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#### **CIRCULAR 23**

**Meeting 26** 

Programme : Republic Day Celebrations.

Date : 26th January, Tuesday, 2021.

Time : 8:00 PM

Venue : D. P. Doshi Rotary Greater Auditorium.

Invitee : Rotarians, Anns and Annets

Sirthday Wishes

1-Feb Seema Paresh Kalavadia 94274 35801 7-Feb Tanuja Pankaj Vagher 99784 76399

2-Feb Smita Poonam Chhotai 98248 01931

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Bhavin & 98256 21380 90999 21380 3-Feb Gunja Sabhaya 4-Feb Yash & Palak Rathod 97242 77777 81402 77177 6-Feb Rahul & Sonal Mehta 98242 80304 98798 36126 7-Feb Mita Patel Pravin 98242 28866 99252 29966

## **Meeting: Republic Day Celebrations:**

26th January is round the corner and this year our club annets have planned something unique for all of us. The entire planning and execution is carried out by them. They have been working whole heartedly for the last many days. The performance shall be live from D.P. Doshi Rotary Greater Bhavan. We request members to join in maximum strength to make this event a grand celebration.

- From the desk of Diya.

## RCRG got this lovely insightful piece of writing

After series of lockdowns and binge watching, we knew it was time to bring the Rotarians' tempo back. The 71st Republic day celebration for India seemed like the perfect opportunity for rejuvenating. This year, the Annets of the club came together for brainstorming ideas on how to celebrate this auspicious occasion. We started deliberating various festivity plans until we got captivated by the concept of throwing a light on the mishaps in our country. Even after 73 years of independence and 71 years of constitutionalizing, our society has failed to eliminate adversities like child labour, rape, domestic violence, drugs, all in all, corruption. We, the Annets of Rotary have come up with an act regarding the same and performing arts of dance and a fashion show for celebrating the 71st Republic day. While the act highlights the afflictions in India, the dances and fashion show by our younger Annets feature India's eminent diversity of cultures and pays a tribute to our prominent leaders. We hope you will be here to join us on this propitious occasion to celebrate our Republic day.

- By Annet Diya Kotecha.





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## Meeting Review: An evening with Bollywood (quiz) with Rtn. Dhruv Kakkad

It was an evening full of fun and laughter when RCRG family met in person for the 1st time at Bhavan for an evening with Bollywood- a quiz by Rtn. Dhruv Kakkad. Smiles were seen everywhere and it was an active participation of more than 70 members. Days of hard work showed results as members enjoyed every moment of the quiz.

We are very thankful to Rtn. Dhruv Kakkad for meeting and Ann. Bindu Shah for making Chocolate Bouquets which were distributed to Winners of the quiz.





















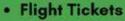












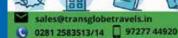
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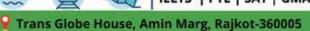
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## **Club News:**

### **Happy News:**

At Panchnath Charitable Hospital Rotary Club of Rajkot Greater had donated instruments for Operation Theater which is on the Fifth Floor and 3 Ventilators and 12 Monitors in the ICU on the Fourth Floor. The hospital got inaugurated by Honorable Chief Minister of Gujarat Shri Vijaybhai Rupani on 21st January 2021. The donation project was a stunning success when more than one pair of hands got united for the cause of those suffering in pain. This is just a briefing. A lot more is on the way in the next Newsletter.

#### **District News:**

Pravas- The Car Rally from Somath to Dhule is going to be held from 7TH February to 13th February 2021. We request maximum participation for the same.

## Did you know?

Veenaben Vaccination Center for less gifted was started in Presidential year of Rtn. Jatin Bharad in year 2000-2001.















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#### Know the difference between unfurling national flag on **Independence day and Republic day?**

On 15th August 1947 when India became independent, the National Flag was Indian hoisted from the bottom of the mast.

The Prime Minister who heads the elected legislative assembly raises the National Tricolour from the bottom of the mast and unfurls it. On the 15th of August, every year this tradition is followed and the motive is to





honour the historical event of August 15th, 1947 and represents our democratic tradition.

Whereas on Republic Day, the flag remains closed and tied up on the top of the mast, which is then unfurled. This is to mark that the country which is already independent.

On January 26th, the President attends the event and as the first citizen of the country, the President unfurls the flag. India became a Republic on this day and the office of the President was created on this day which is the representation of our republic tradition.

#### **Protocol for Indian National Flag:**

- 1) The ratio of the width of the flag to its length is 2:3 with three equal bands Saffron, White and Green. The navy blue Wheel, comprising of 24 spokes represents the Ashoka Chakra and approximates to three-fourth of the width of the white band of the flag. The flag is made out of khadi cloth (hand woven) of silk or cotton
- 2) When the National Flag is raised, the saffron colour band should be at the top. If hung vertically on the wall behind the podium, the saffron stripe should be to the left of the onlookers facing the flag with the hoist cord at the top.
- 3) No other flag or bunting can be placed higher than National flag. All other flags are to be placed to the left of the National Flag if they are hung in a line.
- 4) The Tricolour should always be hoisted from sunrise to sunset.
- 5) The flag should be at the top of the mast (full-mast) during celebrations. The flag is hoisted at half-mast as a symbol of State mourning on death of a National dignitary.
- 6) The Tricolour must never touch the ground or water, or be used as a drapery in any form.

- By Rtn. Manish Patel







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