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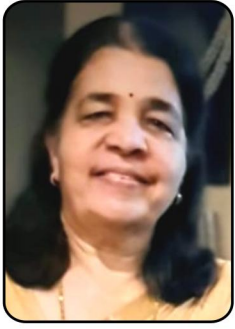
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45th Weekly Meeting

Date: Wednesday, 20th May 2026

Venue: Smt. Kamal Govind Gundesha Hall, Rotary Samaj Seva Kendra, Kolhapur

GUEST SPEAKER : **Ann. Dr. Gayatri Harshe** M.D. (Medicine)

SUBJECT : **Patients-Changing profiles in today's world**

Our forty-fourth weekly meeting was held on the 3rd floor of **Smt. Kamal Govind Gundesha Hall**, Shri Madhav Prasad Goenka Bhavan, Rotary Samaj Seva Kendra, Kolhapur.

The Guest Speaker for our weekly meeting was **Ann Dr. Gayatri Harshe**, who delivered an enlightening and thought-provoking talk on the topic “**Patients – Changing Profiles in Today’s World.**” With her vast medical experience and practical observations from decades of clinical practice, she beautifully explained how the mindset, expectations, health concerns, and lifestyles of patients have undergone a remarkable transformation in modern times. Her insightful presentation kept the audience deeply engaged and encouraged everyone to reflect on their own health habits and daily routines.

Dr. Gayatri Harshe thoughtfully shared how, in today’s fast-paced world, there has been a growing trend of frequent medical investigations and routine health check-ups. Through practical examples from her professional journey, she explained how advancements in healthcare, increased awareness, and changing lifestyles have altered the doctor-patient relationship. At the same time, she emphasized that while modern

diagnostics are important, preventive care, balanced living, and timely attention to health remain equally essential for leading a healthy life.

One of the most impactful aspects of her address was her emphasis on the importance of the joint family system and traditional home-based care. She highlighted how earlier generations often relied on homemade remedies, emotional support, and family bonding to overcome simple illnesses, reducing unnecessary dependence on hospitals and medicines. Dr. Harshe also spoke about changing food habits, stress, lack of physical activity, irregular routines, and excessive dependence on technology, all of which are significantly influencing the changing profile of patients in today’s society. Her informative and inspiring session was highly appreciated by all present and served as a meaningful reminder about the importance of healthy living, family support, and preventive healthcare.

Rtn. Sahil Gandhi introduced the guest and **Rtn. Dr Mahadeo Mane** proposed a vote of thanks, and **Rtn. Deepak Shah** emerged as the lucky Rotarian for the week.



Speech Therapy Camp Successfully Conducted

Date : 23rd May 2026

Venue: Rotary Samaj Seva Kendra, Kolhapur.



On 23rd April 2026, the Rotary Club of Kolhapur's Rotary Samaj Seva Kendra and the Rotary Speech & Hearing Centre under the chairmanship of Rtn. Dr. Abhijeet Haval, successfully organised a first-of-its-kind Speech Therapy Camp in Kolhapur. The camp was conducted by Dr. Abhijeet Mulik and received an encouraging response from patients and their families. The initiative proved highly beneficial for patients suffering from **stammering, hearing impairment, intellectual disabilities, autism, cleft palate, and Parkinson's disease**. A total of **13 patients** availed the benefits of the camp and received valuable guidance and therapy support.



The camp aimed at creating awareness about the importance of **early diagnosis, speech correction, communication development, and rehabilitation therapies** for individuals facing speech and hearing challenges.



The camp was graced by the presence of **Rtn. Girish Joshi** – President, Rotary Samaj Seva Kendra, **Rtn. Pradeep Karande** – President, Rotary Club of Kolhapur, **Rtn. Dr. Abhijeet Haval** – Chairman, Rotary Speech & Hearing Centre, Community Service Director **Rtn. Shobha Arvind**, **Rtn. Satish Kulkarni**, **Rtn. Ajinkya Kadam**, along with members of the Speech & Hearing Committee. A nominal registration fee of **Rs. 50 per patient** was kept for the camp. Being the **first initiative of its kind in Kolhapur**, the camp was highly appreciated for Rotary's dedicated efforts towards healthcare, rehabilitation, and community welfare.



कर्णबधिर विद्यार्थ्यांची कृतज्ञतेची भावपूर्ण भेट



आपल्या कर्णबधिर शिशुविद्यालयाचा विद्यार्थी **अजिंक्य चिले** हा दहावीच्या परीक्षेत उत्तम गुणांनी यशस्वी झाला. त्याच्या या यशामागे त्याची मेहनत, आईचे सहकार्य आणि शिक्षकांचे मार्गदर्शन महत्त्वाचे ठरले.

अजिंक्य पहिलीत शिकत असताना त्याला **गायत्री पुराणिक** यांनी इंग्रजी विषय शिकवला होता. कर्णबधिर विद्यार्थ्यांना सहज समजेल अशा पद्धतीने त्यांनी इंग्रजी शब्द, त्यांचा मराठी उच्चार आणि इंग्रजी उच्चार यांचा विशेष तक्ता तयार करून विद्यार्थ्यांना शिकवले. या अभिनव पद्धतीचा अजिंक्यला मोठा फायदा झाला असल्याचे त्याने आवर्जून सांगितले. विशेष म्हणजे, तो तक्ता त्याने आजही जपून ठेवला आहे.

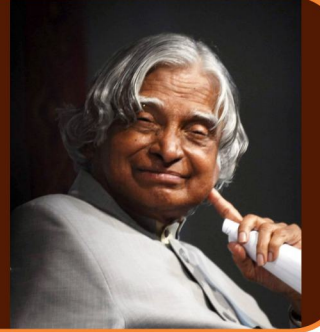
दहावीचे यश मिळाल्यानंतर अजिंक्यची एकच इच्छा होती —

आपल्या “आजीबाईना” म्हणजेच **गायत्री पुराणिक** यांना प्रत्यक्ष भेटून पेढे देण्याची. त्यानुसार त्याची आई त्याला घेऊन पुराणिक यांच्या घरी आली. अनेक वर्षांनंतरही शिक्षकांची आठवण ठेवून त्यांच्याप्रती कृतज्ञता व्यक्त करणाऱ्या अजिंक्यचे सर्वत्र कौतुक होत आहे.

अजिंक्यला पुढे संगणक शिक्षण घेऊन इंजिनिअरिंग क्षेत्रात करिअर करायचे आहे. त्याच्या पुढील शैक्षणिक आणि उज्वल वाटचालीस हार्दिक शुभेच्छा!

“This is my belief: that through difficulties and problems God gives us the opportunity to grow. So when your hopes and dreams and goals are dashed, search among the wreckage, you may find a golden opportunity hidden in the ruins”.

– Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam



TRIVIA QUESTION ?

Question :

Q. What is the full form of TRF in Rotary?

- A) The Rotary Fellowship C) The Rotarian Forum
B) The Rotary Foundation D) The Rotary Fund

Send your answers to **Rtn. Dr. Pooja Sasurkar** on **Whatsapp**  **90285 26755**

The names of the **First Five Members** with correct answers will be published in the next bulletin

Last week Question & Answer

Q. When was the Groundbreaking Ceremony of RSSK New Bldg. held?

Answer -

B) 24-05-2018

Answers given by -

- 1) Ann Nikita Gandhi
- 2) Ann Dhara Sheth
- 3) Ann Poonam shah
- 4) Ann Vaishali Taral
- 5) Ann Pooja Rathod



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Shared by - Rtn. Ajinkya Kadam

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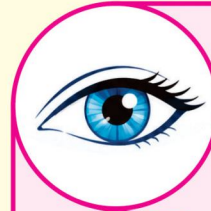


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Greetings

From -
ROTARY CLUB OF KOLHAPUR



Happy Birthday



- Rtn. Sanjeev Chiplunakar - 18th May
- Rtn. Mohan Patel - 19th May

Happy Wedding Anniversary

- Rtn. Ravindra Vadgaonkar - 19th May
- Rtn. Avinash Raste - 19th May
- Rtn. Vishram Bhanushali - 19th May
- Rtn. Shankar Patil - 21st May
- Rtn. Bharat Kharate - 21st May
- Rtn. Nitin Wadikar - 24th May
- Rtn. Sagar Patil - 24th May

NEXT MEETING



DATE:
**Wednesday,
27th May 2026**

TIME:
5:30 PM

CLUB BUSINESS MEETING

Venue : Rotary Samaj Seva Kendra,
Shri. Madhav Prasad Goenka Bhavan, 3rd Floor,
Smt. Kamal Govind Gundesha Hall,
Rotary Samaj Seva Kendra, Kolhapur



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तुम्हाला माहित आहे का?

महाराष्ट्रात रक्ताची गरज नेहमीच मोठी असते, परंतु पुरवठा अनेकदा अपुरा पडतो आणि त्यामुळे गंभीर आरोग्य समस्या निर्माण होते. हा तुटवडा भरून काढण्याचा एकमेव प्रभावी मार्ग म्हणजे **स्वेच्छेने रक्तदान**. नियमित रक्तदान करून आपण अनेकांचे प्राण वाचवू शकतो आणि कोणत्याही रुग्णाला रक्ताच्या अभावामुळे त्रास सहन करावा लागू नये याची खात्री देऊ शकतो.

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