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Monthly Newsletter

# Rotary's Coastal Chronicles



## THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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# Bench Donation to School

**R**otary Club of Umbergaon undertook an impactful community service project by donating 20 benches to Nargol School. This initiative was aimed at improving the learning environment for students by providing them with comfortable seating arrangements.

The benches will ensure that the students have a better classroom experience, encouraging them to focus

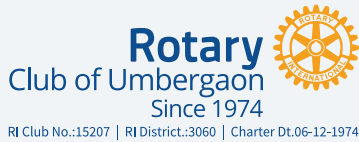
on their studies and maintain discipline in class.

It created a positive and supportive learning atmosphere and reinforced Rotary's commitment to Education and Community Development.

The project was successfully carried out by the members of Rotary Club of Umbergaon with active support and coordination from the school authorities.







# Scholarship Support to Girl Student

**T**he members of Rotary Club of Umbergaon came together with a noble objective of supporting higher education. Contributions were collected from club members to provide a scholarship to a deserving girl student pursuing her studies at Shree Swaminarayan Pharma College of Pharmacy.

A total sum of ₹42,500 was raised and handed over to the student to assist her in continuing her 3rd year of Pharmacy studies. This initiative aims to promote education, empower young women, and motivate students to pursue their academic goals without financial barriers.

Encouragement was provided for her to continue education with confidence. The project reflected Rotary's commitment towards Education and Women Empowerment. Our collective efforts n generous donations will help a girl to complete her bachelors in Pharmacy. We wish her a great success in academic life.





# Wheelchair Donation

Service to humanity is the best work of life.

The Rotary Club of Umbergaon successfully carried out a Wheelchair Donation Project on 14th August, 2025.

Under this initiative, 9 wheelchairs were donated to the Medical Officers of 9 PHC and CHC Centers of Umbergaon. This project aims to strengthen healthcare facilities in rural and semi-urban areas by providing mobility support for patients in need.

The project was conducted under the guidance and supervision of the Taluka Health Officer, ensuring that the wheelchairs reached the right hands for maximum community benefit.

This initiative reflects Rotary's ongoing commitment to service above self and to creating an inclusive and healthier society.





# Aarogya Dhan Sampada

**H**ealth is the greatest wealth; awareness is the key to preserving it.

On 25th August 2025, the Rotary Club of Umbergaon organized a large-scale health awareness initiative titled “Aarogya Dhan Sampada” at Kanyashala, Umbergaon. Through a series of interactive sessions conducted by expert Rotarians and Rotary Anns, students gained valuable insights into preventive healthcare and wellness practices.

By educating young minds, the Rotary Club aimed to nurture a healthier and more informed generation.

The project included the following sessions led by distinguished Rotarians and Rotary Anns.

**Menstrual Health Awareness:** Rtn. Ann Kirti Jethwa

**Eye Care:** Rtn. Aashna Patel

**Dental Care:** Rtn. Ann Dr. Nidhi Mehta

**Hand Hygiene:** Rtn. A nn Shraddha

**Purohit & Rtn. Ann Dimple Patel**

**Mental Health Awareness:** Rtn. Ann

**Kinjal Jadav & Rtn. Priyanka Sheth**

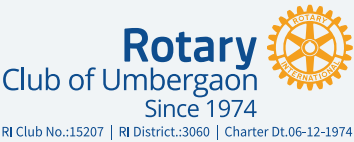
A total of 500 students participated in and benefited from the sessions. The interactive approach ensured active involvement of students, who not only learned but also pledged to adopt healthy practices in their daily lives.

The project was chaired by Rtn. Ann Kinjal Jadav, who coordinated and guided the event to ensure its success. Each session leader brought their expertise and experience, making the program both informative and impactful.

The project was a true reflection of Rotary’s vision of community service and holistic development. By addressing various dimensions of health, the Rotary Club of Umbergaon once again demonstrated its commitment to “Service Above Self.”











# Notebook Distribution

**T**he gift of knowledge lasts a lifetime and lights the path to a brighter future.

The Rotary Club of Umbergaon successfully organized a Book Distribution Project at Vanganpada Government School on 6th August 2025. As part of Rotary's commitment to promoting education and supporting young learners, the club distributed Rotary notebooks to 225 students from Class 1 to Class 8.

The aim of this project was to encourage education, reduce the burden of educational expenses on underprivileged families, and provide students with the basic resources required for effective learning.

The project was chaired by Rtn. Vikas Nawandhar, whose efforts and

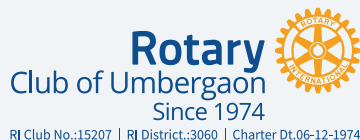
dedication ensured the smooth execution of the activity. Club members actively participated in organizing and personally distributing the notebooks to the children, creating an atmosphere of encouragement and joy.

The smiles on the faces of the young students reflected the success of the initiative. With these notebooks, the students will be better equipped to pursue their studies, enhancing both their confidence and academic progress.

The Book Distribution Project is a step forward in Rotary's mission of "Service Above Self". By providing educational support, the Rotary Club of Umbergaon continues to make a meaningful difference in the lives of children and the community at large.







# Independence Day

**T** rue independence and freedom can only exist in doing what's right.

On the occasion of the 79th Independence Day of India, Rotary Club of Umbergaon organized a celebration at Bhindiyapada Primary School on 15th August, 2025.

The program began with the Flag Hoisting Ceremony, conducted with great patriotic spirit in the presence of students, teachers, and Rotarians. Following the ceremony, the club felicitated the students from Balwadi to Class 4, acknowledging their enthusiasm and participation.

To mark the celebration, snacks were distributed to all the students, bringing smiles and joy to the young children. It promoted patriotism and national pride among students. It encouraged young learners through recognition and felicitation.

The Independence Day celebration at Bhindiyapada Primary School was a memorable initiative by Rotary Club of Umbergaon. The event not only honored the significance of Independence Day but also strengthened the bond between the community and young students.







## Installation of Dolphin Shaped Dustbin

**S**mall steps towards cleanliness today will ensure a healthier tomorrow.

On the occasion of Independence Day, Rotary Club of Umbergaon carried out a community service project at Umbergaon Beach. To promote cleanliness and spread awareness about waste management among visitors, the Club installed a Dolphin Shaped Dustbin.

The dustbin, worth ₹13,000, was generously donated by Rtn. Mehul Sheth.

This thoughtful initiative will not only enhance the beauty of the beach but also encourage people, especially children, to dispose of waste responsibly in a fun and engaging manner.

The installation reflects Rotary's commitment towards environmental sustainability, cleanliness, and public welfare. Through this project, the Club aims to instill the importance of keeping public places clean.







## Cleanliness Drive & Felicitation of Sweepers

Those who keep our surroundings clean deserve the highest respect.

On the auspicious occasion of Independence Day, the Rotary Club of Umbergaon, along with the enthusiastic participation of the Rotaract Club and Interact Club, organized a Cleanliness Drive at Umbergaon Beach.

The objective of the project was to promote cleanliness, hygiene, and environmental responsibility in public places, while also recognizing the invaluable contribution of the sweepers

who work tirelessly to keep the surroundings clean.

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# Ray of Hope

A small act of kindness can create a ray of hope in someone's life.

On 12th August 2025, the Rotary Club of Umbergaon carried out a humanitarian initiative titled "Ray of Hope." The project focused on supporting the nutritional needs of severely malnourished children in rural communities. To address this concern, the club distributed 20 food kits to children identified as severely malnourished at Dehari Anganwadi and Ahirwas Anganwadi.

The project aimed to provide essential nutritional support to undernourished children and spread awareness about healthy eating practices, thereby giving

them a chance at better growth, improved health, and a brighter future.

The members of Rotary Club of Umbergaon actively involved in identifying the beneficiaries, preparing the kits, and personally distributing them. Their collective efforts ensured that the children and their families felt cared for and supported.

The distribution of nutritious food kits not only provided immediate relief but also gave a sense of encouragement and hope to the families. The initiative strengthened Rotary's ongoing commitment to community health and child welfare, ensuring that no child is left behind due to lack of nutrition.



# HUMF

**H**ealthy mothers nurture healthy generations.

The Rotary Club of Umbergaon organized a meaningful project under the title HUMF at Solsumba Primary Health Centre on 28th August, 2025.

The objective of this project was to support maternal health by providing nutritional kits to high-risk, low BMI pregnant women.

Each nutritional kit was carefully curated with essential supplements and food items to help improve maternal nutrition

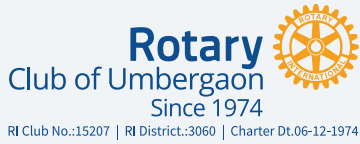
and support safe pregnancies. The total cost per kit was 650/-.

A total of 21 women were identified and benefitted through this initiative. The project was lead by IPP Rtn. Ajay Patel.

This project was a small yet impactful step towards ensuring better health for mothers and their unborn children. The Rotary Club of Umbergaon remains committed to serving the community through health and humanitarian initiatives.







# Birthday Celebrations

**Rtn Moosa Shaikh**



**Rtn Bhavin Foria**



**Rtn Deepak Nair**



**Rtn Shyam Purohit**



**Rtn Prranav Patel**



**Rtn. Jwalant Jadav**



**Rtn Mehul Sheth**





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## રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ઉમરગામ દ્વારા વ્હીલ ચેર ડોનેશન કરવામાં આવી



### ગુજરાત હોટલાઈન ન્યૂઝ

**ઉમરગામ.તા.15 ઓગસ્ટ:** ઉમરગામ તાલુકાના વિવિધ પ્રાથમિક આરોગ્ય કેન્દ્ર ખાતે દર્દીઓની સુવિધા માટે રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ઉમરગામ દ્વારા ૯ વ્હીલ ચેરનું અનુદાન કરવામાં આવ્યું. જે પ્રસંગે રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ઉમરગામના પ્રેસિડેન્ટ ડૉ. પ્રિયંકા શેઠ તેમજ મિલિન્દભાઈ સોનપાલ ઉપસ્થિત રહ્યા અને તાલુકાના તમામ પ્રાથમિક આરોગ્ય કેન્દ્ર ખાતે દિવ્યાંગ દર્દીઓ તેમજ સિનિયર સિટીઝન માટે મદદરૂપ થાય જે હેતુથી વ્હીલ ચેર આપવામાં આવી. તાલુકા હેલ્થ ઓફિસર ઉમરગામ ડૉ. રૂપેશ ગોહિલે જે બદલ રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ઉમરગામની સેવાઓને બિરદાવી અને આભાર માન્યો.

વલસાડ જિલ્લાની સમસ્યા હોય કે આજુબાજુ વિસ્તારની સમસ્યા હોય તેમજ પ્રેસનોટ અને જાહેરાત માટે સંપર્ક કરો. નિતિન પટેલ. મો. 7874032266

## રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ઉમરગામ દ્વારા ૯ વ્હીલચેરનું દાન

ઉમરગામ: ઉમરગામ તાલુકાના વિવિધ પ્રાથમિક આરોગ્ય કેન્દ્રોમાં દર્દીઓની સુવિધા માટે રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ઉમરગામ દ્વારા ૯ વ્હીલચેરનું દાન આપવામાં આવ્યું હતું. આ પ્રસંગે રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ઉમરગામના પ્રમુખ ડૉ. પ્રિયંકા શેઠ તથા મિલિન્દભાઈ સોનપાલ ઉપસ્થિત રહ્યા હતા.



અનુદાનથી ઊભી થયેલી નવી સેવા તાલુકાના તમામ પ્રાથમિક આરોગ્ય કેન્દ્રોમાં દિવ્યાંગ દર્દીઓ તેમજ સિનિયર સિટીઝનને સહાયરૂપ થશે. આ તકે તાલુકા હેલ્થ ઓફિસર ઉમરગામ ડૉ. રૂપેશ ગોહિલે રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ઉમરગામનો આભાર માન્યો હતો.

## સ્વતંત્રતા દિવસના પાવન અવસરે

## ઉમરગામ બીચ પર યુનિક ડિઝાઈનવાળા ડસ્ટબિનનું ભેટ અને સ્થાપન કરવામાં આવ્યું



### ફાસ્ટ ન્યૂઝ

ઉમરગામ: સ્વતંત્રતા દિવસના પાવન અવસરે ઉમરગામ બીચ પર યુનિક ડિઝાઈનવાળા ડસ્ટબિનનું દાન અને સ્થાપન કરવામાં આવ્યું તેમજ સફાઈ કર્મચારીઓના પરિશ્રમને બિરદાવી જણાવ્યું કે આ નેજેક્ટ બીચને સ્વચ્છ રાખવામાં મદદરૂપ બનશે. આ પ્રસંગે લલિત તાપરિયા, ચંપક સુથાર, મહુલ શેઠ, મિલિન્દ સોનપાલ, તપન શાહ, અજય

મનિષભાઈએ આ પહેલની પ્રશંસા કરી હતી. રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ઉમરગામના પ્રમુખ ડૉ. પ્રિયંકા શેઠે સફાઈ કર્મચારીઓના પરિશ્રમને બિરદાવી જણાવ્યું કે આ નેજેક્ટ બીચને સ્વચ્છ રાખવામાં મદદરૂપ બનશે. આ પ્રસંગે લલિત તાપરિયા, ચંપક સુથાર, મહુલ શેઠ, મિલિન્દ સોનપાલ, તપન શાહ, અજય

શિંગાળા, અજય પટેલ, દૌલત ધનેશા, હેમંત ભાટી, સર્વાનન દેવર, સોનિયા દેવર, અરુલ, કિન્જલ જાદવ, શ્રદ્ધા પુરોહિત તથા માનસી શાહ સહિતના સભ્યો ઉપસ્થિત રહ્યા હતા. રોટરેક્ટ અને ઈન્ટરેક્ટ ક્લબના સભ્યો પણ જોડાયા હતા અને સૌએ બીચ ક્લીનિંગ કરી પર્યાવરણ જાગૃતિનો સંદેશ આપ્યો હતો.





## ROTARY'S VISION STATEMENT



## Rotary's 7 Areas of Focus



PEACEBUILDING AND  
CONFLICT PREVENTION



DISEASE PREVENTION  
AND TREATMENT



WATER, SANITATION,  
AND HYGIENE



MATERNAL AND  
CHILD HEALTH





BASIC EDUCATION  
AND LITERACY



COMMUNITY ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT



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