



VIKRAMSHILA CHAKRA

Weekly Club Bulletin of

ROTARY CLUB OF BHAGALPUR



RI DISTRICT 3250 CLUB NO. 16000

INAUGURATED ON
21ST JUNE 1959

CHARTERED ON
31ST JULY, 1959

100% PHF CLUB

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Rtn Stephanie A Urchik

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We Meet Every Saturday at 8 pm at Hotel Nihar

31.07.2024 (R.Y. 2024-25)

The Four Way Test

- 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?

GREETINGS

Birthdays

- 31st July Rtn Dr Anita Chatterjee
31st July Rtn Navin Chandra Jha
7th Aug Rtn Papiya Kumar
8th Aug Rtn Alok Agrawal
8th Aug Rtnee Ameeta w/o
Rtn Rajesh Kumar Sinha
8th Aug Rtnee Deepali w/o
Rtn Sunil Kumar Choudhary

TODAY'S PROGRAMME:
66TH CHARTER NIGHT

OUR CHIEF GUEST- AG RTN DR SANJAY KUMAR



Born on 25th August, 1950 PP Rtn. Dr. Sanjay Kumar did his schooling from Netarhat Residential School. He got his M.B.B.S from M.G.M Medical College, Jamshedpur in the year 1976 and M. S. in Ophthalmology in 1982 from Patna Medical College and Hospital, Patna. He joined Bihar State Health Services in 1983 and retired in 2017.

He joined the Rotary Club of Bhagalpur in July 1993. He served the club in various capacities as Director, Treasurer, President etc. Rtn. Sanjay Kumar, a sports enthusiast, was Captain of School Hockey Team and Vice-Captain of School Football Team. He has also participated in Republic Day Parade as NCC Air Wing Cadet in 1967. He has been President of Bhagalpur IMA. He is a great music lover, a Tabla player, and a great singer. His classification in the club is Ophthalmology – Contact Lens. He is happily married to Renu Kumar and is blessed with two daughters. Elder daughter Sonam, an engineer and MBA(Finance), is happily married to Girvar, an engineer by profession. Younger daughter Kopal, is a doctor and happily married to Nitesh, an engineer. Dr. Sanjay Kumar is an eye specialist and is in active medical practice.



If your baby's skin looks blue,
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CHD is a birth defect that gives a blue tinge to a baby's skin, lips, fingers or toes



What are the 4 pillars of Rotary?

- The pillars are
- 1) Membership,
 - 2) Programs,
 - 3) Projects, and
 - 4) Fund Raising.

Build on each of these pillars and you will develop an outstanding Rotary Club. As many District clubs have learned these past two years, club membership growth solves many issues facing Rotary clubs today.

From the archives.....

Programme Agenda alongwith name of Charter Members for the Charter Presentation meeting held on 27th Sept., 1959

(courtesy: PP Rtn N.K. Singh)

Rotary Club of Bhagalpur



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ROTARY CLUB OF PATNA

INAUGURATED ON
SUNDAY 21st JUNE 1959.

AND
ORGANISED BY
Past President K. N. KHANNA
Dist. Governor's Special Representative

CHARTER GRANTED ON
JULY 31, 1959

MEETS
MONDAY AT 6-45 FOR 7-15 P. M.
AT
STATION CLUB

ROTARY CLUB OF BHAGALPUR.

Programme

OF CHARTER PRESENTATION MEETING

Meeting Called to Order at 7-30 p. m.

1. National Anthem.
2. Welcome Address by Rtn. M. L. Himmatsingka
3. Toast—Republic of India by President Rtn. B. B. Pershad.
4. Introduction and Welcome of the R. I. Officers by President Rtn. B. B. Pershad.
5. Toast—Rotary International by President Rtn. B. B. Pershad.
6. Introduction and Welcome of Club Guests by Director Rtn. G. S. Maheshka.
7. Introduction of Visiting Rotarians & Welcome by Secy. Rtn. D. C. Chaturvedi.
8. Introduction of founder members by Director Rtn. S. N. Saxena.
9. Address by the Chief Guest.
10. Presentation of Charter by Past Dist. Governor Lawly Sen.
11. Response by President B. B. Pershad and Acceptance of Charter.
12. Induction of new members Sri B. L. Kotriwal and Sri C. D. Singh.
13. Toast of Dist. Governor by K. N. Khanna and talk by Rotarians.
14. Light Music.
15. Messages and Presentations by visiting Rotarians.
16. Vote of Thanks by Rtn. ~~Director~~ Prantosh Ray.
17. Dance.
18. Sunshine by Rtn. N.K. Ghosh, Sergeant-at-Arms.
19. Toast by fellowship Chairman Rtn. M.P. Mawandia.
20. Termination and Dinner.

ROTARY CLUB OF BHAGALPUR

DIST. 325, R. I.

LIST OF CHARTER MEMBERS

1. Brajbansh Pershad—President
2. Shiva Narayan Ram—Vice-President
3. Dal Chandra Chaturvedi—Secretary
4. Bibhuti Bhusan Dutta—Treasurer
5. Chandi Shanker Prasad—Director & Joint Secy.
6. Gauri Shanker Maheshka—Director
7. Satyendra Nath Saxena—Director
8. Hari Shanker Sahay—Director
9. Nirmal Kumar Ghosh—Sergeant-at-Arms
10. Madan Lal Himatsingka Member
11. Bajrang Lal Hamirwasia "
12. Shiva Shanker Maheshka "
13. Gaya Kumar "
14. Surendra Das Gupta "
15. Mahabir Prasad Mawandia "
16. Satya Narayan Churiwala "
17. Prantosh Ray "
18. S. C. Ghosh "
19. Lokenath Sah "
20. Radhika Sharan Bajpeyi "
21. Narendra Prasad Shaw "
22. Bhagwati Prasad Drolia "
23. Narendra Mohan Thakur "
24. Mrinmaya Choudhury "
25. Padubidri Subraya Prabhu "
26. Bhabesh Prasad Ram "
27. Ambalal Vaghajbhai Patel "
28. Ram Prasad Maheshka "
29. Kishori Lal Dhandhamia "
30. Mukutdhari "Deen" "
31. Shyam Shanker Sahay "
32. Radhey Shyam Agrawal "

BRIEF HISTORY

OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF BHAGALPUR.

Bhagalpur is one of the historical town of the State of Bihar situated on the banks of the Holy Ganga with a population of about a lac and a half. This bears ancient memories of Raja Karan and Vikramshila University. Primarily an agricultural town but reviving fast as an educational centre. Here exists the biggest Agricultural College of the State. Proposals for setting up a separate University are afoot. It is very famous for Silk Industry, and its products are Dollar earners.

The town was devoid of an organisation which could claim members of family of 'MAN'. The idea of opening a Rotary Club, therefore, struck to the intellegentia of the town Messrs G.S. Maheshka, M.L. Himmatsingka, Dr. A. K. Ghose, Rotarian S.N. Saxena, C. S. Prasad, H.S. Sahay, and D. C. Chaturvedi took the lead and surveyed the Community. A list of 32 members representing major communities and occupations was finalised to encourage and foster the Rotary ideals.

THE PROGRAM OF ROTARY

Rotary's program is to encourage & foster the "Ideal of Service" as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster :

1. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service ;
2. High ethical standards in business and profession; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
3. The application of the "Ideal of Service" by every Rotarian to his personal, business and community life ;
4. The advancement of international understanding goodwill, & peace through a world fellowship of business and professional men united in the 'Ideal of Service.'

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

Rotary Club of Bhagalpur

DIST. 325, R. I.



CHARTER PRESENTATION

BY
PAST DISTRICT GOVERNOR

LAWLY SEN



CHIEF GUEST:

PAST DISTRICT GOVERNOR

B. T. THAKUR

Sunday, September 27, 1959

at 7-30 p. m.

Navyug Vidyalaya Hall.

HE PROFITS MOST WHO SERVES BEST

Your Obligations as a Rotarian

Attend weekly meetings regularly

As a fellowship and service organization, Rotarians count on one another to contribute their time to weekly meetings, committee work, and service events. As a Rotarian, frequent attendance is a must.

Participate in service projects and club committee work

Our members share a key mission: to serve our community and those in need throughout the world. To be a Rotarian, you must give of your time and talents: in community work, in social functions, and in Club and District Activities. Each Rotarian is expected to serve on at least one committee. The Rotary Club of Parker is involved in a large number of service projects and programs that give our members many opportunities to get involved.

Provide financial support

Members are expected to contribute to **The Rotary [International] Foundation**.

Rotary members have the obligations to pay half yearly dues

Minutes of RWM 3080 held on 27.7.24 at Hotel Nihar from 8.00 pm.

1. Meeting was called to order by President Rtn. Ram Krishna Jha followed by National Anthem.
2. The Four-way test recited by the members.
3. Minutes of the last weekly meeting no.3079 was confirmed by the house.
4. Greetings was announced by Acting Sgt-at-Arms Rtn Rajesh Kumar Verma.
5. Secretary Rtn. Ashok Lohia read out the club business.
 - RI Dues as well District Dues has been settled by club. Special thanks to President and Treasurer.
 - District seminar on Grant Management was held at Nalanda on 21.7.24. Members attended were President Rtn. Ram Krishna Jha, Secretary Rtn. Ashok Lohia and PP Rtn. Satyajit sahay.
 - A software has been purchased by the Club to raise bills and to maintain accounts.
6. BOD was held on 25.7.24 from 8 pm at Hotel Nihar. The host was Rtn. Dr. Neeraj Kumar Gupta. On behalf of President, Secretary read out the decisions of BOD.
 - It is decided to organise Chartered Night on 31.7.24 followed by cultural programme and club Dinner.
 - For this RWM Dated 3.8.24 has been preponed to 31.7.24.
 - The Chief Guest will be PDG Rtn. Pratim Banerjee.
 - It is also decided to organise Sawan Mahotsav in the month of Sawan.
 - Kawaria seva will be held on 11th and 18th of August 2024, at the outside of Hotel Nihar.
 - The revised rete for booking mortuary van is now Rs. 1,500/-.
 - Proposals of two new members discussed and cleared by the Board.
 - Discussions were also held on forthcoming seminars being hosted by our club in September and November.
 - It is also decided to provide Steel Almirah to some Govt schools for library purpose.
 - Club assembly will be held on 4th of August,2024. All Chairpersons as well as members of the committees are requested to come with new proposals and their budget.
7. Rtn. Mithilesh Kumar Sinha conducted Rotary Quiz with some questions.
8. Rtn. Rajesh Kumar Verma spoke on timely conduct of Rotary Programmes.
9. PP Rtn. Kamal Mohan Thakur suggested ways of Retention of club Members.
10. PP Rtn. Satyajit Sahay Spoke on coming Literacy and Disease Prevention seminar which is being organised by our Club on 22nd September 2024. It is decided to add Rs.1500/- as a club members fee for the seminars, in the 1st half 2024 bill of every member. It is mandatory for every members to contribute this amount to meet seminar expenses.
11. Attendance 19 with greetings to RI and RC of Patliputra the meeting was adjourned.

Rtn. Ram Krishna Jha
President

Rtn. Ashok Kumar Lohia
Secretary

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