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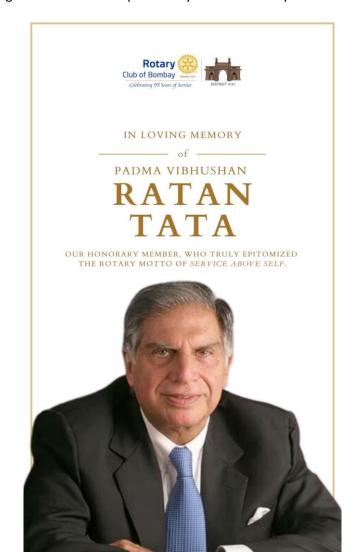
The "Magic" Corner





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Padma Vibhushan Ratan N. Tata, a visionary leader and philanthropist, has left an indelible mark on society through his unwavering commitment to social causes. His philanthropic contributions have transformed countless lives, particularly in the fields of education, healthcare, and rural development. Mr. Tata's association with the Rotary Club of Bombay has been a source of great pride and inspiration. He was an Arch Klumph Society member of The Rotary Foundation. His values of service, ethics, and compassion align perfectly with the Rotary ideals. We honor Mr. Ratan N. Tata for his extraordinary contributions and his unwavering commitment to making the world a better place. May his soul rest in peace.





Minutes of Meeting dated October 6, 2024

Date: October 6, 2024 (10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon)

Venue: Rotary Corner, Golmuri Club (Swachh Rotary Corner Initiative)

Presided by: President Rtn Subhrajit Basu

1. The meeting was called to order by President Subhrajit Basu.

2. National Anthem was sung by all.

3. Minutes of the meeting held on September 18, 2024 were passed.

4. Birthday greetings were conveyed to:

Rty Spouse A. S. Gogna (13th Oct)

Rty Let Gita Khan (1st Oct)

Rty Let Vivek Tulsyan (2nd Oct)

- 5. Secretary's Announcements made by Rtn Nidhi Basu
- Sabal Visit is scheduled for October 8th at 11 AM, being organized by Rtn. Prantik Sarkar.
- The 2nd General Meeting of the month will be held on October 23rd, with the speaker to be announced. (now Interactors and Rotaractors Installation ceremony)
- The 4th Board Meeting will take place on October 19th, hosted by Rtn Indira Dhar.
- On October 27th, there will be a TB Programme Meeting with the DG. (now postponed)
- 6. President Rtn. Subhrajit Basu thanked the Rotarians and Rotary Spouses present for the Swachh Rotary Corner Initiative. He explained the purpose of the initiative and to enable finally documents sorting, retrieval and create a list of missing documents. He also encouraged that after this initiative the Rotary Corner Committee will plan and renovate the place.

Participants: PP Rtn Dr Tamal Deb, PP Rtn Dr Anup Gupta, PP Rtn P M Dutta, PP Rtn V K Kohli, PP Rtn Dr Pritpal Singh, PP Rtn Madan Behari, IPP Rtn Prema Gogna, Rtn R Santosshi, Rty Sp Ravi, Jt Secy Rtn Nidhi and Prabir Roy.

- 7. A massive exercise was carried out to identify and retrieve key documents and discard all unnecessary old files. Almost 12-15 kgs of junk were cleared from the rotary corner. This was the first step towards making our Rotary Corner modern and productive.
- 8. A sumptuous fellowship was sponsored by Rtn Santoshhi and Rty Spouse Ravi at the Golmuri Club new dining hall. Everyone enjoyed the camaraderie after a few hours of hard work with laughter, storytelling and fellowship.
- 9. PP Rtn. V K Kohli proposed a hearty vote of thanks to Rtn Santosshi and Rty Spouse Ravi. He also congratulated President Rtn Subhrajit Basu for carrying out this important exercise, which was long due.
- 10. Sergeant-at-Arms Report: Total members: 40 | Members present: 10 | Attendance: 25% | Rotary Spouses: 1.
- 11. The meeting was adjourned with good wishes for the festive season ahead.



Swachh Rotary Corner Initiative





Highlights of Board Meeting Sep 22, 2024

Date: Sep 19, 2024 (7:00 PM to 8:30 PM)

Venue: Linde Pavilion, Golmuri Club

Hosted by: RCJE

Presided by: Rtn Subhrajit Basu

- 1. President Subhrajit Basu congratulated the Core Team organizing the SDDS Annual Day Programme. Reflections on improvement areas was carried out.
- 2. RCC Plan shared by Director Service Projects, Rtn Jayanti Datt which will include a Foot Ball Match, TB Awareness, Heath Check up etc..
- 3. RCJE to focus on document retrieval system, Swachh Rotary Corner initiative is the first step towards the same.
- 4. Broad outline on the TB Project was discussed.
- 5. World Heart Day Programme was discussed, including CPR Awareness at the Millennium Park, Telco.
- 6. The position of Treasurer was discussed and subsequently PP Rtn Dr Pritpal Singh was included in the Board as the Treasurer.
- 7. Updates on ENT check up for the students and SABAL visit was discussed.











Eight intrepid Rotarians and a Rotary spouse assembled for the **Sensitisation Workshop at the Sabal Centre at Sakchi** on the bright autumn morning of the 8th of October. The walls of the conference hall where we sat had framed posters giving varied information about persons with disability (PwD) and of the centre. Mr Somen, the first speaker, physically challenged himself, began with the history of the centre. SABAL centre was started in 2017 by Tata Steel Foundation in partnership with Enable India in Noamundi mines, to focus on the PwD from Joda and rural areas and continued thereafter in 2021 in Sukunda, Orissa. The third centre in Jamshedpur was established with the experience gained in the year 2022.

Sabal is an ecosystem for persons with disability or different abilities rather and is designed to enable dignity through accessible infrastructure, capability development, economic independence and sensitisation. Sabal today has established itself as an ecosystem that has engaged with more than 5,000 people and more than 50 government and private organisations. In addition to fulfilling the aforementioned objectives, Sabal also directly engages with PwDs for livelihood and skill development programmes through various trainings, foundation courses, digital literacy and skill enhancement workshops.

Kumar Gaurav, head of SABAL, an eloquent and confident man with crutches, was the next speaker. He defined disability and informed us that worldwide, over one billion individuals face some form of disability. A PwD generally experiences adverse socioeconomic outcomes, poverty and physiologic stress, and inequity in access to essential resources such as education, health care facilities, employment, and social participation. He emphasised that their program's focus was on catering to all 21 types of PwDs, including acid attack victims, Parkinsonism, etc. and envisioning a life of dignity for them.

Meena, visually impaired herself was the next. She explained the importance of touch and how to build on it. Our blindfolded President Subhrajit was handed a currency note and was asked about its denomination. He correctly revealed that it was not Indian currency that he was holding.

The next speaker Monika trained in Delhi, demonstrated how hand gestures, facial expressions, and body movements are used to communicate with the hearing impaired. She with hand gestures showed how to form words and sentences with ardent learners Rtns Subhrajit and Kailashji copying them studiously.

The next was a visit to the hall with different aids for the handicapped. This included apparatus to learn Braille, a watch with a big face and needles which could be felt, innovative keyboards, Ludo and Chess games. A white cane was shown and its use explained. Rotarians were also led to a dark room to experience how daily living for the blind was.

As I traced my pat back from the hall, I noticed that the path to the main gate of Sabal was studded with elevated dots and dashes leading to different areas which helped the blind find their way. Ramps and railings were visible all around for the locomotor disabled.

It was a revealing and educative experience which demonstrated the difficulties that the PwDs face and how much more that we the normal individuals can do to share this earth with them.

I conclude here to quote a poster that I saw on the Sabal wall - 'In the dwarfism community, the word "average" is used instead of the word "normal" ...

SABAL aims to discover, recognise, and celebrate talent among People with disabilities and preserve their innate spirit in their pursuit of success and excellence.



Visit to Sabal Centre – October 8, 2024

































Tribute to Padma Vibhushan Ratan N Tata

began my career with the Tata Group in 2004, inspired by the legacy and leadership of Mr. Ratan N Tata. His influence was not only in business but in upholding values that continue to define the group. The introduction of the Tata Business Excellence Model (TBEM) and the Tata Code of Conduct set global benchmarks for excellence, corporate governance and ethical practices, guiding the group and setting a precedent worldwide.

A highlight of my career was in 2009 at the JRDQV award function, where I was recognized as a TBEM Assessor. Meeting Mr. Tata for the first time, getting an opportunity to capture a snap with him, his warmth and smile left a lasting impression, motivating me to contribute further. Over the years, I had the opportunity to meet and greet him many times, and each encounter reaffirmed his genuine nature and ability to inspire.

Currently, as the process custodian for TBEM assessments in the Tata Group, I am proud to carry forward the movement Mr. Tata started in 1995. His vision continues to guide me and my colleagues. His approachable and humble leadership style endeared him to many, and his impact extended beyond the Tata Group, including his honorary membership with the Rotary Club of Bombay. I was so happy to know about this, during my visit to the club.

Mr. Tata's passing left a void, but the state, national, and global tributes he received are a testament to his monumental influence. His legacy lives on in those of us within the Tata Group, and we are guided by his values and vision, striving to honour his memory through our actions.

Rtn. Subhrajit Basu







Tribute to Padma Vibhushan Ratan N Tata



A Painting by PP Rtn J D Singh



Remembering Mr Tata from the Archives by PP Rtn V K Kohli

The residents of River View Enclave, Telco Jamshedpur, were all set to celebrate Durga Puja with great enthusiasm. The inauguration took place on October 9th, but in the early hours of the night, we received the heartbreaking news of the passing of a precious soul, Ratan Tata who had been a beacon of humanity for the nation. This loss reminds us that life is a journey, and we must accept that this is the inevitable truth of life.

In light of this, we decided to proceed with the Puja rituals sincerely but suspended all cultural events. On October 10th, we, the residents of the enclave, paid our respects by offering floral tributes.

On the third day of our homage, on October 12th, we organized a Gita Shloka recitation, in honour of the departed soul of Sri Tata to reflect on the profound message: **The soul is eternal, ageless, and immortal.***

Renowned Bollywood singer Shilpa Rao's father Mr S V Rao sang the bhajans with others for the Gita Path .

We know that this *Ratan* will forever shine in our hearts.

As Tagore beautifully expressed: "My freedom is in the light, in this sky... My freedom is in the hearts of all, in overcoming sorrow and challenges with strength."

Rtn. Indira Dhar



PP Rtn Dr S S Razi paying tribute at Arka Jain University



Residents of River View Enclave paying homage





RCJE in District Magazine

DASHBOARD

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HAZARIBAGH JAGRITI

On September 2, a cervical cancer awareness camp was held at St. Elizabeth School, led by Dr. Juhi Chawla, who emphasized vaccination for prevention. The club celebrated Teachers' Day by honouring educators from five schools under the Rotary Nation Builder Award. On International Suicide Prevention Day, a mental health awareness session was held at Bihari Girls School with psychologist Mrs. R. Baneriea. The club also facilitated cataract surgeries at Rohini Devi Rotary Netralaya and hosted multiple health camps under the Know Your Number initiative, conducting blood pressure, sugar, and eye checkups. In addition, seminars on International Peace Day. tree plantations, and water purifier installations were carried out, along with literacy missions addressing student empowerment.



JAMSHEDPUR EAST

The Rotary Club of Jamshedpur East (RCJE) carried out numerous impactful activities from health awareness to cultural events. A TB awareness session was held at People's Academy, Devnagar Basti, which included a skit highlighting

the impact of tuberculosis, along with a health camp for teachers. On 10th September 2024, the club celebrated the Annual Day of Siddheswar Deaf and Dumb School, showcasing various performances by the students, including Adivasi dances and yoga displays. The RCJE team also conducted a TB awareness campaign on 24th September by distributing nutritional food to TB patients. In addition, a CPR awareness session was organized on World Heart Day (29th September), where doctors demonstrated life-saving techniques to the public. Also conducted ENT check-ups and audiometry tests for the students of Siddheswar Deaf and Dumb School, expressing heartfelt thanks to the medical professionals involved.







JAMSHEDPUR FEMINA

On 8th September 2024, a mother and child care clinic was inaugurated in Sonari with the participation of gynaecologists, a dentist, and a physician. A mental health and stress management session was held at Govt. Girls High School in Khukradih. In Jeera Dungari village, RCJF opened a learning centre for children under six, providing early education opportunities, while sweets were distributed and mothers were educated on hygiene and the importance of sending children to school. Similarly, a learning centre was established at Palna Ghar to offer children of daily wage workers a fun learning environment with educational materials. On 25th September, CPR training for 140 students was conducted at a B.Ed college in Kadma. Additionally, 100 food packets were distributed near the railway station and temple. RCJF organized a Walkathon and heart health awareness camp in Bhatiya Park in observance of World Heart Day. A plant distribution and awareness drive took place at Link Road, where 75 fruit plants were distributed, and 20 saplings were planted in the Army Camp, Jamshedpur, with the help of officers and jawans to promote environmental consciousness.











RI Presidential Message - October 2024



Stephanie A. Urchick President 2024-25

With World Polio Day on 24 October, I'm proudly rooting for Rotary as we team up around the world to End Polio Now. I had the honor of attending a Strike Out Polio event in July at PNC Park, home of the Pittsburgh Pirates MLB team. The Rotary Club of Delmont-Salem hosted the event, which raised \$1.3 million for PolioPlus.

Later in the summer, I joined members of our Rotary family in supporting the Más Millas Menos Polio (More Miles Less Polio) bike ride. Felipe Meza Chávez and his team rode all the way from Ciudad Juárez, Mexico, to One Rotary Center in Evanston, Illinois, to raise money and awareness. The ride took 12 days, and Felipe and his team collected more than \$100,000 to support the fight against polio. It was a joy to greet them as they arrived in Evanston.

And I was thrilled to see Team End Polio raise global awareness around the 2024 Paris Olympics. This world-class roster of athletes, global leaders, and polio eradication supporters came together to advocate for a world where no child has to live in fear of being paralyzed by polio. Some of the athletes on Team End Polio are polio survivors themselves, adding weight to their advocacy. These are just a few examples of the many ways Rotary has teamed up recently to End Polio Now. It is vital that we continue to seek out and recruit teammates in polio eradication, especially after the challenges our eradication efforts have faced this year.

The Rotary world was heartbroken to learn about the tragic passing in August of Aidan O'Leary, director for polio eradication at the World Health Organization. I knew Aidan and worked with him directly. He was a tireless advocate in the fight against polio and a kind, genuine man. We will remember him both for his advocacy and his warmth.

But where there is hardship, there is also hope. I feel hopeful whenever I consider the countless ways Rotary supports the fight every day to eradicate polio.

As people of action, we don't have the luxury of giving in to despair, even in the face of tragedy. The best way to honor Aidan's memory is by teaming up and reaching our goal to End Polio Now. We made a promise to the children of the world and their families. It is incumbent upon us, together with our global partners, to end this threat once and for all. There are so many ways we can team up to eradicate polio. You can donate to the End Polio Now campaign, join or initiate a PolioPlus Society in your club or district, or take inspiration from the fundraisers I mentioned above.

I encourage Rotary members around the world to continue to seek out new teammates, so that together, we end polio.



Rotary Theme of the Month

The Rotary Foundation enables Rotarians to invest in people by creating sustainable, measurable and long term economic improvements in their communities and livelihoods by :

- 1. Building the capacity of entrepreneurs, community leaders, local organizations, and community networks to support economic development in impoverished communities;
- 2. Developing opportunities for productive work;
- 3. Reducing poverty in under-served communities;
- 4. Supporting studies for career-minded professionals related to economic and community development.





TAKE ACTION: Join Rotary, Get Involved

















Global Handwashing Day







GLOBAL HANDWASHING DAY OCTOBER 15

"Why are clean hands still important"

GHD Theme for 2024

Global Handwashing Day is a global healthcare event celebrated on the 15th of October every year to create awareness and understanding about the need for handwashing with soap as a simple, effective, and affordable way to avoid diseases.

List of Events:

- Educate the Children about "Importance of Handwash"
- Teach them 7 ways of Handwash
- Organise events in various schools between 15th Oct to 22nd Oct. 2024 (preferably Government Schools)
- · Distribution of free soap in Schools.
- · Photo Competition





Rtn. V Murali Manohar Chair-Water & Sanitation

Rtn. Dr. Ashok Kumar Co-Chair

7 STEPS OF HANDWASHING







Wet your hands and apply soap or hand wash

Rub your palms together in a circular motion

Clean your fingers fingers



Rub the back of your fingers and repeat for



Rub your thumbs other side once



Rub your fingerand repeat for the tips and repeat for your other hand



Rinse your hands thoroughly with water and dry them

Recommended Duration: 20 seconds



SAVE LIVES!



Upcoming District Events







End Polio – Donate for the Cause

5 REASONS WHY WE MUST ERADICATE POLIO

1 YOUR GIFT WILL IMPROVE LIVES.

Today, 20 million people who would otherwise be paralyzed by polio are walking, and 1.5 million people who would otherwise have died are alive.

2 YOUR GIFT WILL INVEST IN THE FUTURE.

If all eradication efforts stopped today, within 10 years, polio could paralyze as many as 200,000 children each year. A polio-free world will be a healthier world for children everywhere.

3 YOUR GIFT WILL IMPROVE CHILD HEALTH.

Polio surveillance networks and vaccination campaigns also monitor children for other health problems, like vitamin deficiency and measles, so we can address them sooner.

4 YOUR GIFT WILL LOWER HEALTH CARE COSTS.

The global effort to eradicate polio has already saved more than \$27 billion in health care costs since 1988, and expects to save \$14 billion more by 2050.

5 YOUR GIFT WILL MAKE HISTORY.

Polio eradication will be one of history's greatest public health achievements, with polio following smallpox to become only the second human disease eradicated from the world.



At the end of the 1980s, more than 350,000 children were paralyzed by polio every year. Today, Rotary and its partners have reduced the incidence of polio by 99.9%. However, until we see the last of the poliovirus, eradication efforts need additional funding to:

IMMUNIZE

more than 400 million children against polio every year

IMPROVE

disease surveillance systems to detect any poliovirus in a person or the environment

HIRE

more than 150,000 health workers to go door to door to find every child

Donate now at endpolio.org





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Upcoming RCJE Event



Invitation

Rotary Club of Jamshedpur East Cordially Invites you to the

INSTALLATION CEREMONY

of the

Rotaract Club and Interact Clubs (Sponsored by the Rotary Club of Jamshedpur East)

Date: October 23, 2024 Time: 7:30 to 8:30 PM Venue: Linde Pavilion, Golmuri Club

PDG Rtn. Pratim Banerjee (Counsellor - District Team for New Generations) has kindly consented to be the Installation Officer for the Interactors &

> Rtn. Simran Saggu (District Chair Rotaract)

has kindly consented to be the Installation officer for the Rotaractors

In presence of AG Rtn. Nibha Mishra

Kindly be seated by 7:20 PM



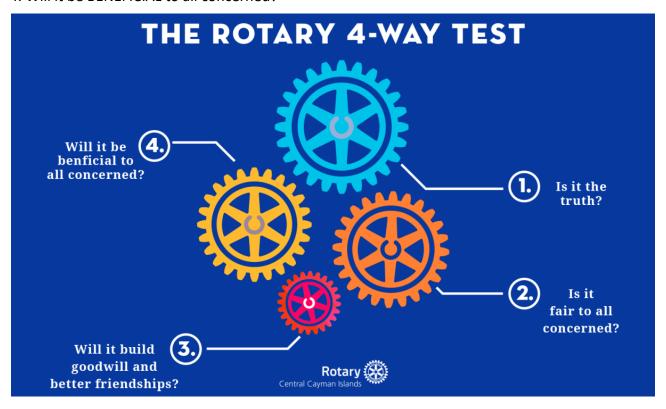
50 Things Every Rotarian Should Know About Rotary

6 - THE 4-WAY TEST One of the most widely printed and quoted statements of business ethics in the world is the Rotary "4-Way Test." It was created by Rotarian Herbert J. Taylor in 1932 when he was asked to take charge of the Chicago based Club Aluminum Company, which was facing bankruptcy Taylor looked for a way to save the struggling company mired in depression-caused financial difficulties. He drew up a 24-word code of ethics for all employees to follow in their business and professional lives. The 4-Way Test became the guide for sales, production, advertising and all relations with dealers and customers, and the survival of the company was credited to this simple philosophy.

Herb Taylor became president of Rotary International during 1954-55. The 4-Way Test was adopted by Rotary in 1943 and has been translated into more than 100 languages and published in thousands of ways.

The message should be known and followed by all Rotarians. "Of the things we think, say or 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 "Magic" Corner

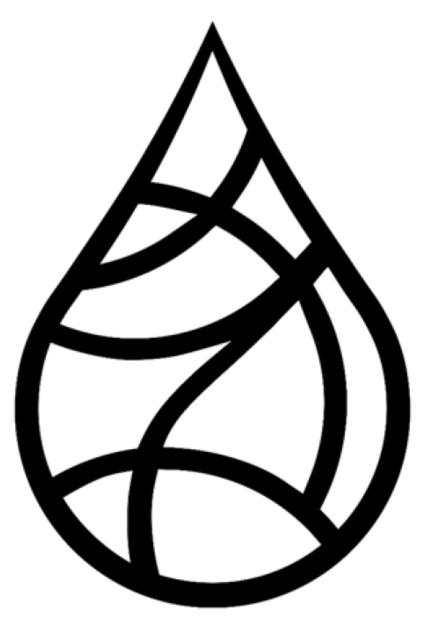


Durga Puja brings a message of hope, renewal, and the victory of good over evil. It symbolizes the power of inner strength, the importance of courage in the face of challenges, and the triumph of righteousness. The festival also fosters unity, harmony, and the spirit of togetherness as communities come together to celebrate and worship.

Durga symbolizes power, protection, and the triumph of good over evil. She represents the divine feminine force, or *Shakti*, embodying courage, strength, and resilience. Durga is often depicted as a fierce warrior goddess who battles and defeats evil forces, symbolizing the destruction of ignorance, arrogance, and injustice.

She also embodies nurturing and compassion, reflecting the balance between fierce protection and maternal care. Her many arms holding weapons reflect her ability to face challenges from all directions and protect her devotees.

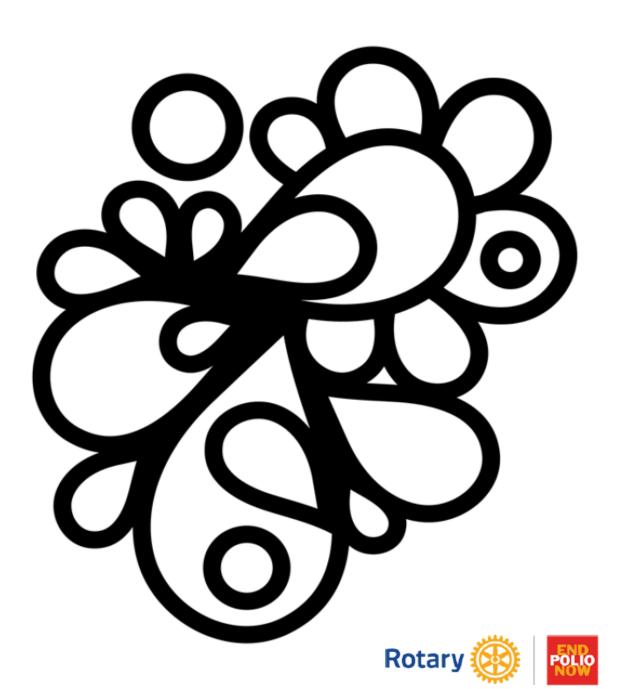












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