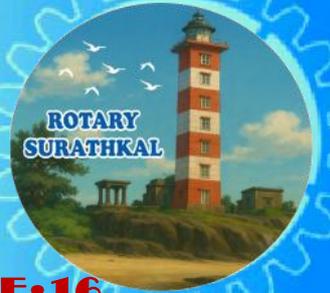




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Dear Rotarians,

We are very much Happy to inform you all that on 7/2/2026, we have successfully organized " Drug Free -Surathkal / India", a power point presentation made by Dr.Manu Anand for Govt. High School - Surinje & Govt. High School - Chellairu. In all around 100 students & 9 Teachers attended the program. Head Teachers of

both the Schools appreciated our efforts for conducting such a informative and useful presentation.

We received necessary approval from MRPL for constructing Medicine store Room for Govt. Health Centre- Surathkal & Beautification of Surathkal Flyover. And we are in touch with Nirmithi Kendra & Nagarika Salaha Samithi to commence the necessary work.

We are planning to organize an awareness program - on Cyber Crime & Security—a talk by Police department personnel. Shortly.



Rtn Ramachandra B. Kunder
President

The Header

**MAHA
SHIVRATRI**

May Lord Shiva Shower his blessing on you

Celebrations

We celebrate the Birthday of....

Rtn. Umesh Rao Konderpady on 24th February



And the Wedding anniversary of

Ann Prathibha S. and Rtn. Mangaldeep on 17th February



Conveys our Special Greetings

e-Sukrith to them on these special occasions.

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
Way
Test**



the fortnight that was ...

7-2-2026: A talk on " Drug free society " was arranged at ZP Govt Highschool at Soorinje, and ZP Govt Highschool at Chailar at 10.30am and 12 pm respectively. Resource person for both programs was Dr. Manu Anand. The program was highly appreciated the teachers of both the Schools.

Club President Rtn.PHF Ramachandra B Kundar, Club Service Director Rtn.Prof.Krishnamoorthy, Chairman Rotaract club Rtn.Srinivas Padebettu, Ann.Sheela, club secretary Rtn.Rammohan Y and school HM and Teachers were present on occasion.

Again, on the same day Our member Rtn. Ragahvendra P was resource person in a program on the topic " Right to information Act" conducted by Daji world TV. Congratulation Rtn. Raghavendra P.

30-1-2026 to 1-2-2026: 20 members from our club participated in the Dist.3 conference held at Mysore on 30-1-2026 to 1-2-2026.

Our club was presented with Golden Award for TRF contribution done last year, ie 2024-25 in the district conference.

ESRAG stall was installed at District Conference venue by our member Rtn. Sandeep Rao who is the Regional Head of ESRAG South Asia. Congratulations to Rtn.Sandeep Rao for achieving highest number of members in Dist.3181for ESRAG.

Rotary **UNITE FOR GOOD**

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Rtn. Rammohan Y.
Secretary

The Rear View Mirror



The Birth and Evolution of Rotary: A Journey of Service and Fellowship

Rotary International, one of the world’s most respected humanitarian organizations, traces its origins to the early 20th century. It began with a simple idea: professionals from diverse backgrounds could gather regularly to exchange ideas, form lasting friendships, and give back to their communities. The story of Rotary’s birth and growth is one of vision, commitment, and continuous adaptation to global needs.

Rotary
Most Financially Sound
Largest
Most Powerful
Networking Service
Organization

Every minute of every day Rotary:
 * Feeds someone
 * Houses someone
 * Vaccinates someone
 * Performs surgery on someone
 * Comforts someone
 * Provides clean water to someone

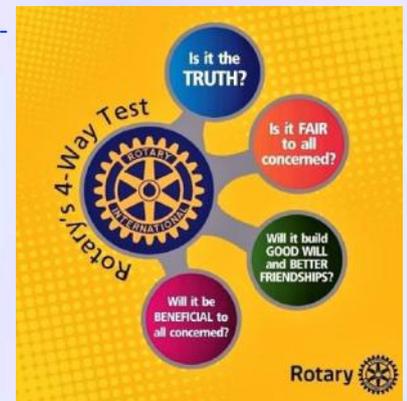
THIS IS ROTARY!

The Rotary movement was founded on February 23, 1905, in Chicago, Illinois, by Paul P. Harris, a young attorney who wished to recreate the spirit of friendly community he had known in small-town America. He invited three acquaintances—Silvester Schiele, a coal dealer; Gustavus Loehr, a mining engineer; and Hiram Shorey, a tailor—to meet in Loehr’s office. Their goal was to build a club that nurtured professional and personal connections. The group decided to call their organization “Rotary” because meetings would rotate among members’ workplaces. This small idea soon proved to be the foundation of an international movement.



By 1908, Rotary clubs had spread beyond Chicago, and in 1910, the National Association of Rotary Clubs was formed. That same year, the organization held its first national convention in Chicago. Just two years later, Rotary crossed the U.S. border with the creation of a club in Winnipeg, Canada, officially making Rotary an international organization. The name would later change to Rotary International in 1922, reflecting its expanding global presence.

Rotary’s early years were marked by the establishment of guiding principles that still endure. The Rotary motto, “Service Above Self,” was adopted to emphasize the organization’s commitment to community service. Another important concept developed was the Four-Way Test—a simple ethical guide for personal and professional conduct that asks: Is it the truth? Is it fair to all concerned? Will it build goodwill and better friendships? Will it be beneficial to all concerned?



During the two World Wars, Rotary played a crucial role in promoting peace and understanding among nations. After World War II, many Rotarians were instrumental in the formation of the United Nations, helping shape its humanitarian and peacekeeping missions. Rotary’s focus gradually evolved from local service projects to global challenges.

A major milestone in Rotary’s history came in 1979, when the organization began its campaign to eradicate polio. Working in partnership with the World Health Organization, UNICEF, and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, Rotary launched the PolioPlus program in 1985—the first and largest private-sector initiative aimed at immunizing all the world’s children against polio. Through Rotary’s persistent efforts and fundraising, global polio cases have been reduced by more than 99%, bringing the world to the brink of total eradication.

Today, Rotary International unites over 1.4 million members across more than 46,000 clubs in nearly every country. Its projects extend far beyond polio eradication, addressing issues such as education, clean water, disease prevention, peacebuilding, and environmental sustainability. Rotary’s areas of focus guide members to create meaningful impact on both local and global scales.

From its modest beginning in a Chicago office to its global presence today, Rotary’s journey reflects the enduring power of service, fellowship, and ethical leadership. The organization continues to evolve with the times, but its core mission—“to provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace”—remains unchanged. Rotary stands as a testament to what can be achieved when people unite with a shared purpose to make the world a better place.



Rotaract Club of SUIET

Activities- January 2026

The month of January 2026 marked a significant beginning to the calendar year with the club's active participation in a prestigious district-level event. Members attended the District Rotaract Representative Official Visit 2026 for Zone Karavalli, conducted under Rotaract District 3181. The event was held on 25th January 2026 at the AV Room, Arruppe Block, St Aloysius University, Mangaluru.



The official visit was graced by PHF Rtr. Rtn. Prajwal R, District Rotaract Representative, RID 3181. The session provided valuable insights into the district's vision, goals, and expectations for the Rotaract year. Discussions focused on leadership development, strengthening club functioning,

and enhancing impactful community service initiatives. The presence of zonal leaders further enriched the event, fostering meaningful interaction and collaboration among clubs within the zone.

This event served as an excellent platform for members to gain motivation, align with district objectives, and understand best practices in Rotaract administration and service. Participation in such a well-structured and inspiring program reinforced the club's commitment to Rotary values and set a positive tone for the months ahead.

Overall, January 2026 was a purposeful and enriching month, laying a strong foundation for future initiatives and active engagement within the Rotaract fraternity.



Rtr. Ralph Joel

Secretary, Rotaract Club of SUIET

The First Rotaract Club In India

The first Rotaract club in India was the Rotaract Club of Secunderabad (RID 3250), which was certified shortly after the world's first club was chartered in March 1968. It was established in the weeks following the initial launch of the program in North Carolina, USA, marking the beginning of the Rotaract movement in India.

Key details about the early Rotaract movement in India:

- **Chartered Date:** The Rotaract Club of Secunderabad was certified in April 1968.
- **Significance:** It was the first Rotaract club chartered in Asia and the second in the world. It was a community based club.
- **Early Growth:** Rotaract grew rapidly in India, with an early club in Bangalore having Geetha Jayaram as charter secretary in 1968.

Context: These early clubs focused on bringing together university students and young professionals for community service and leadership development.

Significance: By 1969, the program was well-established, with district conferences in India drawing thousands of members.

The Rotaract Club of Secunderabad was sponsored by the Rotary Club of Secunderabad.



Have some Fun ...

Friends,

Here are the answers for the quizzes of the last issue:

Rotary quiz 1815— It is B. International and Action

Logical Puzzle 1815— 4 boys and 3 girls

Since the boys have as many brothers as sisters, there must be 1 boy more than the number of girls. If we try 2 and 1, 3 and 2, and 4 and 3, we will find that 4 boys and 3 girls is the solution to fulfil the requirement that each girl has twice as many

Sudoku 1815

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5	1	8	2	6	3	4	9	7
3	6	9	4	7	1	2	8	5
6	4	1	9	5	8	3	7	2
7	2	3	6	1	4	8	5	9
9	8	5	3	2	7	1	6	4
2	9	4	7	3	6	5	1	8
1	5	6	8	9	2	7	4	3
8	3	7	1	4	5	9	2	6

Rotary quiz 1816:

What are the age restrictions to become a Rotaractor?

- A. No age limitation at all
- B. 18 and 30 years as upper and lower limit
- C. 18 years as lower limit and no upper limit.
- D. No lower limit and 30 as upper limit

Take it lightly

Sudoku:1816

Two elderly people living in Senior apartment house had known each other for a couple of years and One evening there was a community supper in the big activity center. The two were at the same table, across from one another as the meal went on, he took a few admiring glances at her and finally gathered the courage to ask her, " Will you marry me?"

After about six seconds of ' careful consideration' , she answered "Yes. Yes, I will. "

The meal ended and, with a few more pleasant exchanges, they went to their respective places.

Next morning, he was troubled. "Did she say 'yes' or did she say 'no'?" He couldn't remember.

Try as he might, he just could not recall.

Not even a faint memory.

With trepidation, he went to the telephone and called her.

First, he explained that he didn't remember as well as he used to.

Then he reviewed the lovely evening past.

As he gained a little more courage, he inquired, "When I asked if you would marry me, did you say 'Yes' or did you say 'No'?"

He was delighted to hear her say, "Why, I said, 'Yes, yes I will' and I meant it with all my heart."

Then she continued, "I am so glad that you called, because I couldn't remember who had asked me.

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Logical puzzle 1816

Two identical trains, at the equator start travelling round the world in opposite directions. They start together, run at the same speed and are on different tracks.

Which train will wear out its wheel treads first?



Rtn. Ganesh P.

In this issue it is my pleasure to introduce our new (not so new) member, a son of the soil, a self made entrepreneur, Rtn. Ganesh P. to you. Though he joined our club on 18th October , It is only now I could present his profile to you.

Here it is, in brief, in the way he wanted to share it with you :-

Name: **Ganesh P.**

Date of birth: **10th May**

Classification: **Dealer in Medical Gases**

Spouse: **Mrs. Sharmila K.**

Date of birth: **1st June**

Wedding anniversary: **5th April**

Son: **Adithya K.**

Date of birth: **22nd January**

Daughter: **Anvitha K.**

Date of birth: **24th November**



And this is how he wants you to know him.

Born in Mulki, studied primary at U.B.M.C. School, Karnad, Highschool at Government Highschool, Mulki, B. Com and PGDCA at Vijaya College Mulki.

After completion of graduation, joined 'Malabar Oxygen Company, Private, Ltd.' Baikampady, in the year 1994 as an accounts assistant. Later promoted as accounts officer, Marketing executive .

Resigned in the year 2011 and started own business, ' Sri Balaji Equipments' at Kulai, Mangalore. Handling medical gases , Gas pipe lines and related equipments.

Earlier to that in the year 2008 shifted my residence from Mulki to Hosabettu and currently staying at Kulai.

My hobbies include Reading, watching news and attending Devotional programs.

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