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**UNITE
FOR
GOOD**

R. I. PRESIDENT : FRANCESCO AREZZO

DISTRICT GOVERNOR : AMARDEEP SINGH BUNET

NOTES THAT BIND US

“જયારે સંગીત જોડે જોડાય છે મનના તાર...ત્યારે જીવનમાં રહે છે ફક્ત પ્યાર જ પ્યાર.”
When music touches the chords of the heart, life resonates with nothing but love.

In the world of sound, a single **note** might seem insignificant. But when woven with others in **harmony**, it becomes **music**—a force that stirs **emotion**, sparks **unity**, and leaves a lasting imprint on the soul. So it is with **Rotary**. Each **Rotarian**, like each note, plays a crucial part in composing a grander **symphony** of service.

Rotary is not just an organisation—it's an **orchestra** of people committed to **making a difference**. Some of us bring the driving energy of **percussion**, beating the **rhythm of progress**. Others provide the subtle harmony of **strings**—quiet but constant, forming the **backbone** of every initiative. And then there are those who, like the **solo trumpet**, rise above with **clarity**, **courage**, and **leadership**, inspiring the entire ensemble to play louder and prouder.

Yet, just as in music, it is not only the notes that matter—but also the **silences**. The quiet pauses, the moments of **reflection**, the thoughtful **stillness**—these give meaning and depth to our service. They remind us to **listen**, to recalibrate, and to return with **renewed purpose**.

Sometimes, a note may **falter**. But the beauty of **Rotary** lies in its **fellowship**—others rise to carry the melody forward. That's the true essence of our movement: **collaboration**, **compassion**, and **continuity**. We stand not as solo performers, but as a **collective**—a **chorus of commitment**, an **orchestra of optimism**, a **symphony of service**.

*Let us continue to play our parts—not for applause, but for impact.
 For when every Rotarian adds their note with sincerity and spirit,
 the world hears music that can heal, uplift, and transform.*

— Editorial Team
Sudarshan

THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Rotary  **THE FOUR-WAY TEST**
Of the things we think, say or do:

- first** Is it the **TRUTH**?
- second** Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- third** Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- fourth** Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

IMPORTANT LINKS

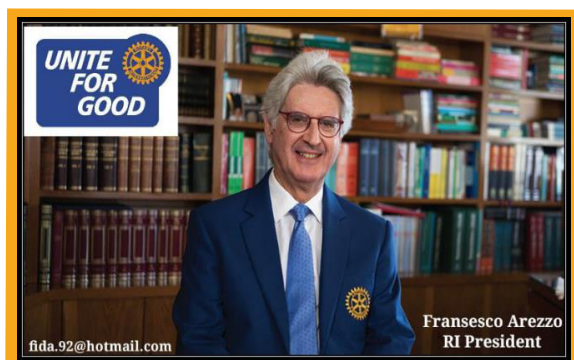


PRESIDENT KUNDAN SHAH	I.P.P. JAI MISTRY	VICE PRESIDENT VINEET PANCHAL	PRESIDENT ELECT HARSHAD KINKHABWALA	HON. SECRETARY PP TEJAS GANDHI	HON. JT. SECRETARY PP KAMAL GANDHI	HON. TREASURER NILESH JARIWALA
DIRECTORS : PP DR. AJAY MAHAJAN, JILPA SHETH, DR. NEETA GANDHI, DEEPAK GANDHI, MEGHAL BAXI SGT. AT ARMS : NAINESH MASTER, SURAJ SAGAR, CHETAN JARIWALA						

CLUB OFFICE : DR. SAROSH BHACCA MEMORIAL ROTARY HALL,
 JIVAN BHARTI SCHOOL ANNEXE, TIMALIYAWAD, SURAT - 1.

We meet at 7.30 pm on every Friday

OPENING DOORS: THE TRUE ESSENCE OF MEMBERSHIP GROWTH



August is Membership Month, but our commitment to **growth** and **connection** is **year-round**. When we focus on growing Rotary, we grow our ability to **serve**, to **lead**, and to bring **lasting change**.

Membership growth isn't just about numbers. It's about opening doors. It's about inviting more people who are ready to give their **time**, **talents**, and **hearts** to a cause greater than themselves. When we welcome **new members**, we bring in **fresh ideas** and **new energy**. We

expand our **impact**, strengthen our **clubs**, and ensure that Rotary continues to **evolve** with the world around us.

Remember, there is now great **flexibility** in fashioning **nontraditional club models**. I'm inspired when I see these **innovative clubs** thrive by offering **new and prospective members** more ways to **connect** and **serve**.

In **Korea**, the growth of **satellite clubs** has created opportunities for nearly 1,000 **new members** to find their place in Rotary. In **Romania**, the close collaboration between **Rotarians**, **Rotaractors**, and **Interactors** has built a **pipeline of future leaders**. In **India**, some Rotarians gather around a **shared interest** — whether it's **professional development** or a **passion for service** — and those **connections deepen** their commitment and their **joy** in being part of Rotary. And we've seen **cause-based clubs** thrive in regions as diverse as **Southeast Asia**, **Africa**, and **Europe**.

There's a **common thread**: Where clubs are growing, **membership is a priority** and there is a **willingness to try something new**. Rotary is not limited to one **structure** or **tradition**. We are a **global network of people of action**, and that means there is room for **many kinds of clubs**, many ways to serve, and **many paths** into our organisation.

This spirit of **innovation** is also guiding our efforts to reach **new communities**. In places where there has never been a Rotary club — or where a club once existed and faded — Rotarians are finding ways to **grow Rotary**. They are identifying **areas of potential** and building clubs that reflect the **character** and **needs** of their communities.

Every member plays a part in this journey. Whether you **introduce a friend** to your club, **support a new meeting format**, **reconnect with program alumni**, or simply **share your Rotary story**, you are helping our organisation become **stronger and more vibrant**.

No one owns a Rotary club. It is a **gift we pass on** to the next generation. When we **nurture that gift**, when we **invite others** to share in it, we ensure that Rotary continues to be a **force for good**.

Let's **prioritise membership growth** — not just in August but **every month of the year**. Together, through **friendship**, **creativity**, and **shared purpose**, we will **grow Rotary** and **Unite for Good**.

FRANCESCO AREZZO
President, Rotary International

HOUSIE HITS THE RIGHT NOTE!

Date : Friday, 25th July 2025

Time : 7.30 pm

Venue : Dr. Sarosh Bhacca Memorial Rotary Hall, Nanpura, Surat.

This week's meeting was a delightful blend of melody and merriment, featuring a Musical Housie event with **Ms. Birva Jhaveri**. The meeting began with the recitation of the **National Anthem** sung by all followed by the **Four-Way Test** recited by **Rtn. Umang Dalal**.

PP Yatish Parekh, along with **Rotary Partner Prerna Parekh**, presented a token of appreciation to **Ms. Jhaveri**, followed by an eloquent introduction by **Rtn. Nainesh P. Master**, highlighting her journey and artistic flair. The atmosphere was already buzzing with excitement as **Hon. Secretary Tejas Gandhi** followed with club announcements. **Rtn. Chetan Jariwala** then extended birthday and anniversary greetings to members, adding warmth and celebration to the gathering.

The Musical Housie session was thoroughly enjoyed by all – laughter, friendly competition, and toe-tapping tunes filled the room, making it a truly unforgettable evening. The **vote of thanks** was delivered by **PE Harshad Khinkhabwala**, appreciating everyone who contributed to the success of the evening.

HOUSIE WINNERS:

- **Early Five** – Rtn. Jagrutiben Gandhi
- **First Line** – Rotary Partner Nayana Mehta & Nikita Dalal
- **Second Line** – Rtn. Rupal Bhatt
- **Third Line** – Rotary Partner Jignasa Patel
- **Four Corners** – Rtn. Dakshaben Shah
- **First Full House** – Rtn. Alpesh Shetranjiwala
- **Second Full House** – Rotary Partner Nayana Mehta
- **Third Full House** – Rtn. Nilesh Jariwala & Rotary Partner Anjali Kapadia



ROTARY CLUB OF SURAT – MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Joint Board Meeting for RY 2024–25 & 2025–26

Date : Thursday, 19th June 2025

Venue : Dr. Sarosh Bhacca Memorial Rotary Hall, Nanpura, Surat.

Key Updates & Decisions

● Amalsadi School Project

- Vocational Centre ready for handover
- 7,101 tree plantation scheduled for 6th July 2025
- Solar Power System & Water Heater installation in progress

● Membership

- Proposals for Rtn. Charag Gandhi & Rtn. Arun Davawala to rejoin the club – to be decided by the 2025–26 Board
- Honorary Membership of Rtn. Bhavaniben Narendrakumar Mehta unanimously approved

● Handover of Office

- Office keys, files, and bank operations formally handed over to RY 2025–26 team
- New Bank Signatories: Resolution for change in bank signatories passed unanimously

● July 2025 Projects

- Blood Donation Camp (jointly with other clubs)
- HUMF Nutritional Kit Distribution for pregnant women
- Amalsadi Project Handover: Solar Power, Water Heater, Vocational Centre
- Tree Plantation: 7,101 saplings at Amalsadi on 6th July

● Weekly Meetings – July 2025

- 04th July – Speaker: Shri Narsinhbhai Jinjala (Grow Native Green Forum)
- 11th July – Club Picnic Weekend (12th–13th July @ Silvassa)
- 18th July – Speaker: Introduction to Aanapan
- 25th July – Fellowship: Varshageet

Birthday

1st August

Rtn. Daksha Kundan Shah

2nd August

Rtn. Tejas Gandhi

6th August

Rotary Partner Ila Chandresh Sheth

PAL BAL AANGANWADI: PEOPLE OF ACTION

On **Saturday, 26th July 2025**, healthy meals were distributed to 25 children at **Pal Bal Aanganwadi**. The initiative was sponsored by **Rtn. Rajendra Jariwala**, with volunteering support from **Rotary Partner Ekta Jariwala** and **Ms. Tejal Jariwala**.



KNOW YOUR MEMBER – RTN. VINEET PANCHAL

Born in **Bilimora** and raised in **Surat**, Vineet holds a **BCA** and an **MBA in Tourism** from **VNSGU**. A passionate traveller, he began his career with leading brands like **SOTC**, **Thomas Cook**, and **MMT** before co-founding **4Seasons Holidayz** with his wife, **Mehali**, in 2013.

Vineet's Rotary journey began in **Rotaract (2007–2016)**, where he served twice as **President**, twice as **Hon. Secretary**, four times as a **Board Member**, and held two **District roles**. In **Rotary** since 2016, he has held multiple leadership positions, including **Board Director**, **Hon. Secretary (2024–25)**, and now **Vice President (2025–26)** of Rotary Club of Surat. Known for his dedication to community service and fellowship, **Vineet** actively leads projects that create meaningful impact.

Beyond **Rotary**, he enjoys travelling, exploring new cultures, dancing, acting, playing the **tabla**, and cricket. He lives in **Surat** with his wife, **Mehali**, and their son, **Jahaan**.



UPCOMING PROGRAMME

1st August

Friendship day celebration with Movie show

2nd August

Healthy meal distribution at Pal Anganwadi, Sponsored by Rtn. Dakshaben Shah

8th August

Weekly Meeting

ROTARY INFORMATION

AUGUST IS



MEMBERSHIP & NEW CLUB DEVELOPMENT MONTH

"Rotary's strength lies in the sincerity of purpose of its members."
Estes Snedecor, Rotary Club of Portland, Oregon - 1921 Rotary Convention





EACH ROTARIAN:
REACH ONE, KEEP ONE

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AUG '25

Membership and Club Development

- New Member Orientation Program
- Each One Bring One - Membership Drive
- Organize Club RYLA
- Organize Fund Raising Event (Trade Fair, Exhibition etc.)
- Tree Plantation
- Eye Donation Pledge
- Connect Members to Rotary Social Security Scheme

UPCOMING EVENTS OF DISTRICT 3060



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Team Achievers



The Schedule of
Antakshari Auditions
is here...

Cluster	Date of Audition	City of Audition	Cluster Coordinator	Contact No.
Cluster 1	31.08.2025	RAJKOT	Ann. NehaSheth	9909610404
Cluster 2	07.09.2025	VADODARA	Mona Jinwala	9376216336
Cluster 3	14.09.2025	SURAT	Dhwani Mehta	9998245900
Cluster 4	21.09.2025	VALSAD	Falguni Naik	9427155663
Cluster 5	12.10.2025	NANDURBAR	Ritu Patwari	9423981773

Rules

- Each team should have 2members.
- Apart from one Rotarian, Only Children and Spouse of Rotary members are allowed subject to submission of Rotary ID
- A maximum of 1 Rotaract member or 1 Annet is allowed in the team of two.
- Only Hindi Movie Songs are allowed in the Competition. Album songs or Web Series Songs will not be permitted.
- Cluster Auditions / Competitions will be held prior to Semi-Finals& Finale.
- For Cluster Auditions, it is the responsibility of the team to be present on the day of the auditions
- Auditions will ascertain Knowledge, Voice quality, Rhythm, Spontaneity
- There is no restriction in number of teams from each club.
- The qualified participating members in the audition round cannot be replaced in the Semifinal / Final round.
- Jury / Organizer decision is FINAL and binding on all.
- Song length: At least the first verse of the song must be sung
- Registration should be submitted latest by 15.08.2025
- Please refer the google link for registration : <https://forms.gle/L1nzypafGucGQu2G8>
- In-case of doubt, queries : Pls connect with cluster coordinator

DG Amardeep Singh Bunet
District Governor


Rtn Bharat Sharma
Chairman - Antakshari

PDG Pinky Patel
Counsellor- Public Image

Rtn Sunil Neve
Co-Chairman - Antakshari

Rtn Pankaj Shah
Dist Public Image Chair

Rtn Bharat Sharma
Event Coordinator - Mrs 3060



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Team Achievers

Mrs. 3060 Competition

Mrs. 3060 competition emphasizes not only beauty but also the values and qualities of a modern married woman, including her achievements and social impact. It is just not a beauty pageant for married women that celebrates and admires the accomplishments and achievements of a wife, daughter and a mother. It empowers married Indian women to showcase their real beauty, strength and personality. We believe in giving women of Rotary District 3060 a platform to fulfill their dreams and work towards their goals with determination resilience, perseverance and integrity.

When, How, What, Where & More...

- Age: The participant should be a minimum of 23 years. There is no upper age cap. Organizers reserve the right to demand a proof of age at any given point of the competition.
- This competition is open only for Married Female Rotarians or Spouses of Rotarians.
- Auditions will comprise the following rounds: Traditional Wear Walk and Talent Round/Q&A Round.
- During Auditions, participants have to arrange for their own makeup artist.
- Participation: Contestants are expected to participate diligently and follow the schedule provided by the organizers.
- Registration Fees: A participation fee (non-refundable) of Rs 5000/- is applicable if the participant is selected for the FINALE. This includes grooming/training and a makeup artist for the Finale.
- The auditions, cluster-level expenses, and the Grand Finale at the Annual Conference in Agra (Travel & Stay) will have to be borne by the participant.
- Only the applicant will be allowed inside the designated venue of the preliminaries and Finale. Their personal support staff will not be allowed near the center stage.
- The organizers are not responsible for the non-completion or non-occurrence of the event.
- In the event of any dispute, the organizer's decisions are final and binding on the applicant.
- The organizers have all the rights to cancel, reschedule, postpone, and amend the competition
- Deadlines are determined by the number of entries. The decisions of the Jury/Judges are final.
- The Top 3 winners will be crowned Mrs. 3060, Runner-Up, and First Runner-Up at the Annual Conference.
- The applicant understands and agrees that any misconduct, negative innuendos, or misrepresentation of themselves or other participants, through any form, whether oral, written, and/or by actions, will be grounds for disqualification without question.
- Incorrect information will result in disqualification, whether discovered prior to, during, or after participation.
- For Cluster Auditions, it is the responsibility of the participant to be present on the day of the auditions.
- Auditions will ascertain Persona, Ramp Walk, Confidence, Spontaneity, and Communication Skills.
- Please refer to the Google link for registration: <https://forms.gle/TJT26TpCnk1QqVIA9>

In case of doubt or queries: Please connect with cluster coordinators.

Auditions to be held cluster-wise during Public Image Seminar

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