

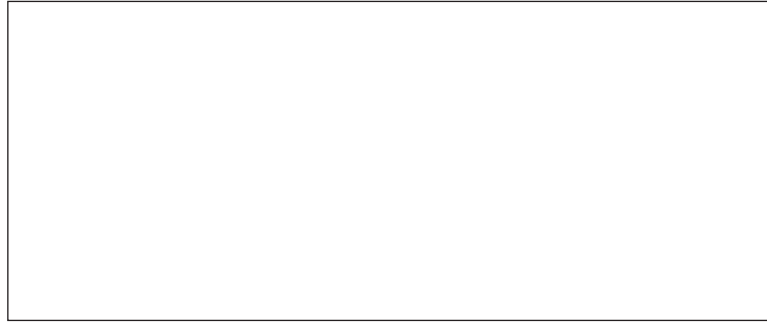
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Meeting 33

Programme : Laughter Show with Dr. Avani Vyas.

Date : 27th March, Saturday, 2021.

Time : 7:30 PM

Venue : D. P. Doshi Rotary Greater Auditorium.

Invitee : Rotarians, Anns and Annets.

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Birthday Wishes

24-Mar Saroj Rajen Modi

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27-May Maheshwar & Krishna Mehta

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Meeting : Laughter Show with Dr. Avani Vyas

Sense of humour' according to one research on sense of humour is said that 'either there is no sense of humour or we find very little sense of humour in women'. When we are talking about comedian generally we perceive about male comedian. Of course we find some rare stand up women comedian at National level like Bharti and Jamie Lever but as far as Gujarat is concerned Avani Vyas of Rajkot is pioneer in the field of women comedians, she entered in this field in the year 2006, where no woman have ever thought to intrude! By profession an Ayurvedic Dr. Avani Vyas gave her maiden stage performance at the age of 5 years and has been giving her non-stop performance in regional TV channels like E TV Gujarati, Z Gujarati, TV 9 Gujarat, Doordarshan Gujarat etc. Moreover she had also organized ticket shows and live shows. One of the notable achievements is that Dr. Avani Vyas has performed in one of the most reputed national level laughter TV show called "The great Indian Laughter Challenge - Season 5. She left the remarkable footsteps after being selected as one the 40 final contestants in pre finale out of 25,000. She lifted the pride and honor of our Gujarat state as she was only one who got selected from Gujarat. Moreover in the year of 2015, Dr. Avani Vyas was also honored by CM of that time Shree Anandiben Patel. Presenting innovative laughter among audience Dr. Avani got motivation from her comedian father Jitendra bhai to enter in such a unique field of women comedy and her effort for sailing in the laughter sea. This comedy queen Dr. Avani's effort headed in the right direction with guidance of prominent and popular comedian Mr. Siaram Dave. She cures her patients with laughter therapy because laughter strengthens immune system, boosts energy, diminishes pain and protects from damaging effects of stress.



Let's join in for the laughter Holi with Dr. Avani Vyas.



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Meeting Review : A day with District Governor

Official Club Visit of District Governor Rtn. Prashant Jani was held on 17th March 2021 at Rotary Greater Bhavan was attended by Rotarians and Anns in vast numbers. District Governor started his day by visiting President House where important meeting of President, Secretary and President elect was held. Important discussions took place which was followed by visit to permanent projects of RCRG at B.T. Savani Kidney Hospital, Cancer Hospital, Skin Bank and visit to School on Wheels site. Afternoon session post lunch was with Board Members and other key officials of RCRG. It was a very informative session and thoroughly enjoyed by all. Evening meeting was for Rotarians and Anns which was attended with lot of zest and enthusiasm. Rtn. Mehul Nathvani gave the opening remarks and Secretary Rtn. Nilesh Bhojani did the secretarial announcements. Rotary prayer was done by Rtn. Kunal Mehta and Four way test was done by Rtn. Paresh Kalavadia. President shared his views and details of projects and meetings to be done in next couple of months. Secretary Rtn. Nilesh Bhojani gave insights of projects done and details of meetings done virtually and physically. DG Prashant Jani shared his views on membership and projects that have been done in District 3060. It was overwhelming to know that District 3060 has done 5000 projects so far and RCRG has crossed 150 projects. DG praised the new club Rajkot City got in form of "Prime ". Rtn. Mihir Modi and Rtn. Bhavesh Vegda were appreciated for their sincere efforts. Rtn. Ravi Ganatra was remembered by DG for his efforts in giving District a successful event "Virtual Marathon" which saw a participation of 11,300 participants. Induction of 11 members was also done by District Governor. Introduction of DG was done by Rtn. Jaydeep Wadher and Assistant Governor was



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done by Rtn. Jaydev Shah.

A very loving gesture was shown by Annet Riddhi Nilesh Bhojani who had made a portrait of DG Rtn. Prashant Jani and First Lady of the District Rtn. Hita Jani. M.O.C of the event was done by Rtn. Dhruv Kakkad. Secretary Rtn. Nilesh Bhojani as usual did vote thanks in his own very different way.

Simple man with extraordinary skills is our DG Rtn. Prashant Jani.

Project Update:

- Rotary Club of Rajkot Greater and Kundaria Cancer Prevention Foundation, Division of Rajkot Cancer Society had arranged a Vaccination Camp at Shri D.P Doshi Rotary Greater Auditorium on 17th March, 2021. Total 43 girls were vaccinated, 22 girls were vaccinated for the 1st doze, 7 girls were vaccinated for 2nd doze and 14 girls were vaccinated for 3rd dose by Dr. Krupali Bhalara and team.



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- Awareness seminar on Kidney and Organ Donation was organized at B.T. Savani Kidney Hospital. The key note speaker was Rtn. Anil Srivatsa from Rotary Club of Bangalore Social and former founder member and President of Rotary Club of Plainsboro, NJ USA. He has donated his kidney 6 years back at the age of 51 and since then he is on global mission to spread awareness regarding Organ donation. He has travelled to more than 43 countries, covering a distance of more than 1 lac kms by road in 400 days and sharing his story to more than 1,10,000 people through 450 talks. His aim is spread awareness to more than 10 lacs people. We were privileged to hear him on insights about organ donation.



We are very grateful to Rtn. Bhavesh Mehta for helping to organize such an informative seminar.

- On the occasion of World Sparrow Day. More than 500 bird feeder and water holders were distributed to the general public with support of RCC.



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'GREATER CARNIVAL 2021' is scheduled on 24th April where all members of Rotary family from children to elders will participate and will enjoy competitions with fellowship. This is the chance to show your creativeness in cooking, décor, ambience, dressing, music and performance.

Registrations will be welcomed till 25th March.

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IKIGAI by Rtn. Rajen Shah :

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District News : Pradaan - Joy of Giving

The Foundation Dinner was organized by our District 3060 where all the Major Donors were felicitated on 19th March 2021 at Seasons Hotel. The event was hosted by Rotary Club of Rajkot Main under leadership of Rtn. Rajesh Kothari. The event was attended by Rotarians, Anns and dignitaries of District 3060 and 3170. The message was clear. It was heartfelt gratitude to all those heroes who have been donating very generously. The members felicitated from RCRG are Rtn. Ashvin and Varsha Lodhiya, Rtn. Bhavesh and Falguni Vegda, Rtn. Darshan Lakhani, Rtn. Dipen Patel, Rtn. Rajesh Parekh, Shri Kishore Kotecha.

Rtn. Sarju Patel shared his insights on Foundation which was appreciated by august gathering.

Fixing India's Dowry System

Dowry- a social evil refers to the durable goods, cash and real or movable property that the bride's family gives to the groom, his parents and his relatives as a condition to the marriage.

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section 304B and 498 A of the IPC family to be automatically arrested if a wife complains of the dowry harassment.

On March 2nd 2021, a 23 year old girl's video before jumping into the river and putting an end to her life may send chills to your spine. She and her parents were allegedly harassed for dowry. This made her take this drastic step.

On one hand, we talk about equal rights for women and on the other hand we expect women to tolerate more, expect less from her man or her in laws, not be outspoken and be under confident in putting across her ideas.

This is just a gentle reminder that women can respect men in her life and still not appreciate patriarchy (men dominated ideology).



Ann. Madhuri Kunal Makwana

Parva : 51st District Conference

Rotary District Conference which was scheduled on 9th, 10th and 11th April 2021 at Silvasa is now going to be virtual.

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