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Rtn Kiron Joshi visited Kochi on the invitation of Amrita Hospital to attend a program on Saturday the 30 August to celebrate free heart surgery of children initiative through the efforts of "Gift of Life". He was honoured for his efforts to "Gift of Life". He also met one of the beneficiary of the project, Kanhaiya at Kochi Hospital who was recovering from his heart surgery.



In the picture, Rtn Kiron is seen in the ward with a Rotarian and the child from Kashmir, and Kanhaiya with his mother.

Welcome to the family of Rotary Club of Shillong, Rtn. Nand Kishore Singh and Rtn. Siddarth Sinha

Two new members were inducted into the family Club of Shillong on 29th August 2025. Membership Chair Rtn(Dr.) K.S. Sehdeva conducted the induction ceremony. Rtn (Dr.) Debashish Das, PDG and RRFC presented the Rotary pin to the newly inducted members, Rtn Nand Kishore Singh and Rtn. Siddarth Sinha



Teacher's Day : Significance and Theme

Teacher's Day is a reminder of the huge responsibility and authority teachers have in moulding the future generation. Teachers are not just instructors; they are guides, mentors, and role models who make students value-oriented, creative, and critical thinkers.

Teachers (or "gurus") in Indian society have always been greatly respected as pillars of society who show the way of wisdom and knowledge. The day is widely celebrated within colleges and schools through cultural programs, speeches, and events where students express their gratitude and thank them.

The theme of Teacher's Day 2025 is "**Inspiring the Next Generation of Learners**". This theme brings into focus the enormous contribution of teachers not only towards academic learning but also towards motivating learners to follow their interests, be creative, and learn to be strong and confident. This is a testimony to how present-day teachers are guides who guide students to succeed in a new world.

The government has launched several significant programs for empowering and elevating the teachers in the nation:

- **National Initiative for School Heads' and Teachers' Holistic Advancement (NISHTHA):** It is the world's largest integrated teacher training program to improve the quality of school education through inspiring principals and teachers and building their capacities.
- **National Mission for Mentoring (NMM):** Aligning with the National Education Policy 2020, the mission allows experienced mentors to share their wisdom with new teachers in order to enhance their professional capability and efficiency.
- **National Professional Standards for Teachers (NPST):** Compilation of guidelines and standards for teaching excellence in order to upkeep high standards in schools and institutions.

Apart from that, every year on Teacher's Day, the government confers National Awards on meritorious teachers for their excellent services towards education and the advancement of students.

Gist of proceedings of Regular meeting held on 29th August 2025

President Rtn. Chandana Das thanked Rtn K. Tibrewala for hosting a sumptuous fellowship. Members were acknowledged for sponsoring students at RYLA and they included Rtn M. Chaudhari-02, Rtn J. Chettri- 01, Rtn A. Singhania-02, Rtn K. Joshi-01, Rtn S.R.Joshi-01. The club was informed that on invitation by RCOC, President and Secretary of RCS had attended the Valedictory function of RYLA on 30 August 2025. The Installation of the Interact Club at Laban Bengalee Boys' HS School was announced for 02 September 2025. Rtn A. Saraf gave an update on the awards received by RCS from the District for the RY 2024-25. These awards included 2nd Rank in total TRF contribution in 24-25, Club Excellence award, Heart Surgery of 2 girl children, 1st rank in endowment fund contribution and 5th in Polio fund giving and APF Eagle Club Challenge of Nov 2024, Outstanding club magazine-Harmony, Magicians of Rotary family award to Master Kovidh Bajoria for authoring 3 books, Dr. Debashish Das for Endowment fund, Rtn Arandati Paul received the appreciation award as DEI Chair, Rtn Amit Sharma for Outstanding Zonal Foundation Chair. The district 3240 acknowledged the DG 2025-26, Rtn (Dr.) K.S. Elangbam with his spouse Dr Berlyda for their services and received recognitions for pivotal support in polio and as Polio plus fellow, 35th year district pool endowment 24-25, Member of Polio Plus society. Members proposed for making the club qualify for EREY for 2025-26. The induction of two new members, Mr Nand Kishore Singh and Mr Siddharth Sinha was conducted by Membership Chair Rtn (Dr.) K.S. SehDave. Rtn Skhemjingmut Law read out a letter received from Mr Ferdinand Lyngdoh, a PWD from EKANBHA Company, who proposed to supply eco-friendly handcrafted products made by PWDs. It was proposed to visit Bansara Eye Clinic to organise an eye check-up camp. Rtn K. Tibrewala suggested to execute the above two proposals made by Rtn Skhemjingmut Law. Members were urged to represent RCS at the Rotary events scheduled at Burdwan (14 Sept 2025) and Siliguri (19 Sept 2025).

Installation of Interact Club at Laban Bengalee Boys Hr Sec School

The new board of Interact Club of Laban Bengalee Boys Higher Secondary School was installed on 2nd September 2025 at the school premises. The installation was attended by Rtn (Dr.) Rakesh Puri, Director Youth Service and Rt. Chandana Das, President of the club.



President Rtn. Chandana Das and PP Rtn. Amit Saraf exchanging club flags with PP Rtn Subramaniam Sundaram, Rotary Club of Royapettah, Chennai, District 3233 during the Shillong visit of Rtn. Sundaram on 2nd September 2025.





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Registration fees
Early Bird Members Rs.2000/-
Members with Spouse Rs.3000/-
Prospective Members Rs.1000/-
Rotaractors Rs.700/-

Registration after 7th September
Members Rs.2500/-
Members with Spouse Rs.3800/-
Prospective Members Rs.1600/-
Rotaractors Rs.1000/-

Rotary Seminar in September 2025

GREETINGS

*Rtn Deepak Sarin celebrates his birthday on 5th September.
Members of the club wish you all happiness
on your birthday and always.*