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CIRCULAR 01

Meeting 01

Programme : Installation Ceremony
Date : 5th July, 2020, Sunday
Time : 6.00 PM (Online Zoom App)
Invitees : Rotarians, Anns and Annets

Rainy July

- Visit to Vrudhashram
- Project HUMF(Village- Khirasara)
- Tree Plantation
- AG Visit
- Installation Ceremony
- Hum Honge Kamyab (Webinar by Shailesh Sagpariya)
- Close Business Meeting

Birthday Wishes

01-Jul	Rtn. Vasant Ramani	98252 30521	06-Jul	Rtn. Amit Mehta	98250 76392
04-Jul	Rtn. Dinkar Desai	98795 95424	06-Jul	Rtn. Chandresh Tratiya	92276 12384
04-Jul	Ann. Rajvi Priyank Bharad	99795 03655	06-Jul	Ann. Madhuri Kotecha	70433 35551
05-Jul	Ann. Pinkal Jadvani	96011 00002	07-Jul	Rtn. Ashwin Unadkat	98242 12721
05-Jul	Rtn. Bhavik Shah	98795 10062	07-Jul	Rtn. Gaurang Patel	98258 04011

Wedding Anniversary

		RTN.	ANN.
01-Jul	Sahadevsinh & Sadhna Vaghela	98250 78926	98250 78927
02-Jul	Dharmesh & Sakshi Kotecha	99090 19900	99092 19900
05-Jul	Mehul & Vidhi Nathvani	94269 18628	94277 24836

Passing Leadership:

Purvesh Kotecha : Rotary year 19-20 was an eventful year. Year was full of service projects as planned. I am very grateful to Rtn. Kunal Ashok Mehta for being my comrade in arms. So Rtn. Mehul Nathvani it's your turn now to drive leadership ahead.

Mehul Nathvani : Rtn. Purvesh Kotecha it would be my honour to take this leadership baton ahead and serve this office of the prestigious RCRG President along with my Secretary Rtn. Nilesh Bhojani.

Nilesh Bhojani : Let me take this opportunity to announce that month of July is that time of the year when a current President signs off and new President with all zeal and enthusiasm is ready to take over with his Secretary and dedicated team of Board members.

Every President has a set of people whom he wishes to invite as a guest of honour in his Installation ceremony. It is widely observed the thoughts and hobbies a President holds is reflected in the guest who is invited. RCRG has seen 32 Installations with different and unique guests each time and 33rd Installation ceremony would also witness that same newness and freshness.

Let us all come in huge numbers to witness the RCRG Installation.



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Theame for this year - Rotary Opens Opportunities

Rotary International President-elect Holger Knaack is encouraging Rotarians to seize the many opportunities Rotary offers to enrich their lives and the communities they serve.



Rotary Opens Opportunities

Knaack, a member of the Rotary Club of Herzogtum Lauenburg-Mölln, Germany, revealed the 2020-21 presidential theme, Rotary Opens Opportunities, to incoming district governors at the Rotary International Assembly in San Diego, California, USA, on 20 January.

Rotary isn't just a club for people to join, but rather "an invitation to endless opportunities," said Knaack, who becomes president on 1 July. He emphasized that Rotary creates pathways for members to improve their lives and the lives of those they help through service projects.

"We believe that our acts of service, big and small, create opportunities for people who need our help," Knaack said. He added that Rotary creates leadership opportunities and gives members the chance to travel the world to put their service ideas into action and make lifelong connections. "Everything we do opens another opportunity for someone, somewhere," said Knaack.

RI President - Introduction of Holger Knaack

Holger Knaack selected to be 2020-21 Rotary International president.

Holger Knaack, a member of the Rotary Club of Herzogtum Lauenburg-Mölln, Germany, has been selected to serve as president of Rotary International in 2020-21.

Knaack believes that the People of Action campaign offers new public awareness possibilities for Rotary. "This campaign conveys our global image while still respecting differences in regions and cultures," he says.

A Rotary member since 1992, Knaack has served Rotary as treasurer, director, moderator, member and chair of several committees, representative for the Council on Legislation, zone coordinator, training leader, and district governor.

He is an endowment/major gifts adviser and co-chair of the Host Organization Committee for the 2019 Rotary International Convention in Hamburg.

Knaack is the CEO of Knaack KG, a real estate company. He was previously a partner and general manager of Knaack Enterprises, a 125-year-old family business.

He is a founding member of the Civic Foundation of the City of Ratzeburg and served as president of the Golf-Club Gut Grambek. Knaack is also the founder and chair of the Karl Adam Foundation.

Knaack and his wife, Susanne, are Major Donors to The Rotary Foundation and members of the Bequest Society.




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Rtn. Yash Rathod

DG 3060 - Introduction of Rtn. Prashant Jani

Rtn Prashant Jani is a District Governor of RID 3060 for 2020-21.

Rtn Prashant and Hita Jani are members of Rotary Club of Wadhwan City since 2001. Both are Major Donor Level-1 of Rotary Foundation. Prashant and Hita both are Commerce Graduate and working as a Financial Consultants in the name Capital House at Surendranagar & Ahmedabad for the last 30 years.

He is President of Surendranagar District Table Tennis Association.

Prashant became President in 2009-10 for Rotary Club of Wadhwan city.

Rotary Club of Wadhwan City is First PHF club in Rotary District 3060.

He started his Dream Project "Rotary Thalassaemia Center" in 2010-11.

He initiated "Rotary Dialysis Centre" in 2015-16 with two machines and at the moment they have 14 machines.

Rotary Dialysis Center has done more than 9000 free dialysis.

Service to District

2014-15: Sponsored Thangadh Club and Halvad Club and served as GSR

2015-16: Assistant Governor

2016-17: District Chair Community Service

2017-18: District Chair WinS

2017-18: Sponsored a Wadhwan Metro as a Chartered PHF Club

Awards

He is honored by Rotary for these awards:

1) Awarding him Club Builder Award in 2013-14

2) Membership Recognition Award, Gold Backer in 2014-15

3) District Service Award in 2017-18

4) Best Rotarian of the Year", District 3060,

Years 2014-15, 2015-16 and 2017-18

It's a history to have received three times 'Best Rotarian Award' in District 3060



Introduction of RCRG President & First Lady - Rtn. Mehul & Vidhi Nathvani

A simple man with multiple skills: this is what our President Rtn. Mehul Nathvani is. Call him a family man, a public persona, a dear friend or a fitness freak, he has it all. The transparency he has shown in business has not only helped him scale up his professional growth but also his personal growth.

Mehul Nathvani is one who believes more in action and less in words. Through his kind heartedness and easily approachable attitude, he has won hearts of many and continues to do so.

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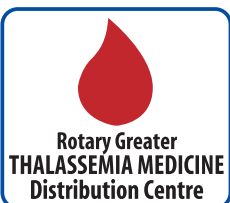
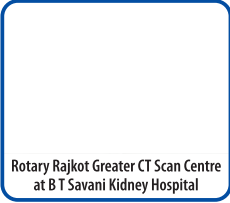
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He counts Vidhi Nathvani as his biggest asset in all walk of his life. Every President comes with a vision and so is Rtn. Mehul Nathvani. He wants to lead the club of 150 plus members in most transparent manner and leave footprints of friendship and harmony. A person to be watched and believed in...



Ever smiling and pious is our 1st lady Ann. Vidhi Nathvani.

Certain qualities are expected out of 1st lady. They are mainly uniting people, hearing their ideas, implementing them, balancing family and social work. 1st ladies before them have depicted the same and we are very fortunate that this year too, we have a 1st lady in form of Ann. Vidhi Nathvani who has all of the above traits.

She has served Rotary Greater in most humble way all these years, so now is the time to continue the same as 1st lady of the club.

She says, "She has no vision or dream unlike her husband Rtn. Mehul Nathvani but says she wants to contribute in spreading smiles which has always been her dream".

She is a very sincere lady with enormous capacity of accepting challenges and fulfilling them.

Introduction of RCRG Secretary

"There is no higher virtue than charity. He is the highest man whose hand goes out in giving. The hand was made to give always."

-Swami Vivekananda



He did his Engineering from Birla Vishwakarma Mahavidyalaya, Sardar Patel University, Vallabh Vidyanagar. He is a Consulting Civil Engineer, Architectural Designer, Govt. Approved Valuer and Registered Valuer under Insolvency & Bankruptcy Board Of India.

He feels he is a lucky guy as his passion is his profession. He always design a person's house imagining that he is designing it for himself . He uses the same principle while doing Rotary Projects and gives 100% in everything that he does. He has keen interest in various social activities.

The theme of the year 2020-21 is "Rotary Opens Opportunities" so as a team, RCRG will have to work on creating opportunities for the society with career & vocational guidance for the youth. For the year 2021-22, Mr. Shekhar Mehta is President of Rotary International. In a recent

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meeting, he said that by the year 2025, India will be Totally Literate and Rotary will play a big role for the same, so focus will be on basic Education and literacy during the year.

Due to the ongoing Corona pandemic focus would be to work on disease prevention, proper health care and hygiene amongst the society. Also awareness in community regarding personal hygiene and immunity will be one of the focus areas.

He wants to work with community for Environment with mega tree plantation, solid waste management awareness, water and sanitation in schools, Menstrual Hygiene Management Programme and Women wellness Cancer screening Programme.

He wishes to work towards ending hunger and poverty in the community by distribution of food kits during Janmashtami and Diwali.

As the District's team name is Team Pinnacle - with support of all members, he wishes to lead RCRG to Pinnacle.

Rtn. Nilesh Bhojani is very passionate and enthusiastic. He is a person with very clear vision and purpose.

We wish both President and Secretary a very fruitful 20-21.

He is a very loving father and a caring husband.

Thanking You

Let me start with the words of the great William Shakespeare who said, "I can no other answer make, but, thanks, and thanks and ever thanks." Both of you Purvesh and Kunal opened the year with zeal and ended it on a similar note.

The Board members too, played their parts as they were supported to perform like a family. You two may have sacrificed in your profession during the year but it was only for the society and its welfare. You showed true qualities of a captain steering smoothly our boat. But there is much more to come in life. This is only a beginning. We wish you good luck, happiness and success in life. History makers are those who choose to rewrite the script of their lives. Revolution is all about rewriting the script. To break through, you need to break with. The real voyage of discovery consists not in seeking the new landscapes, but in having new eyes.

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mission that Purvesh and Kunal took would unfold the year. We know that the performance of their tenure would not have seen the best of it, had it not comprised your support and love. We thank you for your hand in hand extension of service.

My thanks to: Ann.Nivetha, we are grateful to you for the remarkable Editorial year you gave. I would like to say 'Consistency is the hallmark of greatness.' Anyone can perform an occasional act of greatness but truly great are those who can consistently perform acts of greatness. You will not be remembered for what you do or did once in a way, but for what you do and did all the time.



Introduction of Editor - Rtn. Ravi Chhotai

It would be adventurous but not easy to take up the Editorship 20-21, when the RCRG had the privilege of half a decade of Women Editors. However my role would be to extend to the great legacy. After enjoying my Secretary ship, this is different Chair and I shall be faithful to my pen and to the people who contribute in Newsletter. As all the proud members of Club, you can initiate me to do wonderful things and can also be the part to create them.



I know and understand 'Neither will all your expectations be fulfilled, nor will all our expectations remain unfulfilled.'

As the New Year starts and I take over the mantle of Editorship, I wish all of us a great year ahead. As you all know, there hasn't been a time in the last century when the world has seen so much uncertainty and volatility. As India and the rest of the world battles Covid 19 through extraordinary measures, I would like to share the way in which I am approaching this situation: through an attitude of responsibility, gratitude, humility and hope.

The responsibility is huge- to navigate the current situation and overcome the challenges.

My heartfelt gratitude for the outstanding people, that have stood the test of time before and will pull us through this time too.

Humility will guide us in tackling the challenges and opportunities of these unique times. There is no known success formula right now and we will have to try new things and learn from each success and failure. We need to demonstrate resilience and perseverance like never before.

And finally, I have unbounded hope and optimism for the future that awaits this wonderful club called RCRG. We shall stay connected through e-mails and whatsapp.

I wish you all the best.

I remain.

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