

# Rotary Club of Durgapur Central

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Rotary Club of Durgapur Central recipient of Certificate of Participation in the Mental Health Online Seminar



Proud moment for Rotary Club of Durgapur Central (RCDC), being a certified recipient of participation in the Mental Health Online Seminar by Rtn. Sutapa Mukherjee on behalf of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central on 26 July 2024.

proud to be  
a **rotarian**.

**rotarians** are responsible leaders  
both socially and ethically.

**rotarians** discover and  
celebrate diverse perspectives.

**rotarians** make the world better  
one community at a time.



## The ROTARY ACTION PLAN



**TOGETHER** WE SEE A WORLD  
WHERE PEOPLE UNITE AND TAKE ACTION  
TO **CREATE** LASTING  
**CHANGE** ACROSS THE GLOBE  
IN OUR COMMUNITIES AND OUR LIVES

As we stand on the cusp of eliminating polio, we find ourselves poised for our next challenge. **The time is right to move forward realizing a new vision that brings more people together, creates more impact, and creates lasting change around the world.** To achieve the vision of Rotary International and The Rotary Foundation, we have set four priorities that will direct our work over the coming years.

**INCREASE OUR  
IMPACT**

- Eradicate polio and leverage the legacy
- Focus our programs and offerings
- Improve our ability to achieve and measure impact

**EXPAND OUR  
REACH**

- Grow and diversify our membership and participation
- Create new channels into Rotary
- Increase Rotary's openness and appeal
- Build awareness of our impact and brand

**ENHANCE  
PARTICIPANT  
ENGAGEMENT**

- Support clubs to better engage their members
- Develop a participant-centered approach to deliver value
- Offer new opportunities for personal and professional connection
- Provide leadership development and skills training

**INCREASE OUR  
ABILITY TO  
ADAPT**

- Build a culture of research, innovation, and willingness to take risks
- Streamline governance, structure, and processes
- Review governance to foster more diverse perspectives in decision-making



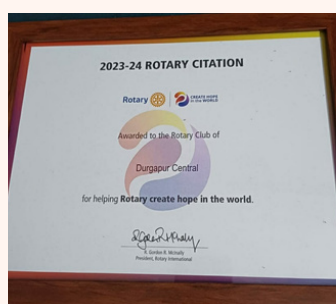
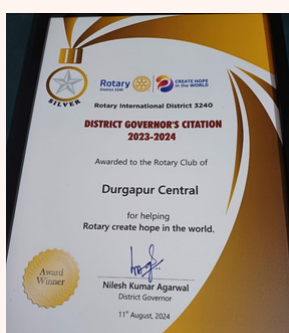
## FAMILY DINNER MEETING HELD ON 30TH AUG 2024



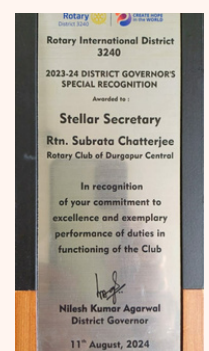
Family Dinner Meeting of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central was held on 30th Aug 2024 evening in Peerless Inn banquet hall. Large numbers of Rotarians and their families members along with Guests were present in the meeting. Two new members, Rtn Rekha Lakhotia & Rtn Ranjit Agarwal were inducted and they were formally provided with Rotary badge by the senior most members of the club in the meeting.



The officials of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central were also felicitated with Awards & Appreciation for last year's outstanding performance. Awards and Appreciations were given to Rtn Subrato Chatterjee for the best Secretary, Rtn Santosh Maheshwari for becoming AG Zone 2, Rtn Ashok Chandak for outstanding TRF collection & Rtn Sandeep Bhattacharya for being the President in 2023-24 to support the Rotary Foundation. It was a first family dinner meeting post installation and good attendance was visible, members also took part actively in games and other activities.



### Awards & Appreciations





## 78TH INDEPENDENCE DAY 2024 CELEBRATIONS

### At Sagarbhanga Hindi High School



Members of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central & Inner Wheel Club of Durgapur also attended the 78th Independence Day Flag Hoisting Ceremony at Sagarbhanga Hindi High School in Durgapur on 15th August 2024. Rtn Dr Asit Chatterjee & Rtn Manju Chandak from Rotary Club of Durgapur Central and Rtn Anita Maheshwari, President of Inner Wheel Club attended the flag hosting ceremony amidst large school students and teachers.

### At Munshi Prem Chand School at Sovapur



Members of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central attended the Flag hosting ceremony at Munshi Prem Chand School at Sovapur village on 15th August 2024 to mark the 78th Independence day celebration. Rtn Tapas Kanti Dutta and Rtn Mantaar Singh attended the event in the school premises and distributed sweet packets and chocolates to the children from Rotary Club of Durgapur Central. It is recalled here that Rotary Club Of Durgapur Central had provided 8 nos of Benches and Desks to this school from District Grant last week and the children were seen enjoying it on 78th Independence Day 2024 in the school.

### At Teresa Model School



Members of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central attended the 78th Independence Day celebration at Teresa Model School in Durgapur on 15th August 2024 and took part in the Flag Hosting ceremony. Rtn Santosh Maheshwari, Rtn Indranil Mukherjee and Rtn Shailesh Badiani attended the programme from Rotary Club of Durgapur Central in Teresa Model School. To mark this occasion, visiting Rotarians also took part in tree plantation drive organized by the Teresa Model School.



At Tennis Club premises, Rtn Ashok Chandak, Rtn Manju Chandak and Rtn Manish Verma also took part in plantation drive on 15th Aug 2024.



## ROTARY CLUB OF DURGAPUR CENTRAL & INNER WHEEL CLUB OF DURGAPUR JOINTLY DISTRIBUTED HEALTH KITS



Members of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central and Inner Wheel Club of Durgapur jointly distributed Health kits to underprivileged lactating mothers of infants aged 0-6 months at Vambhey Colony, Bidhannagar, on 5th August evening . Rtn Anuja Agarwal, President of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central; Rtn Anita Maheshwari, President of Inner Wheel Club of Durgapur, Rtn Mousumi Chatterjee and Rtn Manju Chandak were present and distributed the Horlicks packets as Health Kits .This project on Maternal and Child care was taken up by the Inner Wheel Club and Rotary Club of Durgapur Central for the benefit of underprivileged children and mothers.

## ROTARY CLUB OF DURGAPUR CENTRAL SPONSORED TRACK SUITS TO FOOTBALL TEAMS



On 6th Aug 2024 Like every year, this year also Members of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central attended the Ashis Jabbar Memorial Football Tournament Final Match at Lal Maidan, Rana Pratap Road, A-Zone on 6th Aug 2024 , afternoon . As part of a continuous project of promoting sports among the youth, Rtn Sandip Roy & Rtn Indranil Mukherjee of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central sponsored the track suits to both teams playing in the final. The final was played in between Bharti Volley Ball Club & Ukhra Academy Club. Rtn Santosh Maheshwari, Rtn Chagan Patel, Rtn Ram Gobind Agarwal and Rtn Deepak Kajaria were also present during the match today. Team Bharti Volleyball Club won the finals.

## DISTRICT GRANT ON TRF CONTRIBUTION



On 10th Aug 2024 , Rotary Club of Durgapur Central has contributed by providing 8 sets of benches and desks received under District Grant (D 3240) on fulfilment of committed TRF contribution . On 10th August 2024 morning, members of RCDC handed over the 8 desk and benches to Incharge of Munshi Premchand Shishu Shiksha Kendra, Sovapur, Durgapur. Now onwards, little students will be able to use the desks and benches facilities for their further studies. It is also to mention that it was the dream project of Rtn. Sandeep Bhattacharya, IPP for making this provisions to Munshi Premchand Shishu Shiksha Kendra of Sovapur , Durgapur and Rtn Anuja Agarwal , present President had contributed a lot in materialised this project.



## SIT & DRAW COMPETITION IN SETU RUN BY ROTARY CLUB OF DURGAPUR CENTRAL



Interact Club of St Michael's School organized a Sit & Draw Competition in SETU run by Rotary Club of Durgapur Central in Bidhannagar of Durgapur on 12th August 2024. The Interacts provided stationary items & colours to large numbers of participants present. Rtn. Subrata Chatterjee, Rtn. Malabika Mukherjee, Rtn Abhijit Neogi & Mrs. Madhumita Ghosh Pal were present during this competition. Teachers of St. Micheal's School were also present along with the Interacts. Prize distribution ceremony was organised on 15th August 2024 in the premises of SETU.

## ROTARY CLUB OF DURGAPUR CENTRAL ORGANISED "NURTURING BEGINNINGS " IN ASSOCIATION OF IQ CITY HOSPITAL



Members of Rotary Club of Durgapur Central had organised another campaign of "Nurturing Beginnings " with association of IQ City Hospital at Vambey Colony , Durgapur, on 13th August 2024 afternoon , large number of expected mothers enrolled for availing the facilities offered by I Q City hospital. Rtn Anuja Agarwal, President , Rtn Malabika Mukherjee , Rtn Dr Manish Verma of RCDC and Rtn Suparna Sengupta of IQ City hospital attended the occasion. Rotary Club of Durgapur Central distributed Rotary umbrellas and Sanitary napkins to the gathered expected mothers and others who were present there. Representatives from IQ City explained about the importance of nutrition and medical management during pregnancy and assured them of all kinds of medical help and medicines free of cost from IQ City hospital of Durgapur.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING



The Board of Directors meeting was held on 27th Aug 2024 in Peerless Inn in which almost all the Directors attended. The following agenda items were discussed. Discussion on Club By-laws ; Introducing the new member ; Treasurer's report ; Presentation of Balance sheet of last year ; Report on new proposal of Global Grant and Action Plan by all the directors for the year were held . Rtn Anuja Agarwal, President; Rtn Santosh Maheshwari, Secretary; Rtn Ashok Chandak; Rtn Deepak Agarwal; Rtn Sutapa Mukherjee ; Rtn Umesh Sharma, Treasurer; Rtn Manju Chandak, Rtn Sandeep Bhattacharjee, IPP; Rtn Rajesh Chopra, PP; Rtn Sanjay Sehgal & Rtn Mantaar Singh were present .



## REGULAR WEEKLY MEETINGS



Regular Weekly meetings were held in which Rtn Anuja Agarwal, President & Rtn Santosh Maheshwari, Secretary briefed about the recent projects. Rtn Umesh Sharma, presented the Treasurer's report. Members in large numbers attended the regular weekly meetings held in Aug 2024 on 9th & 23rd. Items like, NBA Form, Suggestions for Club Bylaws, Membership Induction, District Grant, Blood Centre Update, & Cataract Camp were discussed. Mr Umesh, Guest speaker briefed about GOONJ. Rtn. Arup Das, RILM Zonal Coordinator of our district, briefed the house on how RILM can help in running the Adult Literacy Centre at SETU & Pinnacle.

## Welcome New Members



Rtn Rekha Lakhota & Rtn Ranjit Agarwal were inducted on 30th Aug 2024 and they were formally provided with Rotary badge by the senior most members of the club. Welcome Rtn Ranjit Agarwal and Rtn Rekha Lakhota to Rotary Club of Durgapur Central.

## HAPPY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

SEPT 2024

1. Rtn Vivek Banka
2. Rtn Dipak Kajaria
3. Rtn Atanu Mukherjee
4. Anne Anupama Jha
5. Rtn Ajoy Paul
6. Anne Harman Alag
7. Rtn Sutapa Mukherjee
8. Rtn Umesh Sharma

DOB: 5th Sept  
DOB: 9th Sept  
DOB: 9th Sept  
DOB: 12th Sept  
DOB: 13th Sept  
DOB: 14th Sept  
DOB: 23rd Sept  
DOB: 28th Sept



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We meet on Friday in Peerless Inn at 8.30 PM.  
District website : <http://www.rid3240.org>