach, and reinforce the district's commitment to a polio-free India.



## ICGF - VISHWAM

On 21<sup>st</sup> December 2025, RBB president Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar along with members Rtn. Gayathri Nayak, Rtn. Dayanand Biradar, Rtn. Leela Sundaram, Rtn. Bhavesh Shah, Rtn. Akshai Mallappa and Rtn. Sowbhagya participated in District 3192 ICGF VISHWAM on International service held at Palace grounds. The event saw enthusiastic involvement from RBB members, showcasing their commitment to global community and strengthening international bonds.



## Projects for the months - November and December



### RBB Celebrates Youth Leadership – RYLA Highlights



Under the Youth Service Avenue, Rotary Bangalore Brigades (RBB) organized a Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) session at White Hills High School, Basaveshwara Nagar on 25<sup>th</sup> October 2025. The program, aimed at 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students, featured Rtn. Sridhar Ramu as the resource person, and 68 students participated.

RBB members thank the school management and Ann Malini Satish for their valuable support in arranging this project.

### “Mobile Bidi Pustaka Hidi” Campaign

On 25<sup>th</sup> October 2025 under the Community Service Avenue, Rotary Bangalore Brigades (RBB) organized a “Mobile Bidi Pustak Hidi” drive at White Hills Primary School. The event saw the distribution of moral-story books, general-knowledge books, and refreshments (juice and snacks) to students. Special thanks to Ann Malini Satish for her coordination, and to the school management for their support, which made the program a success.



## Distribution of School Bags

On 27<sup>th</sup> October 2025, Rotary Bangalore Brigades (RBB) distributed school bags emblazoned with the club's logo to children at the government Anganwadi in Munnekollal. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar distributed the bags.



On 5<sup>th</sup> November 2025 RBB distributed school bags with club logo to govt pre-primary School students in Malleshapur village near Koratagere Taluk. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar along with Rtn. Biradar was present at the event.



## Grocery and Dress Distribution

On 1<sup>st</sup> November 2025 Rotary Bangalore Brigades distributed groceries and new dresses for 38 boys who are the inmates of Hema Vema Ashrama. Celebrated Kannada Rajyotsava with the children and distributed snacks, juice. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar, Rtn. Bhavesh R Shah were present, along with Rtn Nishant Goel, who arranged new dresses and IPP Rtn Samba Murthy arranged the groceries for the inmates.



## “Mobile Bidi Pustaka Hidi”

Under community service avenue, On 5<sup>th</sup> November 2025 RBB conducted ‘Mobile Bidi Pustak Hidi’ campaign at a govt primary school in Malleshapur village Koratagere taluk. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar and Rtn. Dayanand Biradar were present at the event.



## Saree Distribution

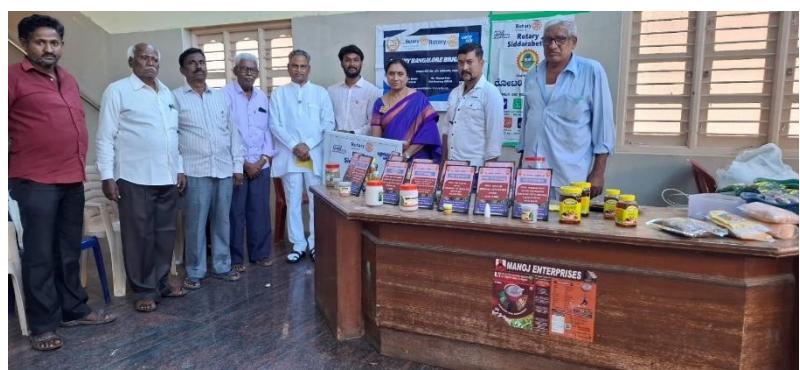
On 5<sup>th</sup> November 2025, coinciding with the auspicious Guru Purnima, Rotary Bangalore Brigades (RBB) organized a saree-distribution drive for needy women at Nagenahalli Ashram, Koratagere Taluk. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar personally handed out the sarees, emphasizing the club's commitment to uplifting women in the community.



## Health Camp



On 5<sup>th</sup> November 2025, Rotary Bangalore Brigades (RBB) organized a joint health camp offering Homeopathy and Ayurveda at the Koratagere Ashrama, in partnership with Rotary Siddarbetta. President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar along with member Rtn. Dayanand Biradar attended the camp. The camp provided free consultations and medicines to villagers, reinforcing RBB's commitment.



## Blood Donation Camp



Rotary Bangalore Brigades (RBB) organized a blood-donation camp on 7<sup>th</sup> November 2025 at the Acharya Bangalore B-School campus, in partnership with the Rotaract Club of ABBS. With support from TTK Blood Bank, the camp collected 155 units of blood – the highest total for a single RBB event. The camp was attended by RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar and saw enthusiastic participation from Rotaractors.



## RO Drinking water

On 8th November 2025, Rotary Bangalore Brigades inaugurated a reverse-osmosis drinking-water unit at Government High School, Koirala, in Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore North District. The plant will provide safe water to roughly 400 individuals—about 300 of them students. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar and Rtn. Dayanand Biradar were present for the event.



On 13 November 2025, the eve of Children's Day, Rotary Bangalore Brigades (RBB) organized an essay-and-drawing competition for primary-school students at Government Primary School, Ejipura. The winners were honored by the prize-distribution the next day, 14<sup>th</sup> November 2025. Also distributed new dresses to 240 students - boys and girls. For the ceremony RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar, IPP Rtn. Sambamurthy were present. Mr. Ramalinga Reddy, Minister for Transport and Muzrai Karnataka Govt graced the occasion.



## Essay and Drawing Competition



## Medical Equipment



On 18<sup>th</sup> November 2025, Rotary Bangalore Brigades (RBB) handed over medical equipment to Jain Mission Trust Hospital in Chikkaballapur, funded through a Global Grant. RBB President Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar thanked the dedicated members who made the project possible and noted the presence of IPP Rtn. Samba Murthy, Rtn. Akshai Mallappa, Rtn. Satish B. E, Rtn. Leela Sundaram, Rtn. Vijay Bansal, Trn. Gayathri Nayak and Rtn. Dr. Solanki. The ceremony was inaugurated by DG Elizabeth Cherian.



## Session on Menstrual Hygiene

On 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2025 RBB conducted a session in association with Bella International company on Menstrual Hygiene awareness and distributed sanitary napkins to 300 girl students of Sri Basaveshwar Women's college at Nelamangala.





## Medical Camp

On 24<sup>th</sup> November 2025 Rotary Bangalore Brigades conducted a medical health checkup camp for Subhas Chandra Bose School students and surrounding villagers at Andra-Karnataka border and distributed free medicines. The camp was organized with support from Jalappa Medical College. 149 persons benefitted by the camp. Rtn. RBB President Mahadevi along with members Rtn. Biradar, Rtn. Satish B.E were present in the camp. Rtn. Gayathri Nayak sponsored delicious lunch for students and villagers who attended the camp.



## Kali Nali

On 20<sup>th</sup> December 2025, Rotary District 3192 along with Rotaract Club of Golden Rock conducted a program 'Kali Nali' at Anchepalya. This program aims to empower Anganawadi children with basic educational resources and create a positive, engaging environment that encourages joyful learning





## Polio Immunization Drive

On National Immunization Day (NID), 21<sup>st</sup> December 2025, RBB president Rtn. Mahadevi Biradar along with members actively participated in the inauguration drive at the two key Primary Health Centers (PHCs) – Tavarakere and NS Palya – in BTM Layout. Rtn. Dr. Raghu Chair PolioPlus, lead the immunization activities. The event aimed to ensure zero polio cases by reaching every child under five years with oral drops. RBB members supported health workers in mobilizing communities, spreading awareness and administering doses, reinforcing Rotary's commitment to polio-free India.



## RBB Family Day



Rotary Bangalore Brigade Family Day was on 31<sup>st</sup> October at Bangalore International Hotel. The evening was filled with fun couple games and got everyone giggling. The foot tapping live music and dance vibes kept the energy high. Kudos to Ann, Antts and all the members who showcased their dancing and singing talent. The delicious food at the venue was a feast to the senses.!



## Know Your Rotary

### Rotary Structure

#### Administration



### Rotary Finances

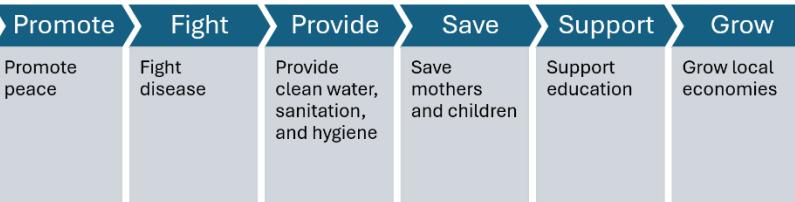
RF operates as Public Charitable Trust

RI and RF are two separate Legal Entities

Annual Report and Audited Financial Statements are published



### What RI Does



USA  
Tax

- Rotary International
- Rotary Foundation
- Both are exempted

### Rotary Structure

#### Philosophical

#### RI Rotary International

Clubs

Foundation

The Rotary Foundation transforms your gifts into service projects that change lives both close to home and around the world.

#### Rotary International

Rotary International supports Rotary clubs worldwide by coordinating global programs and initiatives.

#### Rotary clubs

Rotary and Rotaract clubs unite dedicated people to exchange ideas, build relationships, and take action.

#### The Rotary Foundation

The Rotary Foundation helps fund our humanitarian activities, from local service projects to global initiatives.

So DONATE NOW ....

# Club Management System (CMS)

## Rotary Bangalore Brigades

15<sup>th</sup> December 2025 (Six months)

*CMS- Club Management System and  
Tech Administration Update*

**Rtn. Dayananda Biradar- Chair -CMS & Tech Administration**



Srl. No	Subject	Facts/Status
1	<b>Total Members</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Opening 1/7/2025</li> <li>Addition July25</li> <li>Total as on Date</li> <li>Deletion</li> <li>Closing15/12/2025</li> </ol>	54 2 56 3 53
2	<b>Reporting:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Updated in Rotary India.Org App (District App)</li> <li>Updated in My.Rotary.org (RI International)</li> </ol>	Done 15/12/2025 Done 15/12/2025
3	<b>Community Projects: Total</b>	<b>56</b>
4	<b>Avenue of Service Covered: (RI Classification)</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Club Service</li> <li>Vocational Service</li> <li>Community service</li> <li>International service</li> <li>Youth Service</li> </ol>	56 4 4 43 1 4
5	<b>Area of Focus Covered: (RI Classification)</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Peace building and Conflict Prevention</li> <li>Basic Education and Literacy</li> <li>Disease Prevention &amp; Treatment</li> <li>Water Sanitation &amp; Hygiene</li> <li>Community Economic &amp; Development</li> <li>Maternal and Child Health</li> <li>Supporting the Environment</li> </ol>	56 6 22 14 2 8 2 2
6	Statutory Dues paid <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>RI Semiannual dues</li> <li>District Dues</li> <li>RI Magazine dues</li> </ol>	Paid 30/7/2025 Paid 25/7/2025 Paid 14/08/2025
7	Anubandha Partner Club Project (Rural Club)	Joint meeting 1 Joint project 3
8	Rotact Clubs Active Interact Clubs Active New Retract Club started	4 0 1
9	RBB Website link	<a href="https://rcbangalorebrigades.rotaryindia.org">https://rcbangalorebrigades.rotaryindia.org</a>
10	RI Website link (for members)	<a href="https://my.rotary.org/en/login">https://my.rotary.org/en/login</a>

## Ann's and Annet's Corner

### My Grandson and Me

My grandson is so cute and so naughty,  
He's all of seven years and he calls me Pati!

We share great moments full of fun,  
We both love the outdoors and catch some sun!

He's a chess champion who represents his school,  
Also, a genius scientific inventor who's really cool.

He's good at art, craft, sports and studies,  
And so caring and helpful to his little buddies.

Since he was an infant, I've seen him grow,  
Bright, compassionate, and intelligent with prize at galore!

I'm grateful to God for the gift of this precious grandson,  
My grandson and I wish Happy 2026 to each and everyone.



Poem by  
Ann. Anu Jain  
W/o Rtn Ajay Jain.



Color Shading by Antt. Bhuvan  
S/o Rtn. G Madhusudhana



# January

## Planned Projects in January 2026

- Mobilie Bidi Pustaka Hidi at Yuva Loka Acedemay - Primary school in Murugesh Palya School
- RYLA at St. Anthoney's boy's school
- SAFE DRIVING traffic Awareness camp for taxi and auto drivers to be conducted by Traffic Police department Inspector in Marathahalli Traffic police division.
- Eye and Ear Check-up camp for school children- Primary and Highschool children
- RO Water plant Inauguration- Siddarbeta
- Factory visits for members

# Celebrations

Birthdays	
1 <sup>st</sup> January	Antt Kushagra S/o Rtn. Nishant Goel
1 <sup>st</sup> January	Antt Pahel D/o Rtn Bhavesh R Shah
6 <sup>th</sup> January	Rtn Govind Shankar
13 <sup>th</sup> January	Rtn. Irene Slim
14 <sup>th</sup> January	Ann. Mira Kunal W/o Rtn. Kunal Khemchand
15 <sup>th</sup> January	Rtn. Abha Saxena
15 <sup>th</sup> January	Rtn. Sudeep Srikanta Swamy
	Antt. Purnavi
17 <sup>th</sup> January	D/o Rtn. Prof. Chandraleela Sundaram
20 <sup>th</sup> January	Antt. Suraj S/o Rtn. M R C Ravi
24 <sup>th</sup> January	Rtn. Bhavesh R Shah
27 <sup>th</sup> January	Rtn. Akshai Mallappa
	Antt. Shrinidhi S
27 <sup>th</sup> January	D/o Rtn. Anuradha and Rtn. Sambamurthy
31 <sup>st</sup> January	Antt. Minal Rtn. Gopal Rathi
Anniversaries	
23 <sup>rd</sup> January	Rtn. V. Rajeswari and Ann. Sanjoy

## Rotary Bangalore Brigade's Sustaining /ongoing Projects:

- Free Spine correction surgery for poor and affected patients in collaboration with Karnataka Government and Mahavir Jain Hospital, Vasant Nagar, Bengaluru
- Global Grant projects for setting up Hospital facilities like operation theatre, equipment etc. for Jain Mission Hospital, Chikkaballapur a Charitable Hospital serving rural poor and needy patients
- Educational support and construction of Classrooms for Shri Subash Chandra Bose Highschool, Nangali, Mulbagal Taluk, Kolar district
- Regular Blood Donation camps contributing about 200 units of blood per year
- Providing Medicines for Lebanon needy people through
- Rotary Club of Beirut Cosmopolitan RID 2452
- The Club in association with Rotary Primasens, Germany has donated Complete Dental care Van to Leh. The van will be managed by Swami Vivekanand Seva Trust in Leh. This will benefit the residents of Leh for their dental problems

## Weekly meetings:

Every Friday at 19.00 Hours,

The Royal Orchid, Manipal Center Bangalore/ Virtual meeting

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We look forward to regular contributions from readers.

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