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Excellence in Education

Outstanding educators recognized with Teachers Excellence awards in celebration of Teacher's Day





Chief Guest

Dr. Sarada Ramani

Guest of Honour

Rtn. Chitra Mukunnan

Awardees

Hindu College

Dr. Saravanan Dr. Gopinath

Anna Adarsh College

Dr. Shirleen David Dr. Suganthi







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Pink Auto Project

RCANM sponsored four autos as part of the District Pink Auto event to empower 100 women with financial independence on September 20, 2025







Handed over keys to beneficiaries Manju, Subhulakshmi and Anitha in conjunction with Hindu College Rotaractors

Strengthening Rotary Bonds in Sri Lanka

President Nandakumar visited Sri Lanka on September 12th and 13thas a representative of our Rotary club. He participated in the **Nallur Rotary Club Installation Ceremony**, the **Dhanvanthari Wheelchair Donation**, and the **Flag Exchange** event held in Jaffna.

"This spirit of international fellowship further strengthens our Rotary bonds and reminds us that service knows no boundaries."

- P. Nandakumar (RCANM President)









Empowering the Future

RCANM organized a joint installation for multiple Interact clubs from schools in our community on August 30, 2025





Chief Guest
Rtn. Vikash Baburao
Co-Chairperson, Interact

Guest of Honour
Mrs Geetha P.
Principal, Govt Girls Higher Secondary
School Ayappakkam





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Participating Schools

Chinmaya Vidyalaya
Govt Model Higher Secondary School, Arumbakkam
Gov Boys Higher Secondary School Ayappakkam
Govt Girls Higher Secondary School, Ayappakkam
Kola Perumal Chetty Vaishnav Senior Secondary
School, Arumbakkam
Vel Global School, Mogappair
Vels Vidyashram, Pallavaram



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Onam Celebration

Colours of Tradition and Togetherness Shine Bright

RCANM came together to celebrate the harvest festival of Onam on September 17th at Presidency Club, Egmore. Highlights of the evening included the **induction of a new member, Mr. P. Raaju**, and cultural performances to capture the spirit of Onam. A captivating presentation on Kerala set the mood, followed by the grand entry of "Mahabali". The festivities came alive with a graceful *Kaikottikali* dance, a lively Kerala quiz, and an energetic *Vanchi Pattu*. Fun and fellowship continued with an engaging Housie game.



Kudos to all the participants and **organizers Rtn PP Chitra Mukunnan**, **Ann Latha Mohanan and Annette Rtn Dhanya**. Following a crisp and heartfelt address by **Chief Guest Rtn Sanjay Dhurka (District Chair - Club Service)**, members and guests enjoyed a delicious dinner, rounding off a memorable celebration of tradition, togetherness, and Rotary spirit.















CONGRATULATIONS AND CELEBRATIONS!







Rtn. Dr. Harikirishnan took the reins as President of Lions Club of Chennai Healing Hands, a speciality club of all eminent doctors, first of it's kind in India









Rtn. Dr. Murugavel
presented with the "Urai
Selvar Virudhu" "Orator of
Excellence Award" by by
the Pannai Tamil Sangam
Book name:
Suvarezhuththu

Rtn. Vikrama Krishna honored by Karnataka Press Club Council and Idhu Namma Paathrike in Bengaluru with the Excellence HR Consultancy Award 2025 for his outstanding service in the field of HR and statutory compliances



Coffee and camaraderie at the RCANM Ladies Coffee Meet





Rtn. Cyril Joseph
advocated for
Rotary
International to
consider
eradicating child
begging from the
world at District
International
Peace Day
celebrations at
Loyola College



Madhu Mathur's

OUTE CORNER

"Thank you" is the essence of nonviolence. It contains respect for the other person, humility, and a profound affirmation of life.

- Daisaku Ikeda



OCTOBER IS COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MONTH



- 5th Oct District Diwali celebration at Gopinath Garden, ECR
- Installation of 3 Interact schools followed by RYLA
- Induction of new members and classification talk at the regular meeting

Nisha Singaravel's TRIVIA GORNER

- Rotary was founded in **1905** in Chicago by **Paul Harris**.
- The name "Rotary" came from the early practice of rotating meetings among members' offices.
- Rotary's motto is "Service Above Self."



• 2nd Oct: Spouse Kishore

H/o Rtn Renu Kishore Sawlani)

• 8th Oct: Spouse Ponnuswami

H/o Rtn. Manoranjitham

• 25th Oct: Rtn PHF PP Radhika Ramkumar

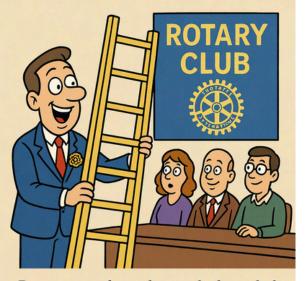
• 28th Oct: Ann. Sumathy

W/o Rtn PHF PP Venkatesan V.S

• 31st Oct: Rtn PHF PP Ramasubramanian R

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Why did the Rotarian bring a ladder to the meeting?



Because they heard the club was reaching new heights!