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ROTARY CLUB CHANDIGARH UPTOWN DISTRICT 3080, ZONE VI

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JOIN US TO SAY HAPPY ROTARY NEW YEAR!

Greetings, Rotary Family!

By the time this newsletter will be released, it would already be new year 2024. But Rotary gives us the opportunity to make it a happy new year for everyone and especially the less privileged ones.

"Thousands of candles can be lighted from a single candle, and the life of the candle will not be shortened. Happiness never decreases by being shared."

At the end of the year 2023, as members of the Rotary family, we should feel happy that because of our tireless efforts, our community has changed for the better through our service during the year. Let us all take the pledge to keep striving for the betterment of society.

TOGETHER, WE ALL WILL RISE!



SAVE THE DATE - 17 TO 19 JANUARY, 2024!

Rotary International President Gordon R. McNally and his gracious wife, Heather, are coming to our district.

This visit presents a unique opportunity for us to engage with and learn from the leadership of Rotary International. President McNally's insights and experiences will undoubtedly inspire us to strengthen our commitment to Rotary's mission of service above self.

We all are looking forward to interact and learn from them.

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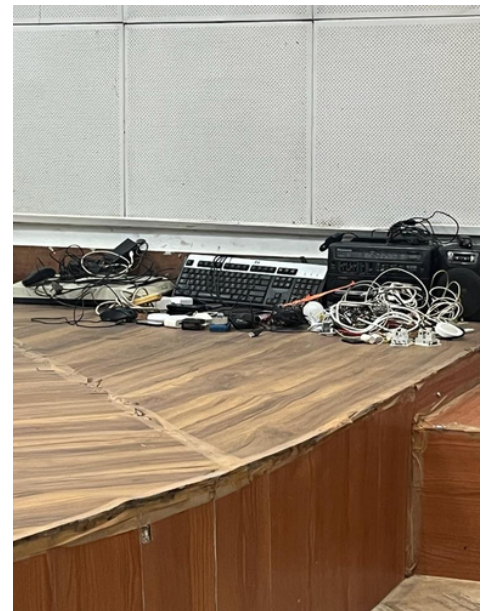


E- WASTE MANAGEMENT TALK

Rotary Club Chandigarh Uptown organized an "E-Waste Management" program at Gian Sagar College of Nursing, Rajpura, on 22.12.2023, at 2:00 pm. A presentation on E-waste management was given and approximately 15 kg of E-waste were collected from participants.

Over 150 students and teachers actively participated. Rtn Vijay Kumar Dhall commenced the program with an introduction to Rotary and its projects, while Rtn Amrik Singh Vraich spoke about the importance of E-waste management.

A PowerPoint presentation was delivered by Ms. Sakshi Chandel from "Karo Sambhav." The program was well-received by the audience. The Principal honored the club officials at the end of the event. Rtn Vijay Kumar Dhall, Rtn Amrik Singh Vraich, and Rtn Manmohan Luthra wholeheartedly participated in this important event.



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS



Ho! Ho! Ho! Merry Christmas!
The Rotary club Chandigarh Uptown celebrated Christmas with children at Oncology department , PGI, Chandigarh. The true meaning of festivals is to share happiness. And that is what the club did by organizing a puppet show and card decoration activity. Also, the club decided to be a Santa so, goodie bags were given to 60 children as a sweet gesture. President Arun Kamboj, 1st lady Bani Kamboj, PP Yashica Jain and Rtn. Anjana Kapoor were present for this joyous event.



THE ACT OF KINDNESS

Rotarian Avinash Taneja has organized a blanket distribution event for needy workers to provide assistance during cold weather on 21.12.2023 @1.00 pm at KLV Signature Tower, Sec 66-A, Airport Road, Mohali. Rtn. Hari Om Varma ji, Rtn Tarlochan Dev ji, Rtn Vijay Kumar Dhall also participated in this noble deed. It encourages all of us to join hands and spread kindness.



INTER DISTRICT PROJECT - SAKKA SIRHIND



The Inter District Project “Sakka Sirhind” that is an Awareness & Cleanliness Drive was executed by Rotarians of District 3080 & District 3090.

Rotarians of both the Zones (Zone6/3080) & (Zone4/3090) flagged off the project on 25th December with Awareness Program starting from Landran to Fatehgarh Sahib with “hired Vehicle pasting the branding of Rotary with Slogans of Cleanliness” for Road Side Awareness. More than 30 Rotary Leaders participated in this Drive & supported the cause to save the environment & donated 800+ Garbage Bags to various Langar Sewa Centers in Mohali, Landran to Fatehgarh Sahib, Sirhand & all the nearby areas.



On 30th December, Rotarians decided to collect the garbage bags with Various garbage vehicles for safely disposal of Plastic Waste in the presence of both the Rotary Clubs Team & District Governors of 3080 & 3090, Rtn. Arun Mongia & Rtn. Ghansham Kansal respectively.



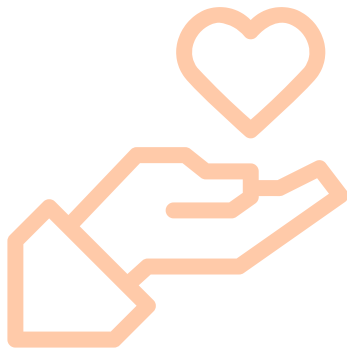
GLIMPSES OF RECOGNITION



Congratulations

Our member Rtn. Hari Om Verma ji became PAUL HARRIS FELLOW.

SPECIAL THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROUS CONTRIBUTION



We thank and appreciate our members for their generous contribution.

Donation to Rotary Foundation

Rtn Manjula Walia	\$30
Rtn Alka Gupta	\$30
Rtn. Vijay Dhall	\$30
Rtn Hari Om Verma	Rs. 10,000

Donation for Polio

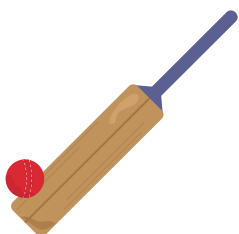
Rtn Hari Om Verma	Rs. 10,000
Rtn. Arun Kamboj	\$100

GROUNDBREAKING INITIATIVE!

A Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Rotary Clubs in India and the IRDA approved Insurance broking company, RFL. This collaboration presents an unparalleled opportunity for Rotary Clubs to secure funds that can be channeled towards transformative projects and initiatives.

This initiative has the potential to inject more than Rs. 1,000 crores annually into Rotary Clubs across India, provided that all clubs actively participate.

TIME TO PLAY



Our club has represented Zone 6 cricket team in District cricket tournament held at Yamunanagar.

President Rtn Arun Kamboj, Secretary Rtn Vijay Kumar Dhall, IPP Rtn Ajay Gupta, Rtn Rajendra Partap, Rtn Avinash Taneja, Rtn Vijay Kumar Dhall participated with full enthusiasm.

CELEBRATION TIME



Congratulations

Anniversary celebration with Rtn, Amit Chahal and Ann Rekha on 6th December, 2023

TIME TO TRAVEL



RCC Uptown members are planning a trip to Sri Lanka from 22nd to 30th January, 2024.

Rtn. Arun & Subha Kamboj, Rtn. K. K. Walia & Manjula Walia, Rtn. Mahesh arora & Veena aror, Rtn. Hari Om Verma and Rtn. Anjana Kapoor are ready to explore and have a fun time.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

RTN. AMRIK SINGH VARAICH

1 JANUARY

RTN. REETIKA THUKRAL

2 JANUARY

RTN. VIJAY KUMAR DHALL

12 JANUARY

RTN. MANMOHAN LUTHRA

12 JANUARY

RTN. ANITA SOOD

20 JANUARY

RTN. RINKU SACHDEVA

31 JANUARY

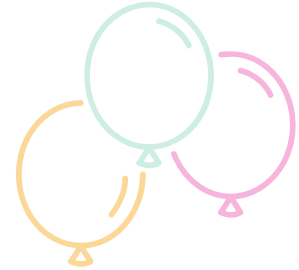
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

RTN. AMRIK SINGH & NANKI KAUR

5 JANUARY

RTN. MANMOHAN AND MRS. LUTHRA

24 JANUARY



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