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Rotary International" is a global network of 1.4 million members in over 46,000 clubs across 200+ countries. Founded in 1905 in Chicago, Rotary is one of the world's largest and most influential service organizations, dedicated to humanitarian causes, ethical leadership, and community development.

Why Choose Rotary?

Joining Rotary International offers numerous personal and professional benefits while allowing you to make a positive impact in your community and the world. Here's why you should consider becoming a Rotarian:

- 1. Make a Difference in the World
- 2. Expand Your Network.
- 3. Personal & Professional Growth
- 4. Local & Global Impact
- 5. Friendship & Fellowship
- 6. Ethical & Inclusive Environment
- 7. Travel & International Opportunities
- 8. Leave a Lasting Legacy

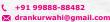


Rotary's motto is "Service Above Self"—if you want to serve, connect, and lead, Rotary is the perfect place for you!

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FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

Rtn. Sudhir Sharma



Dear Friends,

What a glittering Installation Ceremony we had—made possible by the tireless efforts of our team (HUM) and all the dedicated members of our club. I extend my heartfelt thanks to each one of you.

A special note of appreciation goes to the Event Chairman **PP Rtn Prabhjit Singh**; Master of Ceremony **Rtn Dr. J.K. Sharma**; Director Club Services **PP Rtn D.S. Deol**; and Chairman Venue, **PP Rtn Amar Raj Saini**. While I may not be able to mention every Rotarian by name in this brief note, please know that I am genuinely thankful to all the committee chairs and members.

I would also like to acknowledge the gracious presence of our dignitaries, who took time out of their busy schedules to attend the ceremony. Although our **Chief Guest**, **Mr Ranjit Singh Gill**, was unable to join us due to a last-minute commitment, he sent his son, **Mr. Amandeep Singh Gill**, as his representative and contributed a generous cheque of ₹1,00,000 as a token of support. We are deeply grateful to the **Gillco Group** for this noble gesture.

Our **Guest of Honour**, **DGE Rtn Dr. Rita Kalra**, along with her gracious husband, **PP Rtn Dr. Sanjay Kalra**, added grace and strength to the occasion. Thank you, Rita Ma'am, for your inspiring words and valuable presence.

We were blessed by the presence of our mentors and Club Counselors, **PDG Rtn Dr. R.S. Parmar** and **PDG Rtn Chetan Aggarwal**, who joined us on the dais. Their supportive spouses, Ma'am Brij Parmar and Ma'am Neelam Aggarwal also graced the occasion. And, of course, a special thanks to our ever-supportive **AG Rtn Gurpreet Singh**, for always guiding us with dedication. He was accompanied by his gracious wife Ma'am Amisha. **PE Rtn Gagan Saini** read out a beautiful vote of thanks.

I will be failing in my duty if I don't express my gratitude towards my loving mother for her blessings and my gracious wife and other relatives for gracing the occasion.

With the festivities behind us, the real work now begins. Let us embrace this journey with renewed energy and enthusiasm. I am confident that, with the unwavering support of each Rotarian, we will continue to serve with passion and take our club to greater heights—true to the spirit of Service Before Self.

With kind regards







FROM THE DESK OF THE SECRETARY

Rtn. Dr. Ankur Wahi

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to everyone who attended the Installation Ceremony and contributed to making it a grand success.

A special thank you to **PP Amar Raj Saini**, **PP Parminder Kumar**, and **Rtn Arina Chanana** for their unwavering support and spirit of fellowship. Your presence and encouragement meant a lot.

A sincere note of appreciation to **Rtn. Bhupinder Singh**, **Director** of **Genius International Public School**, for the beautiful flower pots that added charm and grace to the event.

I am committed to giving my best to ensure this is a successful and meaningful Rotary year.

Once again, thank you to the entire team for organizing such a flawless and memorable event. Your efforts and dedication are truly commendable.

Forth Coming Projects

- Distribution of Nutritious Diet to Mothers in Civil Hopsital Ropar
- Dental Check up Camp
- Talk on reproductive health by Dr. Manpreet Kaur in Government Girl School
- Awareness talk on Balanced and Nutritious Diet
- Provide High Protein Diet to Tuberculosis patients









19.07.2025

Installation Ceremony

























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Guests Grace The Event





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Installation Ceremony



Rotary Team Year 2025-26



Release of Club Directory













Mr. Amandeep Singh Gill, handed over a cheque of 1,00,000 from Gillco Group for noble gesture





























Speakers of the Day



















Glimpses from the Installation Ceremony





















ROTARY AND ME

Before finally joining Rotary Club Roopnagar in 2017, me and my wife **Mrs Suman Tyagi**, were informally attached with Rotary Club Roorkee for some time. In fact at the invitation of our friends there, we had participated in some Rotary activities including social service projects. During that period we learnt a lot about excellent social welfare projects Rotary Clubs have been taking and completing Nationally and Internationally.

Somewhere in May 2017 we met **Dr R S Parmar**. During our conversation Dr Parmar came to know that I was recently retired as Professor of Physics from I I T Roorkee and now residing in Ropar along with our son Prof Himanshu (IIT Ropar). He suggested us to join Rotary Club of Ropar. This suggestion in fact resonated well with our own desire of devoting towards social welfare through joining an organisation like Rotary. We both joined Rotary Club Roopnagar in June 2017.

It has been a wonderful experience being a Rotarian: interacting and working with people of different professions and from different walks of life. I found the Rotarians of our Club, full of vigour and enthusiasm. It became clear to me that all the Rotarians here were very well aware of and always eager to implement the Rotary International Mission (to dedicate their time and resources to community needs and improving lives, to promote integrity and peace, to focus on specific causes like fighting disease, providing clean water and supporting education).

When compared with other Clubs and the Rotarians there, I have come across, I find the members of our Club way ahead in sincerity and commitment to Rotarian Philosophy and Mission. I can very well conclude that this culture of belongingness of all members to Rotarian Philosophy and of hard work to fulfil it must be the result of continuous efforts and dedication of Senior most Rotarians of the club (Dr R S Parmar and others), who founded this Club and nurtured it for four and a half decades.

I have been enjoying my participation in various Projects including social service activities, social awareness and school education activities. I enjoyed a lot delivering lectures/talks to students in Schools on popular science topics during 2017-19. Particularly Late Shri Swaranjit Singh Walia (President during 2017-18) and Shri J K Bhatia (President during 2018-19) took great interest in this activity and made all arrangements. (Shri Walia Ji was a personal friend of mine and I miss him a lot).

Rtn Prof. (R.) Dr. I S Tyagi





Rotarian दिल स



Rtn Raj Kumar Kapoor Honorary Member

LETTERS TO

Meghalaya's firm measures

Refer to 'Hope takes root in Meghalaya': every government, whether at the Centre or the state, must focus on two basic parameters of good governance — health and education. This northeastern state is providing good healthcare to the public but lagging behind in quality education, which is a matter of concern. A decline in the maternal mortality ratio from 243 to 107 in a couple of years is laudable. Likewise, there has been a significant decrease in infant mortality. Such achievements are the outcome of firm, consistent measures. But the rise in HIV cases is worrisome. The Meghalaya government should keep up the good work to become a role model for other states in the region.

RAJ KUMAR KAPOOR, ROPAR











ROTARY HISTORY

Why the Rotary year begins 1 July

Ever wonder why 1 July is the beginning of the Rotary year? Initially, our conventions played a key role in determining the start date of our fiscal and administrative year.

Rotary's first fiscal year began the day after the first convention ended, on 18 August 1910. The 1911-12 fiscal year also related to the convention, beginning with the first day of the 1911 convention on 21 August.

Attendees at Rotary's first convention in Chicago in 1910. Rotary's first fiscal year began the day after the convention ended.



The next August, the Board of Directors ordered an audit of the International Association of Rotary Clubs' finances. The auditors recommended that the organization end its fiscal year on 30 June to give the secretary and treasurer time to prepare a financial statement for the convention and board, and to determine the proper number of club delegates to the convention.

The executive committee agreed and, in April 1913, designated 30 June as the end of the fiscal year. This also allowed for changes to the schedule for reporting club membership and payments. Even The Rotarian changed its volume numbering system to correspond to the fiscal year (beginning with Volume 5, No. 1, in July 1914).

Rotary continued to hold its annual conventions in July or August until 1917. Delegates to the 1916 event in Cincinnati, Ohio, USA, approved a resolution to hold future conventions in June, mainly because of the heat in cities where most of them occurred. The next one was held 17-21 June in Atlanta, Georgia.

The term "Rotary year" has been used to signify Rotary's annual administrative period since at least 1913. An article in The Rotarian that July noted, "The Rotary year that is rapidly drawing to a close has been signalized by several highly successful joint meetings of Clubs that are so situated as to assemble together easily and conveniently."









ROTARY IN NEWS



रुवनगर में रोटरी वुलब के प्रोग्राम दौरान नव नियुक्त अध्यक्ष सुधीर शर्मा की ताजपोशी उपरांत उनके साथ उपस्थित मुख्य अतिथि अमनदीप, जिला गवर्नर इलेक्ट हा . रीता व अन्य गणभान्य ० (रोटरी)

सुधीर बने रूपनगर रोटरी क्लब के अध्यक्ष

टीम सहित हुई ताजपोशी, मुख्य अतिथि ने प्रोजेक्टों के लिए दिए एक लाख

संवाद सहयोगी, जागरण 🌞 रूपनगरः रूपनगर रोटरी क्लब के लिए एक जुलाई से शुरू हुए ग्रेटरी साल 2025-26 के लिए निवांचित अध्यक्ष रोटेरियन सुधीर शर्मा की ताजपोशी के लिए विशेष समागम आवीजित किया गया। इस साल के लिए रोटेरियन हा अंकर वाही को क्लब का सचिव चुना गया है।

गिल्को ग्रुप के एमडी अमनदीप सिंह गिल मुख्य अतिथि के रूप में शामिल हुए जबिक रोटरी जिला 3080 के जिला गवर्नर इलेक्ट डा. रीता कालहा ने विशेष अतिथि के रूप में शिरकत की। प्रोग्राम का आगाज रोटरी रिवायत

के अनुसार अध्यक्षता कालर के अदान-प्रदान के साथ हुआ। इस मौके पास्ट अध्यक्ष रोटेरियन कुलवंत सिंह द्वारा अपने कार्यकाल रोटरी वर्ष 2024-25 की रिपोर्ट पेश की जिसमें उन्होंने बताया कि पिछले साल दौरान उनकी टीम इस समाज सेवा के कुल 260 प्रोजेक्ट किए गए हैं , जिसकी सभी मेंबरों के साथ साथ मुख्य अतिथि तथा विशेष अतिथि द्वरा जोरदार शब्दों में सराहना की गई। इसके साथ उनकी पूरी टीम को रोटरी जिला 3080 की तरफ से विसेप रूप से पुरस्कार भी भेंट किए गए।

नव नियुक्त अध्यक्ष सुधीर शर्मा ने

अपने संबोधन के दौरान इस साल के दौरान किए जाने वाले विभिन्न प्रोजेक्टों के बारे जानकारी दी।

उन्होंने 2025-26 के लिए बोर्ड डायरेक्टरों में शामिल पास्ट गवनंर डा. आरएस परमार, पास्ट गवर्नर चेतन अग्रवाल, पूर्व अध्यक्ष अमर राज सैनी आदि की सभी से पहचान भी करवाई। इसके अलावा प्रदीप शर्मा को उपाध्यक्ष. संजय सद को कोपाध्यक्ष, जेपीएस रीहल को सारजेंट एट आमें के अलावा परमिंदर कमार, डीएस दयोल, प्रभजीत सिंह, जेक शर्मा तथा हा. बीपीएस परमार को डायरेक्टर जबकि नरिंदर भोला, बीएस सत्याल को चुना गया।

सूधीर शर्मा रोटरी क्लब रूपनगर के अध्यक्ष बने

स्थानगर, 20 जुलाई: रोटरी स्थान स्थानगर ने वर्ष 2025-26 के लिए अपने नए अध्यक्ष को नियुक्त करने के लिए एक कार्यक्रम क आयोजन किया, जिसमें रोटेरियन सुधीर जर्मा 1 जुलाई से जुरू होने बाले वर्ष के लिए अध्यक्ष बने। डॉ. अंकुर बाही को क्लब का सचिव चुना गया। मिलको पुर के एमडी जमक्दीप सिंह मिल मुख्य अंडिब में और जिला सबनेर इलेक्ट डॉ. रीता कालड़ा कार्यक्रम को लिलेष ऑतिथ थी। रोटरी को परंपरा के अनुसार, अध्यक्षीय कॉलर का आदान-प्रदान किया गया।

इससे पहले, रोटेरियन कुलबंत सिंह अध्यक्ष 2024-25 ने रोटरी क्लब रूपनगर की पिछले साल की विपोर्ट पेज की। रोटर्री क्लब रूपनार ने फिछले साल समाज सेवा से संबंधित 260 प्रोजेक्ट किए। फिछले साल टीम काम की सभी ने कहत सराहना की। रोटरी डिस्ट्रिक्ट 3080 हारा विष् गए पुरस्कार संबंधित सदस्वों को सौंप विष् गए। तन्होंने 2025-26 के लिए निर्देशक मंडल का भी परिचय करवाया, जिसमें पीढीजी डॉ आर.एस.परमार, पीढीजी चेतन अव्रवाल पार्यद, योषी अमर राज सैनी और प्रदीप शर्मा उपाध्यक्ष, पीपो संजय सूद कोषाध्यक्ष, जे.पी.एस.रिष्ठल सर्जेट एट आस्सं और पीपी परमिंदर कुमार, पीगी डी.एस.देओल, पीपी







रोटरी क्लब रूपनगर द्वारा आयोजित कार्यक्रम के विभिन्न दृश्य।

(राजु शर्मा)

संपादक अशोक चड्डा द्वरा तैयार कलब निर्देशिक्त का विमोचन किया। मुख्य अर्जिष ने कलब के प्रवासों की ... सरहाना की और क्लब द्वारा शुरू संदर्भ का आर क्लब प्रेरा शुरू की जाने वाली परिवाजनाओं के लिए एक लाख का चैक प्रदान किया। डॉ रीत कलाडा ने मौजूदा रोटेरियन को समाज की भलाई के लिए और

प्रचारित सिंह, पीची में के शामी और अधिक करने और एक साथ काम पीची डॉ बी.पी.एस.पराया निदेशक, करने के लिए प्रोत्साहित किया चेतन पीची वर्रीरट चोलल, पीची ने भी अपने सर्वित पाल्यों के माध्यम बी.एस.स्त्वान और पीची डॉ म्प्या परमार को चेवरतीन पूना गया। परमार को चेवरतीन पूना गया। यामान्य व्यक्तियों ने कलब के सोटरी डेटरनेशनल अध्यक्ष द्वारा दिए गए जियम को समझाया और रोटरी के लक्ष्य वानी स्थाय से ऊपर सेवा को प्राप्त करने के लिए प्रतिबद्धता

अग्रबाल और पी.पा. बलराम अग्रवाल और अशोककीशल ने रोटरी रूपनार कर मंद्र टीम को अशीर्वाद दिया। इस अवसर पर रोटरी क्लब रोपड़ सेंट्रल, आनंदपुर साहिब, नंगल सेंट्रल, मोरिडा के संदरयों के साथ-साथ इनर क्षील क्लब, लावंस क्लब और रोटारेक्ट क्लब के सदस्य बड़ी संख्या में उपस्थित थे।

अर्थार प्राप्त का प्रशासका क्षेत्र के उत्तरस्था स्था हा अक्षर पर सुर्वादिद सिहं स्था सूर्व रिटरी गर्कार परिस्त सार्थ सिहंद सिहं सिहंद सी मीने प्रवेश कारहा, डॉ. पूर्व रोटरी गर्कार परिस्त सीर्य सार्थात सार्थ ता सीहत सार्थ ता वाला, डॉक्सर स्था सार्थ सिहंद सीहत आर्थिय पर्द, एससी मीन जुमा मोसल इस अवसर पर उपस्थित में। और मदन जुमा मी उपस्थित हो।

सुधीर शर्मा रोटरी क्लब के ४७वें अध्यक्ष नियुक्त

प्रेसम का आयोजन किया गया। जिस्सी गेटेरियन सुन्धेर शर्मा । सुन्धों से शुरू सेने चाले साल के जिस्सा अध्यक्ष बने। इसके अलावा वित्र अध्या याँ। इसेर अश्या है। लेक्न कार्य पा उस कीर अपन्य पा इस कीर अपन्य पा इस कीर अपन्य पा इस कीर अपन्य पा इस कीर अपन्य अपन्य पा इस कीर अपन्य अपन्य कार्य कार



रोहरी **मनव** के कर अध्यक्ष रिटिश्यन सुधीर शर्मा को व्यालर पहनाते. पीढी को जारएस परमार, पीडी जी चतन असरहत व अन्य।





ਸੁਧੀਰ ਸ਼ਰਮਾ ਦੇ ਸਿਰ ਸਜਿਆ ਰੋਟਰੀ ਕਲੱਬ ਰੁਪਨਗਰ ਦੇ 4*1*ਵੇਂ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਦਾ ਤਾਜ

ਤੁਪਨਕਰ, 20 ਜੁਲਾਈ ।ਸਰਨਾਮ ਸੁਧੀਰ ਸ਼ਰਮਾ ਨੇ ਆਉਣ ਵਾਲੇ ਸਾਲ ਵਿੱਚ ਰੇਅਰਮੰਨ ਯੁਣਿਆ ਗਿਆ । ਪਰਜੀਰਮਾਂ ਨੇ ਤੇਕਰੀ ਦੇ ਲੇਚ ਰਾਵ ਆਪਣੇ ਆਪਣੇ ਉੱਪਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੰਗੇ। ਰੇਕਰੀ ਕਲੇਬ ਰੂਮਨਰਜ਼ ਨੇ ਸਾਲ ਲੜ ਵੱਲ ਜੀਣੇ ਜਾਣ ਵਾਲੇ ਚੰਦ ਵੱਚ ਗਲੇਬ ਦੇ ਸੰਪਾਬ ਅਧੇਰ ਦੰਦ ਦੁਆਰਾ ਲੋਟ ਹੁਣਾ 26 ਲਈ ਆਪਣੇ ਲਵੇਂ ਪੁਸਾਨ ਅਤੇ ਦੇ ਸੰਪਾਬ ਵਿੱਚ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਰਿਆਰ ਕੀਰੀ ਗਈ ਜਾਣੇ ਜਾਣ ਦਾਲੇ ਹੋ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਰਿਆਰ ਕੀਰੀ ਗਈ ਜਾਣੇ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਰਿਆਰ ਕੀਰੀ ਗਈ ਜਾਣੇ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਰਿਆਰ ਕੀਰੀ ਗਈ ਜਾਣੇ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਤੇ ਸਾਲੇਕਰਨ ਲੀਬ ਅਤੇ ਪੁਸ਼ਾਰਮੰਤ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਜਾਣ ਪੁਸ਼ਾਨ ਨੇ 1 ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ ਜਾ

सुधीर शमी रेटिरी क्लब के 47वे अध्यक्ष नियुक्त

-26 के लिए अपने नर् बने को समर्पित करने के लिए का आयोजन किया गया। म को अविकास विकास पर्या में रोटेरियन सुधीर हार्यो । इं से शुरू होने व्याने साल के अध्यक्ष बने। इनके अलावा अंकुर वहीं को क्लांब की प्रोजेक्ट किए। रोटरी डिस्ट्बर



रोटरी क्लब के नए अध्यक्ष रोटेरियन सुधीर ग्रामी को कॉलर पहनाते पीडीची डॉ. आरएस परमार, पीडीची चेतन अक्षवाल ग अन्य।

से कर गीन जात (व मन अंगिट) के कर में गानकरते थी। स्वान 2025-26 के किए डामस्कर कोड़े की मुलकात करवाई, विसमी पोडीजी डी आग्रस परमार पोडीजी डीज अग्रसल कॉन्सिस्स, पोडीजी खेटन अग्रसल कॉन्सिस्स, पोडीजी अमरसल मेंनी प्रतिप सम्ब

किए सर् पीम को जानकारी दे। रोटरी क्लब के पूर्व मननेर स्मेर धारमव, बी सन्मोधन किल, प्रयी-चंद्र सोमल ने शिस्तान की। पीर्म









PP Rtn Prabhjit Singh Director Youth Service

ROTARACT CLUB OF GOVERNMENT COLLEGE ROPAR

CELEBRATED ANNAPURNA WEEK WITH ENTHUSIASM

Day 1 "Food for Street Animals"







Day 2 "Annapurna Vriksh"

A tree plantation activity

A tree plantation activity was carried out by members



Day 3 " Bird Shelters"

The Rotaractors focused on setting up bird shelters, ensuring the safety and comfort of birds during the changing seasons.





Day4 "Webinar on Healthy Nutrition"

An online webinar on Healthy Nutrition was conducted on the fourth day by Prof Arvinder Kaur.

Day 5 "Cooking Without Fire"

Rotaract Club organised an event on cooking without fire, encouraging creativity and healthy, eco-friendly cooking methods.













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Day6 "Annapurna Food Quiz" engaging participants in a fun and educational session about food and nutrition.

Day 7 "Annapurna Gratitude Cards"

The week concluded with the making of Annapurna Gratitude Cards, where members expressed thanks to individuals contributing selflessly to society.

























Director Club Service in Action

PP Rtn D S Deol Director Club Service

Director Club Services, PP Rtn D S Deol has started a beautiful practice of reaching out to Rotarians.















We Celebrate

Birthdays



PP Rtn. Gurpreet Singh 28th July

Anniversary



PP Rtn. Narinder Bhola 28th July



PP Rtn. Er. Parminder Kumar 29th July





REGULAR CLUB MEETING

The next regular meeting of the club is scheduled for **Friday, 25th July 2025** at **7-30 PM**.

- 1. President & Secretary's report on last week's events and projects.
- 2. A talk on Balanced Diet by dietician cum nutritionist, Rtn Neeta Chadha. Please come alongwith with your spouses and friends for this interesting talk.
- 3. This being the last Friday of the month, we will be cutting cake to celebrate birthdays and anniversaries of members falling in the month of August by cutting cake, followed by fellowship.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

It is never too late to reinvent yourself

Start new career at 40.

Fall in love at 50.

Learn to dance at 60.

Start a whole new life at 70.

Stop saying you can't.

You can and you should.

Dreams don't have an expiration date.





FROM THE EDITOR DESK

Rnt. Ashok Chadha Club Editor RY 2025-26



Dear Members

I started this edition of Synergy with singular aim of expanding the horizon of the bulletin.

I am getting feedback from the members and you must have noticed the new features and fresh areas of discussion we are trying to include in every issue. I once again invite each one of you to come forward and share with us your views, ideas and feedback. Please do let us know new project ideas.

I am thankful to **Rtn Prof I S Tyagi** for the write up - Me and My Rotary, which is being published this week. I am sure you too are scribbling your thoughts on the subject and will share with us in coming weeks.

With rotary greetings