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MONTHLY CLUB NEWS BULLETIN



## ROTARY CLUB OF DELHI CENTRAL

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RI President 2024 - 25

Rtn. Dr. Mahesh Trikha  
District Governor 2024 - 25

Rtn Padmini Parameswaran  
Club President 2024 - 25

Rtn Pradeep Batra  
Club Secretary 2024 - 25

### 100 DAYS OF RCDC'S 50TH YEAR



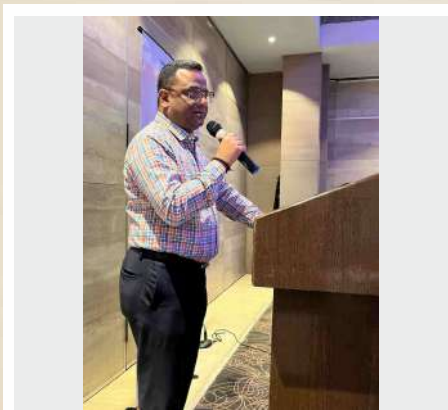
Andrew Carnegie, founder of Carnegie Steel Company.  
"Coming together is a beginning. Keeping together is progress.  
Working together is success."



## SPEAKER MEETING - 7 SEPT

In our endeavour to celebrate Teachers' Day and to pay our respects to the most noble profession of them all, we organised a panel discussion at which we invited Chancellor and Co-Founder of Shobit University Kunwar Shekhar Vijendra, Chancellor of AAFT University and Founder of NOIDA Film City Dr Sandeep Marwah, our own very accomplished Member Rtn V.M. Bansal Chairman New Delhi Institute of Management and Advisor to Former Lieutenant Governor of Delhi, the outstanding achiever Rtn Dr Mona Khare Director UGC -Malviya Mission - Teacher Training Centre, NIEPA for a panel discussion on the 'Future of Higher Education And Vocationalisation', moderated by the erudite and articulate Rtn.Vivek

Madan CMD Oil & Gas (India) Pvt Ltd . It was a riveting conversation and each Panelist put their point across effectively and eloquently. The vote of thanks was rendered by AKS PDG Dr N. Subramanian who was the best person for the job because he matched the intellectual levels of the discussions even as he thanked each one of the Panelists. He was absolutely right when he said that we should have given the Speakers more time. Perhaps a whole day with all of them at some point. We also thank all our Members who introduced the Speakers, IPP Rtn Vineet Sood, Rtn Mukta Raghunath, Rtn. Dr. Sharan Choudhri and Rtn Amit Modi. They did a fantastic job in reading out a long list of accomplishments of our esteemed Speakers. Great job done by all our Members who were a part of this very interesting group. There were some great questions asked by our equally brilliant Members.







### BOARD MEETING - 14 SEPT

14 September : We had back-to-back meetings on this day. The marathon session started with a RDK Board Meeting, followed by a RCDC Board Meeting and eventually Club Meeting at which we unraveled the plans for the Fundraiser scheduled on 24 November. While it was a hectic day with three meetings scheduled one after the other, it was also interesting because Members came up with lot of ideas and suggestions that will definitely be incorporated in our future plans.





## PEM 1 - 8 SEPT

PEM 1 was organised at Orana Conventions by DGE Rtn Dr Ravi Gugnani. He introduced his incoming Team and the Presidents Elect. PE Rtn Dr. Neelam Sethi and Dr K.K.Sethi were introduced by the DGE. Yet another feather in our cap are the list of District appointments that have already been declared for RI Year 2025-26. It was a grand event and what was commendable was the meticulous planning with which It was executed at such a large scale.



## ICCR AND RI DISTRICT 3011 ORGANISED AN INTERNATIONAL CULTURAL EVENT ON WORLD PEACE DAY - 20 SEPT

ICCR and RI District 3011 organised an International Cultural Event on World Peace Day. The attraction of the evening was the Armenian Ensemble --- they were a professional group and their impeccable performance set the tone for a truly International cultural experience.





## DISTRICT PEACE SEMINAR - 21 SEPT

The District Peace Seminar was held on this day at the IHC. The Club Chair Peace and Conflict Resolution Rtn Shalina Subramaniam took the lead and many Members of the Club were at a very well organised event. The Speakers were brilliant and they reiterated the importance of Peace and happiness in a world that is currently going through a lot of turmoil.





## FOOD DISTRIBUTION FOR TB PATIENTS - 21 SEPT

RDK Chairman PP Rtn PE Rtn Viney Singal, RDK Secretary PP Rtn Vineet Bhagat, Rtn Amit Modi, PP Rtn Vinit Vidyarthi and PE Rtn Dr Neelam Sethi organised a nutritious food distribution for TB Patients on this day and distributed 45 food packets. This is an ongoing project and RCDC started with this very noble and necessary initiative in the year when PP Rtn Sanjay Aggarwal was the President. Dr Neelam Sethi, who is spearheading the project under the 'Nikshay Mitra' an initiative of the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India Shri Narendra Modi, has been instrumental in keeping it going and we are proud to announce that around 90 food packers are distributed every month.

## "MAHABHARATA" - 22 SEPT

Rtn Shashi Aggarwal was in action against!! The Club is really grateful to Rtn Shashi Aggarwal and Rtn Sanjay Aggarwal for organising tickets for a musical called 'Jaya' for the Members of the Club. It was a representation of the Mahabharata through the eyes of the Director Lilette Dubey and her perception of the script, the music that told us the story of an epic so beautifully and differently was worth every bit of the ovation and applause it received at the end.





## HEALTH CAMP - 29 SEP

This is another memorable day in our three months of Humanitarian Service. Rtn Surinder Miglani had requested us to hold a Health Camp at his building in the Okhla Industrial area. It was a very well organised event at which Rtn Surinder Miglani and Meenu Miglani had given us all their resources and their team to help us organise the mega event. The entire building was buzzing with activity on that day. We had placed posters all across the Okhla Industrial area and this enhanced our Public Image to a large extent. Rtn Surinder Miglani has also invited other Industrialists, Exporters and Businessmen in the area for the event and this added more value to the work we were doing. Around 253 persons underwent a Health Check Up and 92 for Thalassemia. We are also grateful to Hony Secretary Rtn Col Pradeep Batra for working closely with Rtn Miglani to ensure the success of the event. We also thank our team of Rotaracters from DPSRU led by Mohd Affan for working hard and assisting us at the event through the day.









## DANDIYA AND GARBA NIGHT - 30 SEPT

It was time for the Club Assembly of the First Quarter and to present the report card for the time that seems to have flown by. President Rtn Padmini Parameswaran and Hon. Secretary Rtn Col Pradeep Batra started the evening with a presentation that encapsulated the activities undertaken by the club over 3 months. PP and Club Treasurer Rtn Viney Singal presented the Budget and informed Members about expenses made so far. It's been busy times for RCDC and in the run-up to our bigger celebrations around the 50th year our endeavour is to ensure that every project and every event

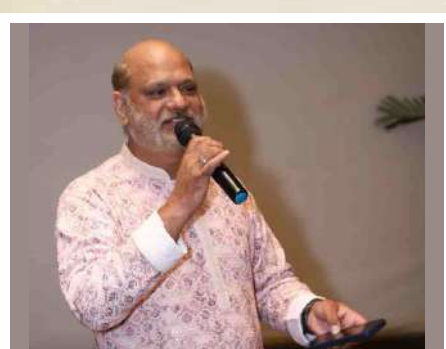
is commensurate with the the theme if the Golden Year. The garba/dandiya that followed was a colourful and fun event. We thank Sheetal Gupta who has sung very authentic dandiya and garba numbers and was kind enough to give us the links of the tracks sung by her. She flew in from Mumbai to be with us in the evening. We had also invited two professional dancers to take us through the dances. Our very talented Members started singing towards the end of the evening and we enjoyed every minute of an evening full of fun and fellowship.













### "NAVACHAAR" DISTRICT EVENT - 28 SEPT

"Navachaar", the Literacy, Basic Education and Adult Literacy Seminar was held on Saturday 28th September 2024 at PHD House, New Delhi. 16 Host Clubs were acknowledged for supporting and sponsoring this event. A Book on "Act of Kindness" was launched by DAV school, Sahibabad.



### CELEBRATIONS

#### NOVEMBER - BIRTHDAY

- 10-nov Rtn Mukta Raghunath
- 13-nov Rtn Sanjeev Singhal
- 14-nov Rtn Sushma Nayyar
- 14-nov Rtn Poonam Jain
- 16-nov Rtn Sanjeev Jain
- 17-nov Rtn Nishi Ahuja
- 22-nov Rtn Om Parkash Manchanda

#### NOVEMBER - ANNIVERSARY

- 13-nov Rtn Himanshu Agarwal & Aparna Aggarwal
- 16-nov Rtn Sanjay Aggarwal & Shashi Aggarwal
- 24-nov Rtn Neena Madan & Vivek Madan



**EDITOR**



Rtn Padmini  
Parameswaran

Rtn Dr Suneel  
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May the diyas light lead  
you onto the road of  
growth and prosperity



*Happy Diwali*