

# WADA Rotary



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## "Rotary Club of Wada Welcomes New Leadership: Mr. Prafulla Bhimraj Bokand Installed as President"



### By Rhushikesh

In a ceremony imbued with tradition and hope, the Rotary Club of Wada installed Mr. Prafulla Bokand as its new president for the upcoming Vibrant Year 24-25. The event took place at the iconic ISKCON Temple in Galtare, Wada Taluka, a location revered as a symbol of faith and purity. The serene ambiance of the temple provided a perfect backdrop for this significant occasion.

The installation ceremony was graced by the presence of Mr. Chetan Desai, the District Governor for 2024-25, and Mr. Byju George, the Assistant Governor.

and fellow rotarians from District 3141. Their attendance underscored the importance of the event and highlighted the Rotary Club of Wada's pivotal role in community service.

The ceremony commenced with a welcome address by the outgoing president, Mr. Shashikant Durgude. In his speech, Mr. Durgude reflected on the club's achievements over the past year. He proudly presented a report on the successful completion of various impactful projects, including the 'Muskan' school kit donation drive, RYPEN Udaan,

health camps, and environmental initiatives, all of which have significantly benefited the local community.

Prafulla Bokand, the newly installed president, expressed his gratitude and enthusiasm for the role. In his inaugural address, he emphasized his commitment to continuing the club's legacy of service and community engagement. "I am deeply honored to lead the Rotary Club of Wada. Together, we will strive to make a positive difference around us, upholding values of Rotary," he stated.



Vibrant year 24-25 District Governor Mr. Chetan Desai commended the Rotary Club of Wada for its dedication and successful projects. He encouraged the members to continue their excellent work and offered his full support for the upcoming year. Assistant Governor Mr. Byjy George also expressed his appreciation for the club's efforts and shared inspiring words about the importance of service and unity.

The ceremony was attended by all members of the Rotary Club of Wada, who showed their support and commitment to the new leadership. The event included felicitation of key contributors, and a keynote speech that inspired the attendees to uphold the Rotary motto of "Service Above Self." As the event concluded with a vote of thanks and the attendees enjoyed a fellowship dinner, strengthening the bonds among

Rotarians and fostering a spirit of camaraderie and shared purpose. The Rotary Club of Wada looks forward to a year filled with meaningful service projects and initiatives under the leadership of Mr. Prafulla Bokand. The club invites community members to join them in their efforts to create lasting positive change.



Vibrant President & Family members



Vibrant DG Chetan Desai



Vibrant President with Team



Rotary Members





# Rotary Club of Wada Launches Annual 'Muskan' School Kit Donation Drive

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The Rotary Club of Wada is proud to announce the launch of its annual 'Muskan' school kit donation drive, marking the beginning of another year dedicated to uplifting the community. This initiative has become a cornerstone of the club's service projects, aimed at providing essential educational supplies to underprivileged students in the Wada Taluka and Palghar District.

Buoyed by the overwhelming success of the project last year the Rotary Club of Wada has garnered additional support from prominent Rotary clubs in Mumbai. Last year Rotary Club of Bombay Harbour and the Rotary Club of Mubai Bravehearts have joined hands with the Rotary Club of Wada to amplify the impact of the 'Muskan' drive. With this collaboration, the initiative is set to reach new heights and provide school kits and bags to more than 500 students.

The school kits, which include essential items such as notebooks, pencils, erasers, and school bags, are meticulously prepared to ensure that students have the necessary tools to excel in their studies.

The distribution event is scheduled to take place on July month, where Rotarians and volunteers will personally hand over the kits to the students, spreading MUSKAN.





## "Charter President Rtn. Shashank Thakare Honored with Presidential Award by Rotary Club of Bombay" '



Charter President of our club Rtn. Shashank Thakare was felicitated by Presidential Award by one of the premium club in our district 3141 - Rotary Club of Bombay President Rtn. Manoj Patodia for his invaluable and continuous support for IT Innovative Lab, Career guidance Learning Center & Gale village project. Event was held at Hotel Trident, Mumbai on 28th June 2024.

### Upcoming Projects

**DOCTORS  
DAY  
Celebration**

**Blood  
Donation  
Camp**

**Tree  
Plantation**

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