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#### Installation on 19th July 2025



Rc Kolkata Lakes celebrated Raksha Bandhan at Lake Mall on 7<sup>th</sup> of July 2025 focussing on Thalassaemia awareness and prevention





#### From President's desk

#### Dear Rotarians,

It is with deep gratitude and humility that I accept the responsibility of serving as President of Rotary Club of Kolkata Lakes for the year 2025–26. I thank you all for the trust and confidence you have placed in me. Together, we will focus our collective energy on areas that truly touch lives:

- Health extending healthcare access and preventive initiatives to those who need it most.
- Child Education enabling young minds with opportunities to learn, grow and dream.
- Women Empowerment creating avenues for dignity, livelihood, and independence.
- Environment & Sustainability working for a cleaner, greener tomorrow.
- Public Image strengthening Rotary's identity as a force for good in our community.

We will also strive for membership growth, bringing in like-minded leaders and young professionals, and connect with top corporates for CSR partnerships to drive impactful large-scale projects.

Equally important is building cohesiveness among our members – where friendship, fellowship, and service walk hand in hand. I firmly believe that when we stand united, there is no limit to what we can achieve.

Together, we can.



	KOLKATA LAKES IN ACTION
Date	ACTIVTIY
26.07.2025	Tree Plantation 100 Nos at Kakura Masat Gram , Diamond Harbour with Kakura Masat Social Welfare Society
09.08.2025	Raksha Bandhan at Lake Mall focussing on Thalassemia awareness
22.08.2025	50 Nos mosquitio net distribution through NGO partner SEVA in flood affected areas at Makaltala , Habra
24.08.2024	Monsoon Picnic at Banabithi Resort , S 24 Parganas
07.09.2025	Blood donation camp at Haltu Sahyanno Sangha
12.09.2025	Cervical cancer vaccination given to girls from Bagnan through RCC Howrah Vivekananda Siksha Kendra, Dhumda
20.09.2025	Sanitary pad distribution at RCC Howrah Vivekananda Siksha Kendra, Dhumda , Thalassaemia awareness program and 50 mosquito net distribution
20.09.2025	Distribution of new clothes , educational materials and had lunch with kids from marginalised society at Manab Jamin Sishu Kendra , Paruldanga , Birbhum through NGO partner SEVA
25.09.2025	Grocery , saree distribution to women of old age home APONGHAR
25.09.2025	Puja Parikrama with special children and senior citizens jointly with RC Ballygunge

#### We extend warm birthday greetings to

- Rtn Ajay Sharma 29th July
- Rtn Priyambada Goswami 20th August
- Rtn Devansh Ladsaria 31st August

Your dedication to Rotary ideals and selfless service continues to inspire us all. May the year ahead bring you health, happiness, and continued success—both in service and in life.

### We wish Happy anniversary to

- Rtn Sudeshna Banerjee 20<sup>th</sup> July
- Rtn Kallol Halder and Rtn Dipti Halder 2<sup>nd</sup> August
- Rtn Arup Das 15th August





# Service Above Self - Touching Lives, Creating Change



RC Kolkata Lakes - Plantation Drive

RC Kolkata Lakes proudly planted 100 saplings as part of our commitment to environment and sustainability. Each tree is a step towards cleaner air, greener spaces, and a healthier tomorrow.



This initiative not only adds to the green cover but also reinforces our responsibility to nurture nature for future generations.

Together, we grow. Together, we sustain.



♦ Blood Donation Camp - RC Kolkata Lakes ♦

RC Kolkata Lakes, in association with Haltu Shayanno Sangha, organized a Blood Donation Camp to serve the community.

The camp was inaugurated by PDG Rtn. Prabir Chatterjee, whose inspiring presence motivated all. Adding to the spirit of service, his spouse Rtn. Rubena Chatterjee graciously donated blood.

Several members of our club, including Rtn. Partha Pratim Pal, also came forward to donate, reflecting true Rotary values of fellowship and service above self. Through such initiatives, we continue to spread the message: "Donate Blood, Save Lives."





## Service Above Self – Touching Lives, Creating Change



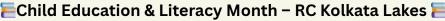
🌼 Health & Hygiene Initiative – RC Kolkata Lakes 🌼

RC Kolkata Lakes organised a special program at RCC Howrah Vivekananda Siksha Kendra, Dhumda, focusing on health, hygiene, and awareness.

- ☑ Sanitary pads were distributed among underprivileged girls to promote menstrual hygiene and dignity.
- ✓ Mosquito nets were provided to protect families from vectorborne diseases.
- ✓ A Thalassemia awareness session was conducted to educate and spread knowledge about prevention and care.

Through these initiatives, our club reaffirms its commitment to health, women's empowerment, and community well-being. Together, we care. Together, we serve.







RC Kolkata Lakes, in association with NGO partner SEVA, spent a joyful day with underprivileged children at Manab Jamin Siksha Kendra, Paruldanga (Birbhum).

As part of Child Education & Literacy Month, our club:

- Distributed educational materials to support learning
- ✓ Gifted new clothes ahead of the festive season
- Shared a hearty lunch with the children

The kids filled the day with happiness through dance, recitation, and drama performances, reminding us of the power of dreams, hope, and togetherness.

Education, joy, and service - together we can.



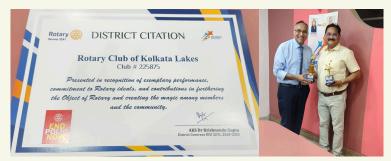


# Fellowship - Public image - Awards

Monsoon picnic at Banabithi Resort, 24 Parganas S



# 🟆 Awards & Accolades 🏆



RC Kolkata Lakes has been recognized for its impactful service and commitment to the community for 2024-25. These awards are a reflection of the dedication of our members and the spirit of Service Above Self.

### 🎉 Public Image Initiative – RC Kolkata Lakes 🎉

During Durga Puja – the largest festival of Bengal, RC Kolkata Lakes spread the message of Thalassemia Awareness by putting up banners at prominent puja pandals and locations, including 21 Pally, Santoshpur Lake Pally, Shyambazar Pally Sangha, Brindaban Matri Mondir, Selimpur pally, Singhi Park, Bank of India Bowbazar, Maddox Square, Pally mangal samity





