

### Good evening, everyone,

Hello, I am Parth and I had an wonderful opportunity to attend RYLA 2025 at Bhandardara. Since childhood I was interested in adventure and challenges. I attended RYLA to prove my leadership abilities and create new memories. We begin our journey from Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar in a bus. The ride was full of fun we sang songs talk together and enjoyed every moment. DAY 1: Arrival at the campsite.

When we reach the campsite, we were welcomed warmly. The surrounding was full of Greenery and peaceful views. That was a perfect place for adventure. The whole day was all about exploration. BUT the dark clouds started gathering and so we're in our minds - how the next two days will go, would we will be able to enjoy or the rain will play a spoil sport. Soon it started raining heavily. Our clothes, shoes, bags for wet and we had to run for shelter. The volunteers Dr. Amol kaka and Sunil kaka helped us a lot. We were shifted to nearby house. In this chaos also the organizing committee provided us with delicious food.

"After a dark night there is always a morning" This is what we learned on second day. The dark clouds and the rain were all gone and it was a fresh morning with a bright sunshine.

DAY 2: The kalsubai trek and cultural night

On the second day we began our journey to kalsubai shikar. It is the largest mountain in Maharashtra. We were divided into two groups- fast and slow. I was in fast group and completed the trek in 2:45 min. The view from the peak was beautiful and we were above the clouds and in the cool mountain area.

Coming back down took 3 hrs due to slippery rock and path. The total journey took around 5 - 6 hrs and it was a grand achievement for me. At night there was a group of adivasi dancer who showed us how ancient people dance. We enjoyed it a lot.

DAY 3: Adventure and exploration

The third day was full of thrilling adventure. We did zipline over backwaters of lake of bhandar dhra. We also did Rappelling in the Sandhan valley. At first, I was frightened but somehow completed the task successfully. That experience taught me how to overcome weaknesses. Later we visited Amruteshwar Mahadev Mandir surrounded by natures beauty. It was refreshing end of a fun filled day

Special Thanks

A heartfelt thanks to Mahesh bhavasar sir, Amol joshi sir, Saille Virgoankar Madam, Vilas kothawade sir and the entire Rotary team and volunteers from Dhule and Chh Sambhajnagar for giving opportunity to be part of RYLA 2025.

Thank you so much.

Annet Parth Amit Vaidya

### मी अथर्व कांबळे,

सातवीतला एक 13 वर्षीय मुलगा...

RYLA ने माझ्या जीवनात खूप मोठा प्रभाव पाडला आहे. हा अनुभव माझ्यासाठी अविस्मरणीय आहे आणि माझ्या जीवनाला एक नवीन दिशा देणारा आहे.

मी RYLA मध्ये जेव्हा गेलो, तेव्हा मी खूप उत्साहित आणि थोडा नर्व्हस होतो. पण जसे जसे दिवस जात गेले, तसे तसे मी माझ्या सहभागी मित्रांशी आणि प्रशिक्षकांशी जोडले गेलो. आम्ही एकमेकांना चांगले ओळखू लागलो, हसू लागलो, आणि एकमेकांना सपोर्ट करू लागलो.

सर्वात मोठा अनुभव मला हा मिळाला की मी माझ्या सामर्थ्य आणि कमकुवतपणाची ओळख करून घेऊ शकलो. मी माझ्या आवडी आणि अनावडी समजू शकलो आणि माझ्या उद्दिष्टांवर अधिक लक्ष केंद्रित करू शकलो.

RYLA ने मला नेतृत्व कौशल्य, सामूहिक कार्य, आणि समाजसेवेचे महत्त्व शिकवले. मी समाजात सकारात्मक प्रभाव पाडण्यासाठी उत्सुक आहे आणि माझ्या जीवनात सकारात्मक परिवर्तन घडवण्यासाठी तत्पर आहे.

मी RYLA आणि रोटरी क्लब ऑफ औरंगाबादचे मनापासून आभार मानतो. हा अनुभव माझ्यासाठी अमूल्य आहे आणि मी त्याचा उपयोग माझ्या जीवनात सकारात्मक प्रभाव पाडण्यासाठी करेन.

### अथर्व कांबळे

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## Nation Builder and GURU GAURAV AWARDS



On the occasion of Teachers Day, the Club has organized Nation Builder and Guru Gaurav Awards on 10th September at Hotel The Aures. 6 teachers from various Primary and Secondary Schools were felicitated for Nation Builder Awards and 5 teachers from various fields like Dance, Sports, Yoga, Academics and Film were felicitated for Guru Gaurav awards by the Club. The Chief Guest was well-known Marathi poet Dr Shri Dasoo Vaidya.

The following Teachers were felicitated for Nation Builder Award,

Shri Dadasaheb Navpute (Z P School)  
Smt Jyoti Ghate (Vihang School of Special Children)  
Shri Vinayak Pawar (Dnyandeep Madhyamik School, Mukundwadi)  
Smt Ashwini Fasate (Renuka High School, Beed By Pass)  
Shri Rohidas Kakde (AMC School Bansilal Nagar)  
Smt Anjali Abhyankar (Anant Bhalerao Vidya Mandir, Chetana Nagar)

The following Teachers were felicitated for Guru Gaurav Award,

Shri. Dr. Uttamrao Kalavane (Yoga)  
Smt Ketki Nevpurkar (Classical Dance)  
Shri C R Kurmi (Sports)  
Shri Shiv Darshan Kadam (Art & Film)  
Shri Dr Pramod Hirode (Academics)

## Rotary Youth Leadership Awards

Our Club in Collaboration with Rotary Club of Dhulia arranged an Inter District RYLA for three days on 27th, 28th and 29th October at Bhandardara. Our Clubs 25 students and RC Dhulia Clubs 24 students participated in RYLA. The three days RYLA was inclusive of Zip Line, Boating, Trekking on Kalsubai peak, Camp Fire, Rappelling at Sandan Valley, Snake Rescue Awareness slide show etc. The boys enjoyed the RYLA very much.

The foundation upon which Rotary is built is friendship;  
on no less firm foundation could it have stood.

Rtn. Paul Harris

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## Diwali Pahat



The Diwali Pahat, a musical program was held on 18th October 2025 on the occasion of Dhan Trayodashi at Hotel The Aures at 7am. The Singers were Varsha Joshi and Vaibhav Pande. Marathi and Hindi songs were performed by the singers. All the members enjoyed the songs. After the Program, Diwali Faral, sweets and breakfast was served.

## Navratri Dandia Festival



The Navratri Dandia (Garba) was arranged by the Interact Club of SBOA on 1st October 2025 at Niranjani Society at 8 pm. The girl members of the Interact Club performed the Dandia wearing traditional costume with their parents and Rotary members.

## Donation of Mortuary Freezer Box to Sneh Sawali Care Centre



Our Club has donated one Mortuary Freezer Box to Sneh Sawali Care Centre on 18th October 2025, on the occasion of Dhan Trayodashi. This was donated with the CSR Grant of Om Sairam Steel Jalna and approved by IPDG Rtn Dr Suresh Saboo.

## Eye Checkup Camp at Anant Bhalerao Vidya Mandir.



An Eye Checkup Camp was held at Anant Bhalerao Vidya Mandir on 8th September 2025. 240 students were examined by the Doctors.

**NOVEMBER IS THE ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH**



## Weekly Meeting Narmada Parikrama

The weekly meeting of the Club was held on 24th September 2025 at Shrinidhi Hall and the subject was Narmada Parikrama. The Guest Speaker for the meeting was Shri Hemant Pathak, who shared his experience of Narmada Parikrama to the members.