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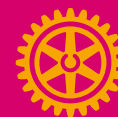
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HIGHLIGHTS

**MEGA BLOOD DONATION CAMP WAS A SUPER SUCCESS...
APPROXIMATELY 103 BOTTLES COLLECTED... BRILLIANT SCORE..
CONGRATULATIONS AND KUDOS TO JIGNESHBHAI KAMDAR,
AKASHBHAI PAREKH, DHAVALBHAI SHETH.. KEEP IT UP**



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MEETING DETAILS

DATE : 2nd August 2025
DAY : Saturday
TIME : 8.30pm
MENU : Dinner
VENUE : D.P.M.C
WELCOME : Rotarians, Anns and Annets
PROGRAMME : MUCH AWAITED DANCE EXTRAVAGANZA

Lot of efforts have been put in by Choreographers Riva Kamdar, Trusha Vora, Sheetal Aghera, Harshvi Nagrecha Priyanka Shah. Trusha Vora, Nidhi Kadvani and Reena Ganatra have played a pivotal role in managing the event along with the dynamic first lady, Avni Kamdar... who is indeed ardhangini to President Jigneshbhai Kamdar.. The entire Kamdar family is actively involved in making the grand evening, a memorable one, and since friendship day is round the corner, the theme of the event is FRIENDSHIP.. what are you waiting for? come one, come all



BIRTHDAY WISHES - Many many happy returns of the day!!



Amit Desai
01st August
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Club News

1) Rotary Club of Rajkot Midtown together with Civil Hospital Blood Bank organised Blood Donation Camp & collected 103 bags of blood which will be given to Civil Hospital. Special thanks to Dr. Gauravi Dhruva, Dr. Nirav Mody, Dr. Ashwinbhai Joshi for organising the camp & special thanks to Rtn. Dhaval Sheth, Rtn. Naimee Khakkar for bringing maximum donors & last & but not the least, all the Midtowners who actively participated in donation... keep it up Jigneshbhai Kamdar and Team... hats off

Many thanks to Rotaractors of T. N. Rao College for the huge support (Thanks to Rotarian Tirthraj Barot)

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2) Good News

Heartiest Congratulations to Rotary Club of Rajkot Midtown! We are proud to recognize your incredible achievement as a 100% Giving Club for the Rotary Year 2025-26 – Amardeep Singh Bunet District Governor – Prashant Jani District Rotary Foundation Chair



3) DG Amardeep Ji has entrusted the responsibility of higher education support to Rtn. Vikram Sanghani. We are launching a scholarship project which will likely benefit about 100 students every year.

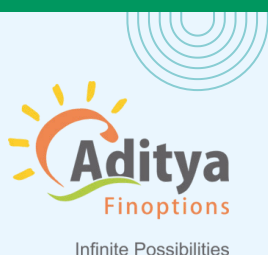
We will support the selected scholars for all 4 years of their undergraduate college education provided they demonstrate need and outstanding merit.

We have launched a website for obtaining applications from needy students. Students need to apply online on www.rotary3060scholarship.org



4) Joy of Giving

24th July, PP Dr. Banuben, President Jigneshbhai, Shailesh Bhai Desai and many Rotarians visited Vishwanidam organisation Elocution competition was held and snacks served



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5) Rtn Virendrabhai celebrated his birthday with slum children of Haripar village... a gesture worth emulating



6) Ann Asha Nathwani has been appointed as the first official 'Swachhata Champion' for #rajkotmunicipalcorporation. She would be now working frequently with RMC on their sustainability projects. Commendable

7) RML Updates.... Magazine Distribution Plan :

1. DPMC Rotary magazines and a few general magazines.
2. Swashray Women-related magazines like Gruhshobha, Sakhi, etc.
3. GT Sheth School / DWPS School / Arvindbhai Maniyar Trust Educational magazines Competitive exam preparation magazines
4. (Old Age Homes) Magazines on spirituality, Abhiyan, Chitralkha, etc.
5. IPSA Architecture-related magazines.
6. Tour & Tourism Institutes Magazines related to travel and culture.
7. Gyan Ka Pitara / Vishwnidam Gurukul Children's magazines (Gujarati titles like Champak) Good home work done by Hareshbhai Parmar, Ritaben Chauhan and Preetiben Bapodara

8) Under Vayvandana programme of Akashwani, Rtn Anuradhaben Bharatiya was invited as a speaker.. Congratulations

9) Shailesh Bhai and Varsha Goti, completed divine journey to Mount Kailash and successfully did parikrama also.. Kudos





ROTARY INTERNATIONAL NEWS

To address a maternal health crisis, Rotary members help midwives build leadership skills and professional networks
By Hannah Shaw

About 830 women and 7,000 newborns, mainly in low- and middle-income countries, die each day because of complications related to pregnancy and childbirth. These deaths are mostly preventable. Midwives are key to preventing them, so an initiative organized by Rotary members is supporting the essential work of midwives in Papua New Guinea and Australia.

According to the World Health Organization, increasing the number of midwives worldwide by just 10% could save up to 1.3 million lives each year. Rotary clubs are working to help meet that need, in part through leadership and advocacy training. Working with the Australian College of Midwives and the Papua New Guinea Midwifery Society, they launched the Papua New Guinea Midwifery Leadership Buddy Project. As of April 2025, the project has helped 52 midwives from Papua New Guinea and 31 from Australia develop their skills.



ON A LIGHTER NOTE

તુ દોડતી જાય છે અને મારાથી *ચલાતું પણ નથી,* *ધીમે ચાલ જિંદગી, મારાથી* *થાકી જવાય છે*

ઘણા બધા સ્વપ્નનો છે મારી *આંખોમાં,* *થોડાક તે બતાવેલા અને થોડાક* *મેં સંઘરેલાં,*

કેટલાક સંબંધો છે મારી સાથે *જોડાયેલા,* *ઘણા ઈશ્વરે આપેલા ને થોડા* *મેં બનાવેલા*

જોજે જરા એ બધા મારાથી છૂટી *ન જાય, ધીમે ચાલ એ જિંદગી,* *મારાથી થાકી જવાય છે.* *કઈ કેટલીય લાગણીઓ છે*

આ હૃદયમાં, ઘણી બધી ગમતી *અને થોડીઘણી અણગમતી,* *કંઈક કેટલીય જવાબદારીઓ છે* *આ જીવનમાં*

થોડીક તે જબરદસ્તીથી સોંપેલી, *થોડીક મેં સ્વીકારેલી* *એ બધાનો ભાર ઉચકીને લાંબુ* *ચાલી શકું એ માટે,*

ધીમે ચાલ જિંદગી, મારાથી *થાકી જવાય છે.* *ઘણાબધા નું હૃદયમાં સ્થાન* *બનાવવું છે,*

અને ઘણાબધાનું હૃદયમાં *સ્થાન ટકાવવું છે,* *જવાબદારીઓ સાથે પોતાના* *સ્વપ્નનો પણ પુરા કરી શકું એ માટે*

તું ધીમે ચાલ જિંદગી, મારાથી *થાકી જવાય છે.*

કોઈને કડવાશથી યાદ કરું એવા *વ્યવહાર મેં ટાળ્યા છે,*

લોકોના હૃદયમાં હંમેશા રહું એવા *પ્રયત્નો મેં કર્યા છે,*

ભૂલથી પણ કોઈના હૃદયને ઠેસ *ન પહોંચે એવી પ્રભુ પાસે પ્રાર્થના*

કરી છે *એવી મારી પ્રાર્થનાને ફળીભૂત*

થતાં જોવી છે *તો ધીમે ચાલ એ જિંદગી મારાથી*

થાકી જવાય છે. *રેતની જેમ સમય મુઠ્ઠી માંથી*

સરકે છે, *આજે સાથે ચાલીએ છીએ*

કાલ ની કોને ખબર છે? *ખુબ પ્રેમ કરું છું તને ઓ*

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