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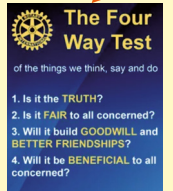
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**THE FESTIVE SEASON IS HERE!! WISHING ALL OUR MIDTOWNERS
HAPPY TIMES AHEAD!! LET THE SPIRITS FLY AND THE FRENZY SET IN!**



MEETING DETAILS

DATE : 25th October, 2024
DAY : Friday
VENUE : D.P.M.C. Lalitalay
TIME : 8.30 pm.

WELCOME : Rotarians, Spouses, Interested Annets.

PROGRAM : Beware Midtowners!! A lot of brainstorming is in store on this Friday... The dilemmas, the struggle, the tight rope walk between what should be done and what is being done, the Catch 22 situations.. Well we bring all this and more.. Fasten your seat belts and embark on this journey of quandary with our "Intellectual Igniters"!!!

Debate : 4 interesting topics - Midtowners/ Anns will fight tooth and nail on the following burning issues—

(A) Gujarati language should be allowed to die - Dr. Jatinbhai Mody versus Dr. Banuben Dhakan

(B) Should India and Pakistan play sports and have cultural exchanges with one another — Prashantbhai Kakkad versus Kartikbhai Dadiya

(C) Should Diwali celebrations be traditional and ritualistic or is the new wave catching on— a tête-à-tête between Dr. Bijalben Thakkar and Dr. Miloniben Lakhani

(D) Mercy killing must be allowed in India— Dr. Devangiben Vaishnav versus Dr. Sankalpbhai Vanzara and Dr. Ketan Thakkar



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CLUB NEWS

There was no meeting last week.

We heartily welcome Mr. Rajanbhai Popat back to our RCRM family.



D.P.M.C LALITALAY

On 18th October 2024, D.P.M.C held an Endocrinology camp for all issues like Hormone imbalances, Diabetes, and others. The specialized team of doctors catered to this camp and also to the investigations at very nominal charges.

Fibroscan Test Camp was scheduled at D.P.M.C on the 21st October 2024, Monday between 2:30pm to 6:30pm. The test which indicates the functioning of the liver, was done free of cost for all the beneficiaries.



RCRM AND RAJKOT CYCLE CLUB

On 16th October 2024, both organisations collaborated and held a Cycle ride in the fond memory of Late Shri Ratanbhai Tata. Participants participated with great spirit and paid homage to the this stalwart and epitome of revolution. This event had been covered by the leading newspapers of our city.



MANJUL PLAYHOUSE

Manjul Playhouse was felicitated for it's contribution to the society through education of young kids on 19th October 2024. Manjul was felicitated by the Smt Santokben Lalabhai Kadwani Charitable Trust, Rajkot.



ASSISTANT GOVERNOR MEET 2025-26

On 19th October 2024, the meet was attended by Jigneshbhai Amrutiya in Amritsar. He spoke on Club Permanent Projects- the dreams, implementation, success and satisfaction. Best wishes and congratulations Jigneshbhai!!



SETU NAVRATRI CELEBRATION

SETU organised the Navratri celebration for the mentally challenged individuals. The atmosphere was great and the smiles were priceless. Kudos to Vikrambhai Sanghani for the support provided to Setu.



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ACHIEVERS AND ACCOLADES

Our Member , Rtn Prashant Kakkad, who is a Vice President at NJ Wealth (one of the largest Mutual Fund distributors in India), recently opened a new office in Ludhiana, which is the 192nd office that NJ has added.

Currently Prashantbhai manages 60000crs for his clients.



CONDOLENCES

Deepest condolences to Goda family on the demise of Lilamben Nagindas Goda. She led a beautiful life and bid adieu to the the world with Santharo. The Goda family has volunteered for the eye donation of Lilamben Nagindas Goda, thus setting a great example to the society.



FOOD FOR THOUGHT

SAMUDRA MANTHAN

Amongst the various stories of Indian mythology, the fascinating tale of Samudra Manthan discusses the churning of the divine ocean to obtain the Amrut- Elixir of eternal life. This remarkable incident has been narrated in the Vedas, Puranas, the Mahabharata and the Bhagvad Gita.

Once King Indra was cursed by Sage Durvasa which made the Devas lose all their powers and thus were defeated by the King of demons, Bali. Seeking refuge in Lord Vishnu, they realised that "Samudra Manthan" was the ultimate solution. This "Samudra Manthan" would provide them with "Amrut" the Elixir which would not only make them powerful but also immortal. Samudra Manthan was a herculean task, so Devas and Asuras decided to work in collaboration.

Samudra Manthan was the churning of the milky ocean. Ksheera Sagara was the milk, Mount 'Mandar' was the churning rod and Vasuki, the powerful snake was the rope. Lord Vishnu transformed into a large turtle-'Kurma' and stabilised the Mount Mandar. The Devas and Asuras churned the ocean for a millenium and then the heavenly treasures emerged. They were: Halahal- The lethal poison was consumed by Lord Shiva. Due to this his throat turned blue and thus he is also known as 'Neelkantha'. Chandrama- The moon was placed on the forehead of Shiva. Kamadhenu cow- The fulfiller of all desires was given to Sage Vashishtha.

A seven headed white horse was given to King Bali. Varuni or wine was also given to demons.

Airavata, Parijat tree, Kalpavriksh and celestial beauties were taken by King Indra. Kaustubha Mani, Panchajanya Shankh and gada were taken by Lord Vishnu. Mahalaxmiji appeared on a lotus seat from the sea and she chose Lord Vishnu. And finally "Amrut" - Both Devas and Asuras wanted to own it but Lord Vishnu disguised himself as Mohini and gave all the Amrut to the Devas.

This remarkable event teaches us that just as the Asuras and Devas struggled for the 'Amrut'- every living being has an ongoing inner fight between the good and the evil. It is upon the individual which path he chooses that decides the course of his journey...

By Preet A Lakhani
(8 yrs, Daughter of Rtn. Aditya A Lakhani)



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