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NEWS LETTER NO 31 : 27th JANUARY TO 2nd FEBRUARY 2025

Dear Rotarians and Anns,

As we step into another impactful week, let's take a look at the highlights, achievements and upcoming activities of ROTARY DOWNTOWN!

This week was full of Meaningful projects !

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

INSTALLATION OF ROTARACT CLUB

Our 1st new Rotaract club for the year 24-25 was installed at Mathuradas Mohota College Of Science. 19 members were inducted. DRCC Rtn Nishikant Kashikar briefed the students about the roles and responsibilities of the Rotractors . Director New Generation Rtn Sanket Dharashivkar gave the pins to the students. Thanks to Ann Sayli Dharashivkar for her support. Downtown conducted RYLA at Mohota Science college.



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TALK ON INTIMATE WELNESS FOR WOMEN

Rotary club of Downtown and Inner Wheel Club of Nagpur jointly hold a speaker meet on 31st January at Chitnavis Centre. Speaker Dr. Parul Saoji, a well known Aesthetic and Functional Gynaecologist discussed about health, hygiene, beauty amongst the other topics.

More than 40 members attended the meet.

PROJECTS OF THE WEEK

Project: 53

Name of the Project : Youth Vocational Training

Date of Project: 28 / 01 /2025

No of beneficiaries: 200



Project Description : - Im Mohota Science RYLA was conducted in which sessions were conducted on career guidance and overall development of the students. As a part of community service initiatives, Sessions conducted are :-

Career counseling and guidance by Vishal Jain,
Public Speaking By Dr. Pratiksha Mayee
Creativity and Innovation by Saloni Bagwan
Communication skills by Sayali Dharashivkar
Time Mnagement by Abhay Joshi
Team Work by Himanshu Sewalkar

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Looks, Presentation and Body language by Ashwini Choulwar

Self Defence demo by Padma Nagdeve

Thanks to our esteemed speakers whose sessions empowered students with knowledge and motivation for their academic and professional growth in future.

Thanks to Management of the Mohota Science College and students for their active participation.

Special thanks to Rtn Vikrant Darvhekar, Rtn Abhijit Thakre, Ann Sayli Dharashivkar, Ann Rakhi Kashikar for their valuable support.



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Project: 17(13)

Name of the Project : Road Safety And Traffic Awareness

Date of Project: 28 / 01 / 2025

Project Description : Traffic Awareness session was aimed to reduce road accidents by spreading awareness about responsible driving, pedestrian safety and adherence to traffic laws.

Traffic Awareness session was conducted at Mohota Science College. Around 200 students attended the impactful Powerpoint presentation session by Rtn Ravindra Paranjape. They took the oath of following the traffic rules.



Project: 54

Name of the Project : Multi functional Playground

Date of Project: 29 / 01 /2025

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No of beneficiaries: 400

Project Description : Under Community Development, at Tejaswini Vidya Mandir, Koradi, Multi purpose playground that includes skating, basketball, badminton was inaugurated by Mrs Chitra Garg, Non executive director of Diffusion, Mrs Nilu Garg, General manager Corporate affairs and Aneeta Vijaykar, CSR head Diffusion Engineers Ltd .

Also badminton rackets, skates, basketballs and cricket kits were donated to the school.

Thanks to Diffusion Engineers Ltd for their generous donation of 2 lakhs for this project.

Very happy to see the smiles on faces of students.

Thanks to IPP Abhijit Deshpande and Prajakta Mangrulkar for their support.



Project: 55

Name of the Project : CSR India Grant Happy School project

Date of Project: 30 / 01 /2025

No of beneficiaries: 500

Project Description : Very happy to share that , Under International Services and Basic Education, Rotary downtown proudly inaugurated their first ,of the three CSR India grant sponsored project by Spacewood Office Solutions at Vidya Niketan English medium school 14th Mile Amravati road .

This project is dedicated to improving infrastructure, facilities and educational resources for better future of the students.

Under this outer and inner painting of the school, repair work was done and 100 desk benches, 300 school bags, water cooler, 1 computer was donated to the school.

Thanks DG Rajinder Khurana for the inauguration.

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Our heartfelt gratitude to CSR director Rtn Nitin Sudame and SOS for their generosity.

Thanks to District Secretary projects Rtn Virendra Patrikar and PP Rtn Dr Rushikesh Mayee for their support.

Thanks to the Principal Mrs Rohini Nandanwar and the management of the Vidya Niketan school for their support in execution of the work .



Project: 56

Name of the Project : Tree Plantation

Date of Project: 02 / 02 /2025

No of beneficiaries: 500

Project Description : Tree Plantation Drive- A step towards a greener tomorrow!

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At NMC Dumping Yard, Bhandewadi, Bidgaon Road, Near NMC STP Plant, Nagpur , 500 Neem, Arjuna and other plants of 5-6ft were planted . This was arranged by Zest Multicare Hospital Private Limited along with Sahayog Foundation ,Rotary Club of Nagpur Downtown and Rotaract Club of Symbiosis Law School, Nagpur.

We were happy in joining hands together in this meaningful initiative. Together, we can make a lasting impact on the environment!

Thanks to IPP Rajeev Warbhe for connecting us for such a meaningful project. 25-30 Rotractors also took efforts in the arrangements.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Date	Event
09 / 02 / 25	Book donation
08/ 02 / 25	Inauguration of 2 nd Happy school

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CELEBRATIONS OF THE WEEK



Birthdays	
30 th January	RK Aditya Prashant Kshirsagar
31 st January	Rtn Sanket Dharashivkar
29 th January	RK Shridhar Sachin Shirbhavikar
2 nd February	Ann Aboli Vivek Pathak
2 nd February	RK Madhura Sudame

Anniversary	
28 th January	Rtn Hemant and Janhavi Chafle
29 th January	Rtn Sanket and Sayli Dharashivkar
29 th January	PP Rtn Harshminder and Sonia Khurana
31 st January	PP Rtn Sushil and Anuja Sharma
1 st February	Rtns Nitin and Mrudula Sudame
2 nd February	Rtn Pankaj and Ashwini Ambhorkar

Yours in Rotary,
Rtn. Mrudula Sudame
Hon. Secretary RCNDT, 2024-25

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