

# ***Rotary Club of Mumbai Nariman Point***

## ***Direct... Dil Se...*** ***(An update for You of Activities in RCMNP)***

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Hi Friends and Fellow RCMNPians,

Welcome to another edition of the Direct... Dil Se... Update for **October' 2024**.

Hope you are enjoying the Festive Moments the past month has left us with which is also spilling over the lovely month of November, bringing with it so many new reasons to smile, to rejoice, to make a difference in our Society and to the World!

We started the month gone by with a Beach Clean Up at Girgaon Chowpatty on 02.10.2024. The same was supported by Change Is Us. It was organized on behalf of the Income Tax Department with more than 200 Income Tax Officials attending the same.

This was followed by Blood Donation Camp at Wilson College, Chowpatty on 03.10.2024. We collected 92 units of blood in this camp.

On 07.10.2024 we had a blood donation camp at CSMT Station. We collected 65 units of blood in this camp.

I do believe that come October end, from July onwards, our Club would have the distinction of supporting one of the largest collection of Blood in these 4 months from all Clubs in the District. We deserve to pat our backs for the same.

On 09.10.2024 we had our Regular Meeting, the same mainly being centered around the Charity Fund Raiser updates and plans amongst some other updates regarding the Club activities and upcoming OCV.

On **16.10.2024 we had our all important OCV at RBYC**. It was a well attended event. The same has gone on well and our working, camaraderie and projects have been well appreciated by the District Officials including DG Rtn. Chetan Desai. We inducted 2 new members, Rtn. Ashwin Agarwal & Rtn. Alok Agrawal into the RCMNP Family.

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Sharing the feedback received by Presi Rtn. Aditya Nemani personally from the DG which is self explanatory:

***“Dear President Aditya and Team RCMNP,***

***I must commend you on a wonderfully conducted OCV! Your meticulous preparation, strong documentation, and seamless execution were highly impressive. The enthusiasm of your team, combined with your leadership, has truly made your club stand out. The interaction with your members and Board of Directors was insightful and inspiring. Kudos to the entire team for your remarkable efforts!”***

The same was followed by our **Diwali Celebrations on 19.10.2024 at Indiabulls Blu**. Despite the traffic situation, it was an evening of masti, cards and amazing food, with over 80 members and Anns in attendance. Thanks to the Director Admin and his Better Half, Suraj & Sonali Saraogi for making the evening so perfect and memorable.

Then on 26.10.2024, 5 jolly RCMNP fellows, Rtn. Dr. Abhishek Modi, Rtn. Ashwin Agarwal, Rtn. Hemal Gandhi, Rtn. Naresh Gupta & Rtn. Aditya Nemani visited **Nana Palkar Samiti Dialysis Center, Thane for the formal inauguration of the Dialysis Machine** donated there. It was heartwarming to listen to the team of Nana Palkar Samiti of their activities and of the impact that RCMNP has made to their initiatives over the years by regularly supporting them in some way or the other.

On same day, **26.10.2024, it was followed by visit to Kasturba Gandhi Hospital, Parel** to see the ongoing Meal Distribution project of RCMNP.

On the same evening, we had our **C2L Diwali Celebrations**, the kids performed a skit with some other solo and group performances. It was an enthralling evening, attended to by Rtn. Ajay Shah, Rtn. Vivek Khetan, Rtn. Shailesh Jalan alongwith Ann Jyoti Jalan, Rtn. Rajesh Rateria, Rtn. Manoj Laddha alongwith Ann Minaxi Laddha, Rtn. Mukul Agarwal, Rtn. Ashok Paranjpe, Rtn. Pradeep Sanganageria alongwith Ann Kalpana Sanganageria, Rtn. Vipul Shah alongwith Ann Arohi Shah, Rtann Bindu Jain (am very sorry if I have missed any one's name) and as they put it, you have to be there to experience it and otherwise it is an indescribable experience. Special mention for Smita Ma'am for holding fort and overseeing this entire

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Project seamlessly. Some of our large hearted RCMNPians also arranged for some Diwali take aways for the kids viz.

1. Ajay & Mona Shah – Sweets 🍬
2. Jagdish & Reshma Tanna –Diyas 🪔
3. Vivek & Meghana Khetan - Rs 500 per child 💰
4. Pradeep & Kalpana Sangarneria - Chocolates 🍫
5. Vipul & Arohi Shah - Digital Watch ⌚
6. Ravindra & Nupur Jhunjhunwalla - Rs 600 per child 💰
7. Rajesh & Bindu Jain - Stationery 📁

Regarding some future events that have been committed to:

We have given the go-ahead for hosting the **Millennial Summit at Y B Chavan Auditorium on Sunday, 17.11.2024**. This is on the lines of TedEx Show, where we will have 6-7 speakers from different / diverse backgrounds coming and addressing the crowd. This is mainly a Rotaract District Event which we Host alongwith support from our Rotaract Club of Mumbai Nariman Point. For those wanting to attend, kindly block your dates for 17.11.2024. The advance for booking of venue has also since been disbursed. DG Rtn. Chetan has consented to attend this event as Chief Guest.

Our veteran Member, Rtn. Vivek Khetan son, Mast Aarav V Khetan has taken up an initiative for raising upto Rs.10,00,000/- for conducting **pediatric heart surgeries at SRCC**, said sum to be matched by JSW Foundation and then through the PM/CM Scheme, getting surgeries done of worth upto Rs.40,00,000/-. The formal MOU for the same was signed with SRCC & JSW Foundation in October.

All the very best to Aarav Vivek Khetan and anyone wanting to support him may kindly connect with Vivek, Him or Me directly.

We have booked **Birla Matushri Sabahgruha for 11.01.2025, for our flagship event, Umang, Senior Citizen Talent Show**. It is from 3pm-6pm. Kindly block your dates for the same. The advance for booking of venue has also since been disbursed. DG Rtn. Chetan has consented to attend this event as Chief Guest.

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Happy to update that the preparations for the **Charity Fund Raiser, Shaan Se... for which we have blocked Star Singer, Shaan for performing and entertaining us, all for a charitable cause, at NCPA on 30.11.2024, Saturday** is ongoing as per schedule and well. However, time has come now where we appeal to all our RCMNP Family to also come together to promote it, participate in it and to most vitally get us any and every lead, from amongst your family / friends / associates / clients, etc as also your self, for selling the donor passes. Proceeds from the Charity Fund raiser go to Charity and donors are eligible for Income Tax deduction u/s.80G of the Act, please note. Please do feel free to reach out to Rtn. Devang Kanakia for the passes or any one else from the Fund Raiser Core Team (Rtn. Rajiv Agarwal / Rtn. Rajesh Choudhary / Rtn. Shailesh Jalan).

Friends, seeking your complete and full support for this event. RCMNP was always known for its Annual Fund Raiser. Let this occasion and event be a talking one for our Club as also generating over expected surplus for us to execute many more Charitable Projects. All this is going to be possible only if we all come together to ensure its execution and success.

We have our **regular meetings on 06.11.2024, 13.11.2024 & 27.11.2024** - Agenda for the same will shortly follow. Kindly block your dates for the same.

Friends, we thank you'll for your continued support and enthusiasm shown so far and seek the same spirit and support for the way forward.

We also take this opportunity to just mention that many of us may have access to valuable CSR Funds to be expended from your Company / other known Corporates.

We would be happy to offer timely execution of Project towards said CSR, amount as also avenue of execution / spending of your choice - Education, Healthcare, Nutrition, Environment, etc. Anything different or specific can also be worked out. Please do make sure you connect with us, value / size of the project is irrespective.

Request you to kindly consider the CSR application through our own RCMNP.

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Any of us BoD Members as also the Veteran Members are Happy to get on a call with any of you'll to take this further for overall benefit of the Society.

Any other idea for better running of affairs of the Club, please do reach out to us.

***Warm Regards,***  
***Yours-In-Rotary,***  
***Vibrant RCMNP Team***

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