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*Today's programme
Talk on water, sanitation,
& hygiene*

EDITORIAL

“Ap Marut Vyom”

These three words from Rigveda represents essential elements of the universe-water, air, and the sky. In every religion water is essential and associated with purification, life and divine blessings. It's advised in Rigveda that water must be protected and respected because it carries divine energy and sustains both body and soul.

Marut depicted as wind, storm, and thunder. our breath and life force. It is the destroyer and creator. Vyom denotes sky, limitless, and consciousness. Consciousness is mental clarity and awareness.

In Upanishad “Apah Chaitanya” (awareness of the value of water) guides us on protection and preservation of water.

Ap Marut Vyom are associated with the present concern of climate change, pollution, and conservation. These words remind us to balance, respect, and sustain nature.

-Editor

OUR SPEAKER



PP. Rtn. Er. Sarbeswar Barik was born to father Late Narayan Barik and Mother Shantilata Barik on 14/03/1963 at Village Gagra, Under Kendrapada District.

Er. Sarbeswar Barik joined in Public Health Engineering Department on 27.01.1989 and retired as Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Panchayat Raj & Drinking Water Department, Government Of Odisha on 31/03/2023.

Educational Qualification:

*B.E(Civil Engineering)-1985 from MNIT, Jaipur.

*M.Tech(Civil Engineering)-2004 from IIT, Kharagpur with specialization in Environmental Engineering & Management.

He joined Rotary Club of Silver City in 2004 and became Club President during Rotary Year 2013-14 and then joined Rotary Club of Cuttack Mahanagar and became President of the Club during R.Y2023-24), Assistant Governor in RY2014-15.

He became President of Rotary Club of Cuttack Mahanagar for RY 2023-24 and was awarded Bahubali President in Gold Category.

Appreciation and Recognition on Service:

*Best Club President for RY-2013-14 by RI.

*Avenue Of Service Citation for Individual Rotarian by RI

*Governor's Recognition for commendable Services as Club Secretary.

*Under his leadership Rotary Clubs received various Awards.

Awards Received:

*SafalJantri by Odisha Pratibha Puja Sansad in State Level Conference 2007

*Best Performing Circle as Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Balasore by Government of Odisha in 2018.

*Dakshya Prasasaka Samman in State Level Function in 2023.

Life Members:

*Life Member, Institute of Public Health Engineers.

*Life Member, Indian Water Works Association.

*Life Member, Cuttack City Engineers Club

*Life Member, Odisha Senior PH Engineers Association.

Er. Barik happily married to Dr. Nandita Barik on 25.04.1988 and Blessed with one daughter Er. Upasana Das now working for Deloitte and a son Er. Brajeswar Das who has recently graduated from BITS, Pilani.

**MINUTES OF WEEKLY MEETING
NO 3780 HELD ON 12/03/2025
AT JPM RCC EYE HOSPITAL &
RI, SEC-6, CDA, CUTTACK**

Meeting was called to order by the President Rtn Akshya Kumar Nayak & after the National Anthem was recited one minute silence

was observed calling upon the Almighty for World Peace and Better Understanding & another one minute silence was observed for Late Savitri Choudhury beloved mother of Rtn. Pruthviraj Choudhary who left for heavenly abode on 7th March '25, thereafter President welcomed esteemed Rotarians, Anns & Guests present in the meeting & then minutes of the last weekly meeting circulated through the weekly bulletin was confirmed. Fellowship announcement was made by the Rtn Tanmaykantee Sahoo & Secretary Rtn Er. Sunyeswar Swain briefed the august house about the activities of the Club & its permanent projects. Sgt -At - Arms Rtn. Tasneem Dodia escorted the Speakers Smt. Meera Beura, writer & Columnist & Smt Mamata Panda, President, Inner Wheel Club of Cuttack to the dais & greeted them with flower bouquets. As per request of President visiting Rtn. Dr. Biranchi Narayan Mohanty & Prashant Kumar Rout made the special announcement regarding conduct of District Community Health Seminar on Palliative Care hosted by RCC & RC Greater in association with Amrit Dhara Palliative Care Trust at JPM Eye Hospital & RI on 23rd March 25 & requested all Rotarians to register their name by paying fees of Rs 300/- only. Then President briefly described about today's Topic "Observation of International Women's Day" & invited Rtn. Narayan Chandra Pal for introduction of both the Speakers, thereafter

Rtn. Pal introduced the Speakers of the evening Smt. Beura & Smt. Panda, thereafter 1st Writer & Columnist Smt Beura elaborately spoke on the subject by sighting lot of examples of different noble laureate & eminent personalities through which women around the world became more powerful, then Smt. Panda, President of IWC also elaborately spoke on International Women's Day, at the outset she told that woman grew in the society as an daughter, sister, wife and mother, if at all women are not respected in the family, society at any stage, then the family/society became ruined automatically, she also stated that as a recognised organisation from 1911, women's are fighting for their legitimate rights & gave lots of examples from the ancient history & Veda etc...After Speaker's deliberation President Rtn. A K Nayak requested Sgt-at-Arm Rtn. Tasneem Dodia to read out the name of CMC Lady Corporators, lady Rotarians & Anns for felicitation & presentation of gifts, thereafter President & Speakers felicitated Priyambada Mohanty (ward-4), Monalisa Das(W-10),Laxmipriya Behera-(w-16),A. Sridevi (W-17), Diptimayee Mulia(W-24), Banalata Pradhan (W-28), Anns & other invited ladies & presented mementos. Then President & PP Prabhat Kumar Misra felicitated both the Speakers & presented mementos. PP Rtn. Devashish Panda declared as most courteous dressed Rotarian of the

evening & received the gift. PP Rtn. Satyabrata Kuna Tripathy offered Vote of thanks, Sgt-at-Arm Rtn. Tasneem Dodia presented the attendance statistics & meeting was adjourned for Hi-Tea sponsored by Inner Wheel Club of Cuttack.

***Rtn. Er. Sunyeswar Swain
Secretary***

***OUR CLUB MEMBERS WITH
DISTRICT ASSIGNMENT FOR
RY. 2024-25***

- 1.PDG Rtn. Ashok Bihari Mohapatra.***
- * Rotary Public Image- Chair.***
- 2.PP. Rtn. Dr. Subasini Lenka.***
- *District Rotary Foundation Committee- Advisor-Zone 4***
- 3.PP. Rtn. Sushant Mohanty.***
- *District Secretary Eye Conclave.***
- 4.PP. Rtn. Achyutananda Routray.***
- * District Secretary -Good Governance.***
- *District Dispute Redressal Committee- Chair.***
- 5.PP. Rtn. Devashis Panda.***
- *District Legal Cell- Chair.***
- 6.PP. Rtn. Surya Prasad Mishra.***
- *District Election Committee-Member***
- *District Odisha Lawyers Day Awards & Celebration Committee- Chair.***
- 7.PP. Rtn. Partha Sarathi Chatterjee.***
- *Addl. District Secretary General -Member***
- 8.PP. Rtn. Er. Dhirendra Kumar Biswal.***
- *District Counsellors- Blood Donation.***
- *District Water in Schools Project (WINS)- Co-Chair.***
- 9.PP. Rtn. Basanta Sahoo.***
- *District Cancer Task Force - Co-Chair.***
- 10.PP. Rtn. Satyabrata Tripathy.***

**District Cultural & Event Promotional Committee - Chair.*

11.Rtn.Sujata Priyadarshini.

**District Cancer Task Force - Co-Chair.*

12.PP. Rtn. Samir Kumar Mishra.

**Assistant Governor.*

16.Rtn.Swagatika Acharya.

** District Cancer Awareness Support-Chair*

**District Grant Sub-Committee-Co-Chair.*

13.Rtn.Biswa Ranjan Sahoo.

**District Blood Donation Committee -Chair*

14.Rtn.Sstya Narayan Mishra,

**District Cancer Awareness & Support -Co-Chair.*

**District Water, Sanitation & Hygiene Committee - Co-Chair.*

15.Rtn.Akshaya Kumar Deo.

**District Member Attraction Committee -Co-Chair.*

**Governor's Representative.*

MINUTES OF 8TH BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING FOR RY 2024-25 HELD ON DTD 28/02/2025 AT 7PM IN THE BOARD ROOM OF CUTTACK CLUB, CUTTACK

The meeting was called to order by the President Rtn. Akshaya Kumar Nayak.

Minutes of the 7th Board Meeting dtd.26-01-2025 was placed & confirmed.

Income & expenditure statement for the month of January' 25 was placed & approved by the Board. The expenses on RI dues exceed budgetary provision was approved in post facto due to increase in Dollar value from Rs. 83 to Rs. 87, further it is proposed to recalculate the club dues accordingly & intimate to the esteemed Rotarians for

further necessary action in this regard.

President informed the house that 109 numbers of members have been paid their dues (annual & semi-annual) & requested the balance esteemed members to pay their club dues immediately for smooth running of the Club.

The program for the month of March, 2025 was placed before the Board & approved.

04/03/2025 - Talk on Topic- Let us live with a better Health.

12/03/2025 -Talk on International Women's Day.

18/03/2025 - Talk on Water, Sanitations & Hygiene.

25/03/2025- Talk on World TB Day.

The date of next Board of Director's Meeting is fixed to be held on

21/03/2025(Friday).

Any other matter:

a. PP Rtn. Bijoy Dasmohapatra raised that the weekly meetings are being held not as per the program decided in the last board, President clarified that all the weekly meeting during February' 25 held as per the board decision except the program "Talk on Budget 25-26 & Income Tax 25-26" on 18-02-2025 as per suggestion of PP Prof. Prabhat Misra & Some esteemed Rotarians & Shifting of Vocational Award Nite to 25-02-2025.

Further PP Rtn B. Dasmohapatra expressed that induction of membership of Prof. Dr. Arpita Priyadarshini though approved in the last board meeting but not proposed for approval in the

weekly meeting, President took a note of it.

b. Regarding voting of Election of DGN was discussed, PP Rtn. Satyabrata Tripathy suggested let the President decide on this matter.

c. For Past President Nite, PP Rtn. Samir Kumar Mishra was nominated as the Chairman & Board approved the same.

d. Rtn. Susanta Kumar Panda offered his resignation from the membership of our Club & same was approve by the Board. Further it was decided to drop the following members if they will not pay their club dues by end of June 2025.

1. Rtn Blswajit Mohanty

2. Rtn Hrudananda Mohapatra

3. Rtn Swayam Pragyan Kar

4. Rtn Srikanta Meheta

5. Rtn Dr. Devanand Mohapatra

Rtn. P.V Balakrishna offered the Vote of Thanks.

The meeting was adjourned by the President requesting the attendees to join for dinner hosted by Rtn. Er Ranjan Kumar Mohapatra.

BIRTHDAYS

13.03.2025 PP Rtn. Partha Sarathi Chatterjee

15.03.2025 Rtn. Satyananda Panda

18.03.2025 Rtn. Dr. Himanshu Ku. Mohanty

ANNIVERSARIES

13.03.2025 PP Rtn. Sujitav Satpathy & Ann Gayatri

15.03.2025 Rtn. Suresh Ku. Epari & Ann Sushma

BARABATI felicitates mem-
bers who have celebrated

their birthdays & Anniver-
saries.

*March is the designated
month for water, sanitation, &
hygiene.*

LAST WEEKLY MEETING AT CUTTACK CLUB ANNEXE 1





HOLI CELEBRATION IN DIFFERENT PERMANENT PROJECTS OF R.C. CUTTACK



