Let's Inspire...







Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex

Rotary International District 3141





Suyog Gangavane 35th Inspire President of

the RC Mumbai BKC







PP Rtn. Sachin Shigwan, Editor

elcome to the special edition of our Rotary magazine,

celebrating the installation of our new Club President, Rtn. Suyog Gangavane. This occasion marks a significant milestone in our club's journey, as we embrace new leadership and continue our mission to serve our community and the world.

This Rotary year, under the inspiring theme 'Unite for Good' we are reminded of the incredible power of service, fellowship, and dedication that defines our organisation. The magic of Rotary lies in our shared commitment to the principles of Rotary.

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As we welcome Rtn. Suyog Gangavane, we also express our deepest gratitude to IPP Rtn. Shanobar Murli and her board for

their remarkable leadership and unwavering dedication over the past year. Their efforts have paved the way for new initiatives and strengthened our club's Impact.

Rtn. Suyog Gangavane brings a wealth of experience, passion and vision to this role. We are confident that under his leadership our club will reach new heights, undertake innovative projects, and continue to be a beacon of hope and service in our community.

In this edition, you will find insights into Rtn. Suyog's goals and plans for the year, reflections on past achievements, and inspiring stories from our members who exemplify the unit for good let inspire. These pages are a testament to the extraordinary commitment of our Rotarians and the profound difference we make together.

As we embark on this new Rotary year, let us draw inspiration from within each of us and work together to create a brighter future. Together, we can turn dreams into reality and ensure that our club remains a force for good in the world.

Thank you for your continued support and dedication. Here's to a magical year of Rotary service and fellowship!







Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex

THE FOUR-WAY TEST
Of the things we think, say or do:

Is it the TRUTH?

Second
Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and
BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to
all concerned?

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Vision as President (2025–26):

To lead with integrity, empathy, and innovation - inspiring Rotarians to create meaningful impact through sustainable development, youth empowerment, and collaborative action.

A humble, driven, and people-first leader who believes in leading by example and building with purpose.

CORE VALUES

Integrity • Compassion • Innovation • Teamwork • Humility

EDUCATION

- Post Graduation (International Business) Symbiosis International University (A+ Grade)
- Advanced Business Management Program IIM Kozhikode

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

9+ Years | Business Strategy & Communication CEO & Business Director – Green India Initiative Pvt. Ltd. Head - Commercial Business (Pune) - Schindler India Specialist in Corporate Communication, Business Management & Closures. Experience in Startups & Global Organizations Known as a "solutions-first" leader

ROTARY JOURNEY

8+ Years of Active Service

- Rotaract to Rotary led impactful projects in youth, environment, health.
- Known for high-energy leadership and execution excellence
- Driven by the motto: Service Above Self

AWARDS & HONOURS

- Best Young Social Entrepreneur 2019
- CEO of the Year 2025 (National Achievers Recognition Forum, Delhi)
- Mr. Red |

 Mr. Rotal |

 Mr. RYLA

 Best Team Leader –
 Goa RYLA

FAMILY & ROOTS

- Son of Mr. Jayant Gangavane (Senior Officer Mumbai Police)
- Mother: Mrs. Janhavi Gangavane (Homemaker & a pillar of warmth and values)
- Sisters: Jagrutee & Ankita strong and accomplished women in finance & insurance sectors. Dog Parent to Snuffy—the family's golden retriever joy

PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES

Dynamic • Grounded • Visionary • Empathetic • Disciplined



Luyog Gangavane









Board Of Directors 2025-26



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RTN. GEETA BORKAR INSPIRE TREASURER



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RTN. GAURANG RAJWADKAR VOUTH SERVICE & INTERNATIONAL SERVICE











arm greetings to all fellow rotarians, members and generous donors!

It is with great humility and gratitude that I accept the role of President of the Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex for the Inspire Year 2025-26. Being entrusted with this responsibility by my fellow Rotarians, many of whom have mentored and inspired me, is both an honor and a commitment I deeply value. Having been associated with Rotary for over eight years, this leadership role is not just a milestone in my Rotary journey but a platform to contribute more meaningfully towards the values we all stand for - Service Above Self, Integrity, Fellowship, and Leadership.

In the year ahead, our club will focus on impactful community service projects aligned with the larger goals of Rotary International. We aim to initiate sustainable urban & rural development programs, inclusive Senior Citizen programs, advance healthcare and education access in underserved regions and support youth empowerment through structured mentorship and leadership platforms.

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Service is our path, unity is our strength, and inspiration is our legacy. Let's inspire & Unite for good towards making a lasting difference in the community.

At the same time, we plan to strengthen our club's internal fellowship, encourage professional success among members, Membership growth and foster strategic partnerships with corporates and civil society for greater outreach. Our signature initiatives this year will revolve around Environment, Solar electrification, Education & Safety programs while having a collaborative CSR-driven impact.

We envision each project not just as an act of service, but as a step towards building a more inclusive, empowered, and sustainable society. With collective passion and purpose, we aim to create ripples of change that echo far beyond the boundaries of our club.

My vision as President is to make our club a hub of purposeful service and collaborative leadership. I believe each Rotarian brings a unique strength to the table and by enabling each member to shine in their own capacity, we build a stronger Rotary movement together. My mission is to lead by example, listen before I speak, and ensure that every initiative, whether big or small, carries the soul of service. With humility in heart and clarity in action, I commit myself to ensuring that the Inspire Year 2025-26 becomes a year of action, alignment, and inspiration for our club, for our communities, and for Rotary at large.

Rotary leadership is not about leading from the front, it is about standing beside those in need, behind those who serve, and ahead of challenges yet to come. True leadership is measured not in titles, but in lives touched, hearts moved, and hope restored.

Rtn. Suyog Gangavane President 2025–26 Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex







Message From Rotary International President:

let's Unite for Good-for our clubs, our communities, and our world.

Rtn. Francesco Arezzo

President, Rotary International, 2025-26 A member of the Rotary Club of Ragusa, Italy



arm greetings and congratulations upon your installation.

Two weeks ago, I was in my living room playing with my grandchildren. A few days later, I was on a plane to Calgary, suddenly carrying the responsibility of leading this incredible organization. Life come fast, but so often, it brings us exactly where we're meant to be.

This is how we build strong clubs. It's how we create meaningful partnerships and transform global problems into local solutions. It's also how we lead-not through titles or applause, but with humility, humanity, and heart. But let me be honest with you-this kind of leadership is not always easy. We're human and yes, we make mistakes. We sometimes disagree, but in Rotary, we are called to something greater. let us reflect on the full vision of Rotary:

Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.

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We begin this year with a clear message; Unite for Good. It is a simple phrase, but a powerful one. Because behind every successful Rotary effort, every act of service, every new member welcomed, every global challenge met-there are two things that matter most: friendship and trust.

The last part is essential, because transformation doesn't start with strategy. It starts with character and the way we treat one another. It starts with how we listen, how we support, and how we serve.



This year, I ask you to lead with that spirit. To grow Rotary through relationships. To make your clubs more welcoming, more flexible, more open to new ideas. To think big-but also to think beyond one year. Our term is short, but our impact can be lasting if we plan and act with continuity and vision.

Let us remember our key priorities: membership, polio and peace. We are closer than ever to ending polio. We cannot stop now. We must keep the promise we made tot he children of the world. And as for peace-Rotary has been building it for over a century. Every clean water system, every youth exchange, every maternal health project is a step toward peace.

So now, my friends...take out your dreams tucked away in a drawer, especially those you thought were too big or bold to achieve. Let's bring them into the light. Let's Unite for Good-for our clubs, our communities, and our world. And let's make this a year not only of service, but of joy, of connection, and of love.

Let's Inspire...









Dear Inspire President Rtn. Suyog Gangavane

ongratulations on your installation as the President of the Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex. It is indeed a proud and momentous occasion, and I have no doubt that you will rise to the expectations of your club members and lead with both heart and vision.

As you step into this incredible journey, may your leadership be guided by this year's powerful theme — "Let's Inspire." Just like magic, inspiration holds the power to ignite hope, spark change, and uplift communities.

This year is a reminder of the profound and lasting impact we can create when we come together with purpose, passion, and the Rotary spirit.

"Inspiration" in Rotary is not just about words — it's about action. It is about discovering new possibilities, confronting pressing global and local issues, and daring to think differently. It is about embracing creativity, compassion, and boldness to shape a better tomorrow for all.

As Club President, I am confident that you will lead with integrity and ignite fresh energy across every dimension of your club. Under your leadership, I hope your members will experience the true essence of Rotary — fellowship, growth, and meaningful service. May you continue to foster a club culture that celebrates unity, compassion, and a deep commitment to creating positive change.

May your year be filled with impactful projects, collaborative partnerships, and memories that define this as one of your most rewarding journeys. I look forward to witnessing all the great things you and your team will accomplish in the year ahead.

Once again, congratulations on assuming this noble responsibility. I pledge my full support to you and your club as you lead the way forward.

Warm regards,
Rtn. Dr. Manish Motwani
District Governor,
Rotary District 3141
2025–2026

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Tatv, Integrity, July 2025







MESSAGE FROM AG

Warm greetings and heartfelt congratulations, Rtn. Suyog Gangavane.

congratulation on your election as President of the Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex.

On your installation as the President of Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex for the year 2025–26, I extend my deepest wishes for a meaningful and impactful term. This is a proud moment that marks the beginning of a new chapter—not only for you but for your club, which has placed its faith in your vision, leadership, and passion.

This year's Rotary theme, "Let's Inspire," beautifully captures the spirit you embody. Your role now is not just to lead, but to inspire—to ignite action, unite members with purpose, and bring alive the values of Rotary in every initiative. You have been entrusted with a responsibility that goes beyond events and administration—it's about creating lasting change and leaving a legacy of service. As you step into this role, I encourage you to focus on building a club that is fit for purpose—strong in structure, diverse in membership, and vibrant in service. Ensure strategic planning, transparent systems, impactful projects, and effective communication are at the core of your leadership. More importantly, remain adaptive to the evolving needs of the communities we serve.

Focus on projects that have tangible and measurable outcomes. Track your progress, celebrate your successes, and use every experience as an opportunity to grow. Prioritize sustainability in all your activities, with a vision for long-term impact that uplifts communities for years to come.

Your journey as President will be filled with opportunities to transform ideas into action, and teams into movements. Let your leadership be the light that motivates others to serve with heart. Foster a culture of inclusivity, where every member feels empowered, engaged, and inspired to contribute.

Work closely with stakeholders, partners, and fellow Rotarians, and continue to build a club that leads with compassion, purpose, and excellence. I have full faith that under your leadership, your club will soar to new heights of achievement and fellowship.

Congratulations once again on taking on this esteemed office. I am proud to walk alongside you this year as your Assistant Governor, and I look forward to everything we will accomplish—together—inspired by the magic of Rotary.

With warm regards, Rtn. Vidhi Gupta Assistant Governor 2025–26 Rotary District 3141



UNITE FOR GOOD







Congratulations from Co-Presidents



Warm greetings and heartfelt congratulations, Rtn. Suyog Gangavane.

It was post Feb 25 that I was introduced to PE Suyog Gangavane as a peer...with the intention of co hosting a DOP for our respective clubs...but when I met him, it just felt like I have known him for a long time. The warmth and genuineness just enveloped me totally. This young man holds a promise of an efficient leader. I wish him the very best with all my heart.

Inspire President 2025-26 Rtn. Anantlaxmi, RC Mumbai Juhu

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Congratulations Suyog on becoming President of Rotary Club of Mumbai BKC for the year 2025-26.

I am sure you are going to rock this year and achieve newer heights for you and your club. I remember we first met during PELS and since then I know I have found a very good friend. Looking at what you have achieved at such a young age, I am so inspired and would love to work with you this year. Your vision, passion and the zeal to work for the society is quite commendable and hope to collaborate soon. Cheers to long lasting friendships, leadership and much more.

Inspire President 2025-26 Rtn. Kruti Abhyankar, Rotary E-Club of Addiction Prevention

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Congratulations from RI District 3141 Officials



Dear Suyog.

I may have met you since just a few months but feel very comfortable talking to you and your club members. This is the advantage of mixing with other clubs and making more friends.

During Directors Orientation Program (DOP), realized the positivity of you and your club members. This was the beginning of a new friendship.

I am sure under your leadership, your club will do well. If at any time, you or your club members require any help, I can be contacted without any hesitation.

United We Stand and definitely you will inspire your club members and other club members too. Wish you all the luck for the year.

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Congratulations from RI District 3141 Officials

Dear Suyog,

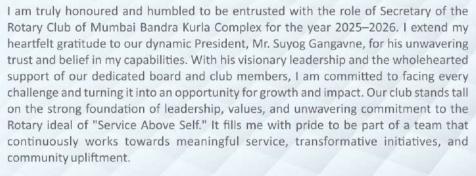


Heartiest congratulations on your new leadership role as the Inspired club president of Rotary club of Mumbai, BKC! Your enthusiasm, eagerness to learn and dedication was apparent at the director orientation program. With your clarity and plans in place, I'm sure you will take the club to greater heights, especially through participation in the Dist thrust areas and Rotary service week Under the able leadership of DG Dr Manish Motwani, the experience of club past presidents and your board of directors, I am super confident that you will steer the club to a strong voice of Dist 3141 team work always makes the dream work! Congratulation on the first issue of the club bulletin! All the very best,

Warm regards,
Dr Indumati Gopinathan
Governor's principal Aide
Group Avenue Head,
Rotary service week
Counsellor, Women empowerment 2025-26

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From the desk of Inspire Club Secretary 2025-26



This year, guided by the inspiring Rotary theme — "Inspire and Unite for Good" — we are called to become catalysts of change. It reminds us that every act of service, no matter how small, can spark hope and transformation. When we inspire others, we multiply the spirit of service; when we unite, we amplify our impact. Let us come together with shared purpose, compassion, and commitment to create a ripple of goodness that touches every life we aim to uplift.

As Secretary, I am dedicated to strengthening communication, enhancing coordination, and promoting visibility for our work. Let us not only do extraordinary things but also talk about Rotary, share our impact stories, and establish our club as a symbol of trusted service in society. I am excited to embark on this meaningful journey alongside President Mr. Suyog Gangavne and a team of passionate Rotarians who lead with heart and vision. With unity in purpose and strength in service, I am confident that together we will turn ideas into action and challenges into opportunities. Let this Rotary year be a testament to what we can achieve when we truly inspire and unite for good. Yours in Rotary Service,

Rtn. Er. Mohit Vaidya Secretary 2025–2026 Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex RID 3141



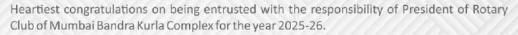
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Having watched your journey over the years from a young Rotaractor, to driven Rotarian to now taking on this leadership role fills me with immense pride and happiness. Your passion, sincerity, and dedication towards service have always been evident, and I'm confident that under your leadership, our club will scale even greater heights.

You've always struck me as a good executive of work, persuasive, focussed, and clear in your objectives. These are rare and valuable qualities that will surely reflect in the way you lead the club this year. May this year bring meaningful projects, strong fellowship, and inspiring moments that truly reflect the spirit of Rotary. You have my full support and blessings as you begin this wonderful chapter. Wishing you and your team a remarkable year ahead.

Rtn. Prakash Rane, Member- Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex Managing Director - ABM Knowledgeware Ltd.



It was a very auspicious and satisfying start made this July for RCMBKC. I am very appreciative of Rtn President Suyog . We look forward to a very dynamic and happening year for RCMBKC under President Suyog. Already he has finished some very relevant and good projects . He has the ability to motivate us-and bring about a harmonious change in our Club.

I wish him and his BOD a very active and productive year.
I will do all I can to help RCMBKC achieve many goals this year.





Dear Rtn. Suyog,

Congratulations on taking over as President of our Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex for the year 2025-26!Your journey in Rotary is a shining example of selfless service and genuine leadership. Whether it's through community projects, mentoring fellow Rotarians, or simply lending a helping hand whenever needed, your efforts have always been impactful and inspiring.

I deeply appreciate the enthusiasm and dedication you bring to every initiative, especially in the fields of education, environment, solar energy, youth development, women empowerment, community upliftment, and healthcare. Your ability to motivate the team and create a strong sense of shared purpose has elevated our club's work to new heights.

Working alongside you has been an enriching experience. Your positive energy, collaborative spirit, and ability to lead by example have motivated us to aim higher and create a lasting impact in the community. Having you as the President of our club is truly a blessing. Your passion, integrity, and unwavering commitment to the ideals of Rotary — Service Above Self — continue to inspire us all.

We are fortunate to have you as a true leader, and I look forward to achieving many more milestones together under your guidance. Wishing you continued success and heartfelt gratitude for everything you do for the club and society.—Yours in Rotary,

Rtn. Manisha Ghevade Board of Director 2025-26, Rotary Club of Mumbai Babdra Kurla Complex













Jeevandhara....A Bood Donation Camp (July 1, 2025)



A single drop of blood can be life-saving, while a bottle can save many lives. On July 1, 2025, marking the launch of the Inspire Rotary Year 2025-26, a significant initiative kicked off with a Blood Donation Drive. This event was organized by RI District 3141 and co-hosted by the RC Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex, along with 28 other Rotary Clubs at Andherit Station in Mumbai. The drive witnessed enthusiastic engagement from donors, leading to the successful collection of over 100 bottles of blood.

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ANANDOTSAV – A Heartwarming Celebration of Melodies & Memories! (July 1, 2025)



Rotary District 3141 proudly hosted "Woh Lamhe, Wo Yaadein – Reliving Melodies," a heartwarming musical evening for senior citizens at Bal Gandharva Rang Mandir in Bandra West. The Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex played a vital role as Co-Host, helping to create an atmosphere rich in nostalgia, harmony, and cherished moments. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from 24 attendees, including 18 lively members from our Senior Citizens Club.

Fireside Meeting @ Khar, Social (July 1, 2025)



A wonderful evening filled with warmth, connections, and new beginnings! We united to embrace new members into the Rotary Club family and foster meaningful collaboration with our current team.









Hope on Wheels - Distribution of Wheelchairs (July, 2025)



Thanks to the efforts of the Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex, we have successfully donated 8 wheelchairs to those in need. Each chair plays a vital role in restoring mobility, dignity, and hope to its user.

By conducting thorough screening and documentation, we ensured that every wheelchair was given to the right recipient. These chairs were generously provided by Youth For Seva Trust as part of their program. A heartfelt thank you to everyone who contributed to this initiative. Let's keep making a meaningful impact—together we serve!

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Ready 360....Disaster Response Training (July 11, 2025)



NDRF is committed to preparing the nation's youth for disaster response through a series of comprehensive workshops held across various colleges and schools. In partnership with the Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex and the Department of Defence Studies, along with the Rotaract Club of Sathaye College in Vile Parle, we are set to conduct 15 workshops aimed at engaging over 1,500 students from schools and colleges.

In just two hours, Team NDRF efficiently conducted training sessions on a range of critical life-saving skills, including Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), fire and flood rescue techniques, earthquake rescue, blood-stopping exercises, stretcher making, and life jacket preparation.











Ready 360....Disaster Response Training @ Anuyog School (July 1, 2025)



Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex has organised Disaster Response Training Program in association with NDRF at Anuyog School, Khar East, Mumbai on 1st July 2025.

Ready 360....Disaster Response Training @ Rizavi School (July 18, 2025)



Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex has organised Disaster Response Training Program in association with NDRF at Rizavi Spring Field High School on 18th July 2025.

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Bridging the Gap - Solar Advocacy & Solar Lantern Making @ Somvar Mandal (July 21, 2025)



In an inspiring blend of sustainability and community empowerment, Rotary Club of Mumbai BKC, under the leadership of President Rtn. Suyog Gangavane along with Club Secretary Rtn. Mohit Vaidya, conducted a Solar Advocacy and Solar Lantern Making Workshop with the Somvar Mandal Senior Citizens Club. The session was led by none other than Rtn. Dr. Sachin Shigwan , fondly known as The Solar Man of India, who illuminated minds on the importance of renewable energy, climate action, and how simple innovations can brighten rural lives.

Participants were engaged hands-on in creating solar lanterns, a powerful symbol of how clean energy can empower the underserved. This initiative not only promoted green awareness among seniors but also positioned Rotary as a catalyst for sustainable change.











First Club Assembly - A Strategic & Celebratory Milestone (July 16, 2025)



The first Club Assembly of Rotary Club of Mumbai Bandra Kurla Complex for the Inspire Year 2025–26 was held with great enthusiasm and structure, in the gracious presence of Assistant Governor Rtn. Vidhi Gupta. This landmark event, led by Inspire President Rtn. Suyog Gangavane, was a true reflection of planning, purpose, and people-first leadership.

The assembly saw the presentation and discussion of the Club Bye-laws, Trust framework, and budget for the year, all of which were unanimously appreciated and approved. The evening also witnessed the launch of the new club logo, symbolizing a fresh, dynamic identity. Adding to the excitement, six prospective members joined hands with us, expanding our Rotary family. Good participation of Club members in success of the first Club Assembly is not just a procedural milestone, but a celebration of unity, growth, and shared vision.

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First Board of Directors (BOD) Meeting – Laying the Foundation (July 16, 2025)



The first BOD meeting under President Rtn. Suyog Gangavane set the tone for a high-performing year. With clarity of vision and collaborative spirit, several key decisions were made, including the approval of the Club and Trust budgets, forming the operational backbone of the Inspire Year. Deliberations also included project prioritization, member engagement strategies, and fundraising frameworks.

President Suyog led the meeting with decisive poise, ensuring that every voice was heard, yet every action was purpose-driven. His leadership established a foundation of trust and momentum aligning the Board to deliver impact, innovation, and integrity throughout the year.

AWARDS & RECOGNITION OF

MR. SUYOG GANGAVANE













