### **INNER VOICE**





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### MINUTES OF THE 1356<sup>th</sup> RWM ON 28<sup>th</sup> JANUARY, 2025 AT CALCUTTA CLUB

- 1. President Rtn. Tunir Chakravarti calls the 1356<sup>th</sup> RWM to order and requests all members to rise for the National Anthem.
- 2. Minutes of the 1355<sup>th</sup> meeting already circulated is confirmed. Inner Voice also circulated.
- 3. Mr. Subasish Ghosh and Mr. Pronobendra Nath Moitra are present as guests. Dr. Paromita Bhattacharya and Ms. Samarpita Sanyal are also present from Centre for Public Health & Research who will talk on Tobacco Control.
- 4. LOA is granted to Rtns. Nayantara Palchoudhury, Chandrani Chakraborty, Ronit Mitra, Vivek Dutta, Banashree Mitra, Swapna Bhattacharjee, Noshir Framjee, Anindya Pal Chowdhury, Bani Roychowdhury, Debasish Dutta and Pradip Das.
- 5. President briefed about the past projects/programs, which are –
- a) Virangana Program in Ward no. 48 (Bowbazar) attended by 30 girls from Refuge Centre on 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.
- b) Blanket distribution at Disha Foundation on 14<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.
- c) Program on Continuing Medical Education at Mohananda Netralaya, Balananda Brahmachari Hospital on 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.
- d) Sit & Draw competition on ENVIRONMENT for children at Refuge Home on 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 2025. 300 chidren between 5 and 18 years participated. Innercity sponsored the prizes.
- e) A Health Summit was organized jointly with News18 on 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2025, which was telecast live. Minister Sujit Bose was present as Chief Guest. PDG Ranjan Mukherjee delivered a talk on activities of Rotary Club. A panel discussion on 'Maintaining Good Health' was moderated by Rtn. Dr. Debasish Dutta. Rtn. Dr. Suchondro Das was a panelist.

#### Minutes of the 1356 RWM

- a) 16 sets of Bedsheets, pillow covers and towels were distributed on 28<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 to destitute elderly ladies in Seba Old Age Home near Peerless Hospital.
- b) Innercity has sponsored 8 boys & girls for a vocational training program at Don Bosco Nitika for Asst. Chef, Asst. Food & Beverages Manager and Asst. Beauty Therapist. This has already commenced.
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- d) Robin Hood Army distributed Food and Ration items to 1000 families on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2025 in association with Innercity. Cost for 100 families was sponsored by Rtn. Amitava Ghose.
- e) 2 Fellowship Programs were held on 11<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> January 2025. Both were well attended.
- 1. President announces the upcoming programs/projects:
- i) Eye check-up camp at Deara under the leadership of Rtn. Vivek Dutta. The date is yet to be confirmed.
- ii) On 15<sup>th</sup> February, a Health check up camp at Bowbazar Red Light Area by Rtn. Dr. Pradip Goswami who will be assisted by 2 nurses.
- iii) On 23<sup>rd</sup> February, a program on 'Peace & Conflict Resolution' at Rotary Sadan jointly with Rotary Clubs of Calcutta Midtown and Aviana.
- 1. President requests members to release half-yearly dues from January-June 2025, if not already paid.
- 2. President announces date of next RWM on 14<sup>th</sup> February 2025 at 6.30 pm at Calcutta Club.
- 3. Secretary conducts Club business.

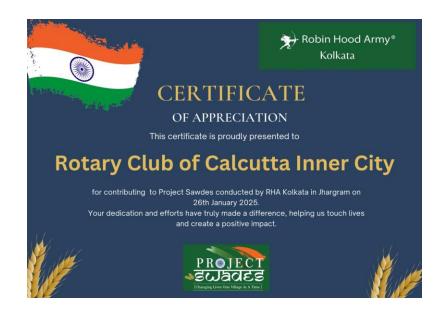
### Minutes of the Meeting 1356<sup>th</sup>

- 1. Dr. Paromita Bhattacharya introduces Centre for Public Health & Research, which is the research wing of MANT. She speaks on Tobacco Control, giving statistics on usage of tobacco in West Bengal. Out of three types of sunsumption of tobacco, viz. cigarette, bidi and smokeless tobacco, bidi constitutes 80% of consumption and is responsible for the highest death rate. Her organization supports the Government to ensure proper implementation of the rules and regulations on tobacco control. Rtn. Kaushik Ganguli proposes the vote of thanks.
- 2. 9 members, 4 guests are present.
- 3. The sunshine collection is Rs. 750/-.
- 4. The meeting ends with thanks to all members present.

## **Projects**

- Distribution of 16 sets bedlinen and towels to elderly ladies in Seba Old Age Homes
- Rotary club of Inner City sponsored 8 students for the vocational training under the ITC Hotels apprentice programs with Don Bosco
- The Healthcare Summit hosted by PP Ronit Mitra was a resounding success with the Health Minister and senior Rotary dignitaries present, including our President Tunir Chakravarti. The session hosted by Rtn. Debasish Dutta was extremely interactive and very well received.

## **Robin Hood Army**











### RWM photos – 28<sup>th</sup> January 2025











## Distribution of bed linen and towels at Seba Old Age Home – sponsored by Subhasis Ghosh











## Healthcare Summit organized by PP Ronit Mitra







### Health Care Summit









### **Healthcare Summit**







### **Swapnapuran School Project**











## Rtn Amit Paul's Certificate from IIM



# Birthdays & Anniversaries Many Happy Returns of the Day and Many more Anniversaries to come!!

February	Proma Das + Tathagata		<b>2</b> <sup>nd (A)</sup>
February	Supriyo Mukharjee	<b>3</b> <sup>rd (B)</sup>	
February	Sunil Sonika+ Rachna		5 <sup>th (A)</sup>
February	Saroj Bansal + Kamal		5 <sup>th (A)</sup>
February	P.K.Mukharjee +Anuradha		9 <sup>th (A)</sup>
February	Nohir.N.Framjee + Bonani		12 <sup>th (A)</sup>
February	Sujata Dutta Hazarika+ atyajit		14 <sup>th (A)</sup>
February	Vivek Dutta	17 <sup>th (B)</sup>	
February	Chandrani Chakraborty + Soumen Chakraborty		25 <sup>th(A)</sup>
February	Subir Khasnobis +Sushmita		26 <sup>th (A)</sup>

## Rotary Theme 25-26 UNITE FOR GOOD

