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**Enriched Living
by
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Trustee Chair's Message - June 21



“I have no fear of the future,” Winston Churchill once said. “Let us go forward into its mysteries, let us tear aside the veils which hide it from our eyes, and let us move onward with confidence and courage.”

Churchill used the phrase “let us go forward together” in some of his most famous speeches. He had no other choice but to look forward as he led his war-battered nation with courage.

Each generation inherits its own share of challenges; we are living through ours, never once stopping in the face of this challenge. In a year when people were unable to meet, families stayed secluded, and businesses struggled to flourish, we still managed to go forward together in many areas. Through Rotary Foundation grants, clubs and



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districts brought creative solutions to their pandemic-hit communities. Since March 2020, the Foundation has awarded over \$34 million in grants to initiatives related to COVID-19.

The demand for our global grants was high. They were so popular that we had to make adjustments to grant funding policy that will begin 1 July in a prudent effort to balance demand with resources, so that more districts can participate.

This year, The Rotary Foundation took bold steps forward, breaking new ground: The Foundation expanded its reach with recognition of the environment as an area of focus and awarded our first Programs of Scale grant to a Rotarian-led program that aims to greatly reduce malaria for severely affected communities in Zambia.

Even though our polio immunization activities paused for a few months in 2020 because of the pandemic, they began to resume in midyear. We also were finally able to celebrate a huge step forward in our journey together to a polio-free world: the World Health Organization (WHO) declaration that the African region is now free of wild poliovirus.

And the Otto and Fran Walter Foundation signed an agreement with us to fully fund the establishment of a Rotary Peace Center in the

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Middle East and North African region. This welcome development gives Rotary the opportunity to make a tangible contribution to an area where lasting peace has been so elusive.

Our accomplishments are a reminder that Rotary is a great force for good everywhere and that you are the reason we did not stop. At this writing, we've raised more than \$282 million, putting us on track to reach our \$410 million fundraising goal. The great work we have done this year, and the work we will do next year and in the years ahead, is all thanks to your support. On behalf of The Rotary Foundation Trustees, I thank you from the bottom of my heart for keeping the Foundation — one of our greatest gifts to the world — thriving.

K.R. Ravindran
Trustee Chair 2020-21

Source: Rotary International
Courtesy: eFlashOnline

Club Diary - 03.06.2021

Work Life Balance

By Amit Dadhich

President Rtn. Archibald called the meeting to order and an invocation was rendered by Rtn. Dr. Vasanth Pai following which the President welcomed the gathering by the President. Members celebrating their anniversaries and birthdays during the week were wished. Members were informed that the



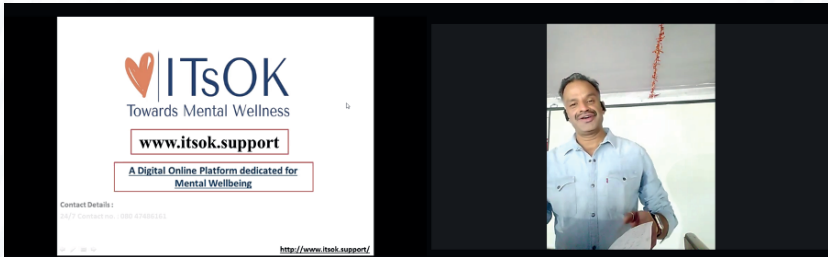
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election for the DGDN for the year 2023-24 is scheduled from 9th to 23rd of this month. The Board has suggested to present it to the members for direction. There are two candidates Rtn. Major Donor Keshav H.R. from Rotary Mysore Vrindavan and Rtn. PHF Javare Gowda from Rotary Mid Town Periyapatna. The profiles of both the candidates have been circulated to the members. Members were also informed that the last Board Meeting for this year was held on 1st June 2021 and Secretary Rtn. Vishal Mallya read out excerpt from the minutes of the meeting.

The chief guest of the evening was Mr. Amith Dhadhich. He was introduced by Rtn. Dr. Arjun Nayak. He spoke on Work Life Balance. With a very informative slide show he explained the importance of Work Life Balance. He also said that competition, individual career ambitions, longer working hours & international businesses are some of the main causes for imbalance. He gave us tips on how to balance work life by prioritizing our work , by learning to say no, by keeping ourselves organised, using technology etc. He also spoke on the benefits of having a balanced work life for an individual as well as for an organisation. Vote of thanks was rendered by Rtn. Dijaraj Nair and meeting was adjourned.

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2021 RI Convention - Convene before the convention



Holger Knaack, 2020-21 RI president, addressed the 2020 Rotary Virtual Convention via video. Learn more about the virtual convention and preconvention at convention.rotary.org.

Experienced Rotary International Convention attendees know that it's important to arrive early, because even before the convention gets underway, there's always plenty to do. Preconvention events offer a lot of great information, as well as opportunities to connect with other Rotary members. With the 2021 convention transformed into a virtual event, travel logistics are no longer a factor, and these preconvention gatherings are open to all. This is a great year to participate in



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everything that comes before the main event.

Rotaract Preconvention: This event offers the chance to increase your understanding of Rotaract, to learn from and share tips and ideas with other participants, and virtually network with Rotaractors and Rotarians from around the world.

Rotary Youth Exchange Officers Preconvention: This virtual event will provide you an opportunity to network with Rotary members and volunteers involved in Rotary Youth Exchange. You'll also gain vital knowledge that will help you improve your local program or get one started.

Intercountry Committees Preconvention: This event, called Opening Opportunities for Peace, will feature inspirational speakers, practical breakout sessions, and networking opportunities to help you start or expand an intercountry committee relationship in order to foster goodwill and peace around the world.

The 2021 convention will be held 12-16 June; all preconvention events will take place 10-11 June.

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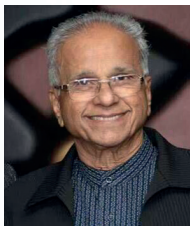
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Birthday Greetings



Rtn. M.R. Prabhu
4th June



Rtn. Dr. R.L. Kamath
5th June

Anniversary Greetings

Rtn. Dr. Dattatray Prabhu & Ann Sonali Prabhu

2nd June

Rtn. Rajendra Rao Kalbavi & Ann Vani Kalbavi

6th June

Rtn. CA Satindra N. Rao & Ann Anuradha

10th June

Club Pulse

03.06.2021

Club Strength	96
Present	50
Absent	46
Percentage	52%
% After Make-up	
27.05.2021	51%
20.05.2021	47%

Weekly Meeting

Thursday

At 7.00 PM

Online Meeting
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17.06.2021

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