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**Reachout**

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# 40th Changeover Ceremony

## The Baton Passes ...



The Installation Ceremony of Rotary Club of Central Calcutta was held on Sunday, 16th July 2023 at 6.00 pm at Zion Banquet, Spring Club.

Rtn. Vinita More was the Master of Ceremony. Ganesh Vandana was rendered to mark the auspicious beginning to the new Rotary Year. After calling the meeting to order by outgoing President, Revati Raman Agarwal, the National Anthem was played on the audio-visual track followed by the innovative reading out of the four-way test by Rtn. Raj Kumar Bagri.

The occasion was graced by a galaxy of dignitaries including DG, RID, PDGs and District Officials. Mr. Arun Lal, the Indian cricketer was the GOH.

PP R R Agarwal made a brief address and



thanked all members for the cooperation during his tenure as the President and extended his whole-hearted cooperation to the Club in the times to come. Imm. Past Secretary, Rtn. Sandeep Agarwal made a comprehensive presentation of

the exceptional range of fellowship and service activities does in RY 22-23. The awards received was on display which every member felt proud about.

President, Rtn. Sunil Kr. Sethia and Hony. Secretary, Rtn. Ranjan Goenka was invited to



**Gordon R McNally**  
RI President



**Hiralal Yadav**  
District Governor



**Sunil Kr. Sethia**  
President



**Ranjan Goenka**  
Secretary



**Jitesh Kr. Gutgutia**  
Editor



the centre stage. The Changeover Ceremony was solemnised in the presence of the DG. IPPRR Agarwal handed over the Collar, Gong & Gavel, Charter of the club to the President. Rtn. Avinash Bubna, the Chairman for the evening, welcomed all dignitaries, guest and members. RI Director, Anirudha Roychowdhary addressed the audience and gave a brief on the Rotary Foundation and the vision of the International President. The President was duly introduced by PP Sanjay Ganeriwala followed by introduction

and felicitation of his family members. President Sunil Kr. Sethia in his address, presented his vision and introduced the Board Members of his team. Mr. Arun Lal, after his brief introduction by Rtn. Dr. Ankur Gupta, he made an inspiring address which was highly motivational. This was followed by the address of DG Hira Lalji Yadav, after his brief introduction by PP Brij Mohan Lakhotia. The DG laid special emphasis on 'impactful projects'. Four new members were inducted. Their

pinning was done by DG and PDGs. This was followed by the report by the Hony. Secretary. The Editor, PP Jitesh Kr. Gutgutia presented the Installation Souvenir which was duly released by the DG, GOH, PDGs and other dignitaries. After due felicitations of all guests and members, the Vote of Thanks was proposed by Rtn. Alka Ganeriwala before the meeting was officially terminated. This was followed by fellowship over dinner and an entertaining musical evening.

## RFM Meetings

RFM #1613 | 16th July 2023 | Zion Banquet, Spring Club  
The meeting was merged with the Changeover Ceremony

RFM #1614 | 28th July 2023 | The Conclave  
Apart from the usual club business and announcements, the highlight of the evening was presence of two lady speakers which kept the members glued to their seats.

### Dr. Premlata Haralalka

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### Dr. Disha Agarwal

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## District Changeover Ceremony



On 1st July 2023, the Changeover Ceremony of the District took place at G. D. Birla Sabhagar. Our Club was the host of this prestigious event. Rtn. Hira Lal Yadav took over as District Governor. The event was attended by a galaxy of dignitaries cover Government and others.

# INAUGURATION OF DIALYSIS WARD & MEDICAL CENTRE



The much-anticipated inauguration of the 'Dialysis Ward & Medical Centre' at Lake Town duly solemnised on 23rd of July 2023. The event marked a significant milestone for the Club in its journey towards providing vital medical services to the community. **Project Chair: PP P D Rungta.**

The inauguration ceremony was graced by Shri Dilipji Maharaj of Bharat Sevashram Sangh and Shri Sujit Bose, Minister-in-Charge of Fire & Emergency Services in the presence of DG Hira Lalji Yadav. Among the distinguished guests, Dr. Lalit Agarwal, Nephrologist, Dr. B. More, GP, Shri Nitai Dutta, VC (SDDM), Shri Anup Hazra, Councillor, Shri ND Ghosh, IC Lake

Town, Shri Sushil Poddar, President (CWBTA) also graced the occasion by their presence. The project was conceived in FY 2020-21 by the President P D Rungta. Under his leadership, funds were mobilized through generous donations by and through members, a suitable property was procured for the project. The subsequent President, R R Agarwal and his team gave shape to project. The journey has been the result of careful planning and execution. This is a testament to the collaborative leadership of Team Rotary Central Calcutta.

Service to the patients commenced on the same very day, i.e. 23rd July 2023. The

operational assistance is being provided by East Kolkata Nagarik Foundation (EKNF) that will play a pivotal role in ensuring the smooth functioning of the facility.

At present, it is operating with six beds with the latest medical equipment. More beds are planned to be added in due course.

The event was well covered by the news media.



## THANK YOU ALL DONORS

# Eye Operations under Global Grant



On 23rd July 2023, fifty (50) Cataract Eye Operations were carried out in association with East Kolkata Nagrik Foundation (EKNF). This project is under

the Global Grant of Rotary Foundation. Medicines were also provided to the patients. Additionally, each patient was provided the 'Rotary' branded Umbrella

under the project 'Brishti Kavach'. The camp was attended by Club members and other Rotarians. **Project Chair: PP Brij Mohan Lakhotia**

July marks the beginning of the Rotary Year. The new team had an eventful month with a host of service projects and activities.

## Water Hut at D N De Homeopathic Medical College on 1st July

DG Hira Lalji Yadav inaugurated the project. This 'Water Hut' dispenses regular and cold water and has been setup at a prominent location within the premises. More than 500 daily visitors (including patients) will benefit from this. **Project Chair: PP Rajesh Lakhota**



## Installation of Air-Conditioner on 1st July



An air-conditioner was installed in the Nurse's Room at Premananda Memorial Leprosy Hospital. This will provide relief from the heat and improve efficiency of the nursing staff members serving 24x7 under multiple shifts. **Project Chair: PP Jitesh Kr. Gutgutia.**

## Bulletins Received

### Spectrum:

Rotary Salt Lake  
Metropolitan Kolkata

**Light:** Rotary Garden Reach

### The Amenity Times:

Rotary Club of Amenity  
Bardhaman

### Rangmati Sandesh:

Rotary Club of  
Bolpur Rangamati

## ECG Machine to Shree Vishudhanand Hospital on 1st July

One set of ECG machine with requisite accessories was provided to the hospital that is intended to serve the needy patients. **Project Chair: PP Amit Rungta.**



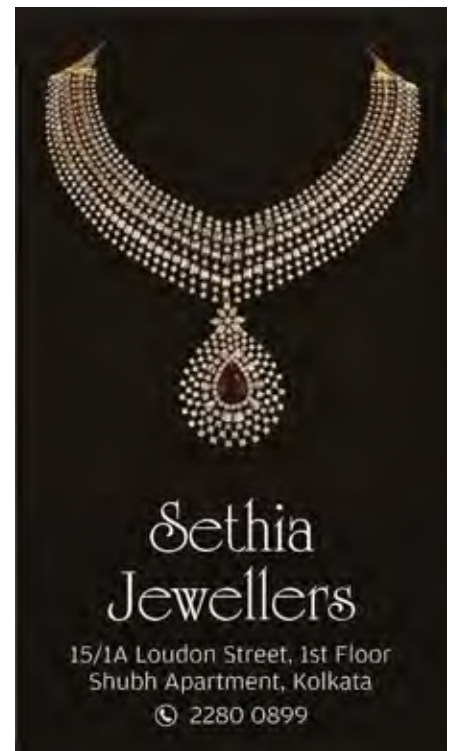
## Celebrating Doctor's Day

As a token of recognizing their relentless service to the society at large, the club celebrated the occasion and felicitated team doctors at Premananda Memorial Leprosy Hospital, D N De Homeopathic Medical College and Shree Vishudhanand Hospital.



## Chartered Accountants' Day

1st July is also Chartered Accountants' Day. On our request, the Principal of D N De Homeopathic Medical College felicitated our Past Presidents, CA Girish Ganeriwala and CA Jitesh Kr. Gutgutia.



## Dialysis for 11 Patients

Arrangements were made for dialysis for eleven needy patients at Marwari Relief Society on 8th July 2023. **Project Chair: Rtn. Shrivardhan Modi**



**PLEASE NOTE:**

**Exchange Rate**

for July 2023 is

**\$1 = ₹82**

# Anna Seva at Iswar Sankalpa

Under the project 'Anna Seva', grocery was provided to the shelter home for street ladies 'Iswar Sankalpa' on 10th July 2023. **Project Chair: PP Amit Rungta**



# Mid-Day Meal at RSK

At our Rotary Siksha Kendra, mid-day meal was arranged for around 450 students on 12th July 2023. This has now become an annual feature. **Project Chair: PP Shri Ratan Jhwar**



# RCC Sarada & RCC Dakshindihi

On 30th July 2023, host of activities were organized by the respective RCCs specially for kids and young students in the locality. Copies, pencils and other stationary items were distributed to students. To the kids a hamper of biscuits, toffees, etc. were given. **Project Chair: Rtn. Rajkumar Bagri**



On the same day, 'Fruit Trees' were planted with the initiative of both the RCCs at their respective designated locations.



Under the initiative 'Gau Seva', through RCC Dakshindihi, jaggery (gud) was fed to around 50 (fifty) cows and buffalos. **Project Chair: Rtn. Madhav Mohta**



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# Project – Brishti Kavach

Around 1,500 'Rotary' branded umbrellas were procured by the club under the project initiative titled 'Brishti Kavach'.



These were distributed by the Club (including RCCs) and members. **Project Chair:** PP Sanjay Ganeriwala.

## NEW MEMBERS



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## Happy Anniversary & Blissful Togetherness

Manish & Shilpa Lakhotia  
1st July

Arvind Kr & Indu Soni  
8th July

Chittranjan & Sudha Choudhury  
2nd July

Punit Kr & Anjana Poddar  
9th July

Kushal & Nayanika Agarwal  
2nd July

Subhash Chand & Kanchan Kankaria  
10th July

Brij Gopal & Seema Kothari  
4th July

Ajay Kr & Varsha Agarwal  
13th July

Pankaj & Shruti Agarwal  
4th July

Sajjan Kr & Suman Gupta  
14th July

Anuttam & Dipti Khaitan  
5th July

Kishore Kr & Kanchan Somani  
24th July

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## *wishes*

## Happy Birthday to

Kishore Kr Somani • 3rd July

Ramesh Kr Jaju • 9th July

Pintu Agarwala • 15th July

Sanjay Kr Chaudhary • 16th July

Abhinav Chandak • 18th July

Amit Khetan • 19th July

Anil Kr Saraf • 19th July

Pankaj Agarwal • 19th July

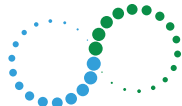
Navin Lath • 22nd July

Rajendra Kr Gupta • 24th July

C P Ganeriwala • 30th July

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