



# Sudarshan

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R. I. PRESIDENT : FRANCESCO AREZZO

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## REFLECTING ON A CHANGING WORLD

As the week comes to a close, global developments continue to remind us how interconnected our world has become. From economic uncertainty and rising energy concerns to **technological innovation** and **environmental challenges**, nations are adapting to rapidly changing circumstances. In India, discussions around sustainable living, responsible energy consumption, and digital transformation have gained renewed attention, reflecting the need for both progress and accountability.

As a community, we must approach the developments with **awareness, resilience, and a shared commitment to constructive dialogue and collective progress.**

The Editorial Board extends its message to all citizens to remain united, responsible, and committed to the **progress of the nation.** In times of challenges and change, it is important to uphold the values of democracy and peace. National development can only be achieved when every individual contributes positively towards society. The youth must lead with **innovation and discipline**, while leaders should govern with transparency and accountability. **Together**, through collective effort and **social harmony**, we can build a **stronger, more prosperous, and inclusive nation for future generations.**

— 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



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

## BUSINESS CLOSE MEETING : HELD ON 8<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2026

**Date :** Friday, 08<sup>th</sup> May 2026

**Time :** 7.30 pm

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

The Business Close Meeting was called to order by **PE Harshad Kinkhabwala** and the meeting commenced with the National Anthem followed by a four way test conducted by **PP Nimish Mehta**.

**Jt. Secretary Kamal Gandhi** read the minutes of the Business Close Meeting held on 28.11.25, which were unanimously approved by the members present.

The Budget for the Term 2026–27 was presented by **Treasurer (2026–27) PP Bhupendrabhai Jariwala**. After detailed discussions and incorporation of an additional provision towards banquet charges, the budget was unanimously approved by the members.

The increase in Membership Fee for the Term 2026–27 was also discussed and unanimously approved by the members present.

With the permission of the Chair, members expressed their concerns, suggestions and opinions regarding various activities of the club, leading to constructive discussions.

The Vote of Thanks was proposed by **VP Vineet Panchal**. The meeting concluded with **PE Harshad Kinkhabwala** adjourning the session.



## HUMF

On Tuesday **12th May, 2026** RC Surat organised **HUMF**, an initiative to support maternal health, by providing nutritional kits to 16 expectant women. **First lady Rtn. Daksha Shah** volunteered for the cause, while a dedicated team led by **Dr. Honey** and **Dr. Dipti** from **physiotherapy college**, offered valuable guidance to the beneficiaries. **The initiative was generously sponsored by a well-wisher.**



## GRANT MANAGEMENT SEMINAR AND CLUBS LEADERSHIP LEARNING SEMINAR

The Grant Management Seminar and Club Leadership Learning Seminar were held on **9th and 10th May 2026 (Saturday and Sunday)** at **Haldi Kumkum Resort, Kamrej, Surat** and **PP Savani School, Abrama**.

Members from the Rotary Club of Surat who attended the seminars were **President Elect Rtn. Harshad Kinkhabwala, Hon. Secretary Tejas Gandhi, Rtn. Nimish Mehta, Rtn. Dr. Ajay Mahajan, Rtn. Bhupendra Jariwala, and Rtn. Meghal Baxi**.

The seminars focused on effective **grant management practices, club administration, leadership development, and planning for the upcoming Rotary term**. Various sessions were conducted by experienced Rotary leaders and trainers, providing valuable guidance on **project execution, financial management, membership engagement, and strengthening club leadership**.

The participating members actively attended the sessions and gained useful insights and knowledge that will help in the efficient functioning and growth of the club during the forthcoming Rotary year.



## PAL BAL ANGANWADI: PEOPLE OF ACTION

On **Saturday, 9th May 2026**, healthy meals were distributed to 25 children at Pal Bal Aanganwadi, sponsored by Rotary club of Surat and volunteered by Rotary partner **Purvi Nimish Mehta**.



## KNOW YOUR MEMBER : RTN. ADV. ATMARAM TRIPATHI



**Rtn. Atmaram Tripathi** is a highly distinguished and multifaceted personality, successfully balancing his roles as an **Advocate, Actor and Businessman**. Academically, he holds a B.A. (Honors) and an LL.M. degree.

He brings an impressive 20 years of rich experience to the legal field, possessing deep expertise in handling both civil and criminal cases. He currently operates his legal practice from his office situated in Nanpura. Parallel to his legal career, he is a deeply passionate and seasoned actor with a remarkable 45-years journey in the entertainment industry. Over the decades, he has showcased his versatile talent across numerous movies, popular TV serials, and vibrant stage shows.

On the social and community front, he serves as a respected Trustee of the **Vidyabharati Hindi Vidyalaya**, contributing significantly to the field of education. Furthermore, he has been a highly active and dedicated member of the **Rotary Club** for the

past four years, consistently participating in its social initiatives.

He is happily married to **Mrs. Nirmala Tripathi**, a dedicated homemaker. He is blessed with two highly accomplished sons who are both serving in the medical field: Dr. Pratik Tripathi (MBBS, Fellowship in Diabetes) and Dr. Shashwat Tripathi (MBBS, DCH - Child Specialist).

### BIRTHDAY

17<sup>th</sup> May

Rtn. Chetan Jariwala

### ANNIVERSARY

15<sup>th</sup> May

Rtn. Devesh and Nilam Gohil

16<sup>th</sup> May

Rtn. Premalkumar and Nisha Shroff

16<sup>th</sup> May

Rtn. Kamal and Rtn. Jagruti Gandhi

16<sup>th</sup> May

Rtn. Ajay and Nayana Mehta

16<sup>th</sup> May

Rtn. Dr. Nirav and Dr. Rupal Shah

19<sup>th</sup> May

Rtn. Deeprakash and Meenakshi Agrawal

20<sup>th</sup> May

Rtn. Sandip and Dipti Nanavati



## UPCOMING PROGRAMME

15 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	Weekly meeting topic Cancer in today's world, facts, myths and hope by Dr. Kaushal Patel, D.M. Medical Oncology / Chemotherapy Specialist
16 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	Healthy food distribution at Bal Anganwadi sponsored by Rtn. Chandresh Sheth
17 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	Chess Competition 2026 for visually challenged participants

## ROTARY INFORMATION

On 17<sup>th</sup> May - we will be having a **chess tournament** for **Blind**. It's a joint event with other **NGOs**. We have committed financial contributions of **15000/-** towards the event. Around **50 participants** will be participating in this tournament. Participants are from various parts of South Gujarat. Your presence will be required for coordination and smooth management of the event. The event will be completed by around 5 pm.

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