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CELEBRATING
**WORLD AUTISM
AWARENESS MONTH - April 2026**

TELE-CONSULTATION & TELE-COUNSELLING FOR
**Autism, Communication Disorders
& Psychological Disorders**



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Time: 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM
Mode: Online

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Rtn. Kaushal Sheth
President

Rtn. Bhavesh Shah
Project Chairman

રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ભાવનગર દ્વારા સાયકોલોજીકલ પ્રોજેક્ટ અંતર્ગત ભાવનગર ખાતે વર્લ્ડ ઓટીઝમ અવેરનેસ મનથ નિમિત્તે ઓટીઝમ તથા બોલવામાં ખામી ધરાવતા બાળકો અને ટીનએજર માટે પરામર્શ યોજાયું જેમાં ૧૧૨ ઓટીઝમ બાળકો તથા તેના માતા પિતા જોડાયા.

૨૪ X ૭ સ્ટ્રેસ હેલ્પ લાઇન પણ કાર્યરત... તરુણોની વધતી મનોવૈજ્ઞાનિક તકલીફ માટે રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ભાવનગર દ્વારા રાજ્યશાનો પાઈલોટ પ્રોજેક્ટ

ટીન એજર સાયકોલોજીકલ પ્રોબ્લમ, કોમ્યુનિકેશન ડીસ ઓર્ડર તથા ઓટીઝમ બાળકો તથા ટીનએજર તથા તેના માતા પિતા અને કેરગીવર માટે રોજબરોજના પડકાર લાવે છે. રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ભાવનગર દ્વારા ટીન એજરના સાયકોલોજીકલ વેલબીયીંગ માટે કટીબધ છે જેને અનુલક્ષીને એપ્રિલ માસ દરમ્યાન વર્લ્ડ ઓટીઝમ અવેરનેસ મનથ નિમિત્તે ઓટીઝમ તથા કોમ્યુનિકેશન ડીસઓર્ડર તથા ટીનએજર સાયકોલોજીકલ પ્રોબ્લમ પર પરામર્શ ઉપલબ્ધ કરાયું હતું. આ ઉપરાંત સાયકોલોજીકલ ડીસઓર્ડર, અલગ પ્રકારના એડોલેસન્ટ ઈસ્યુ વિષે માતા પિતાને સાયકોલોજીકલ રીતે માહિતગાર કર્યા હતા.

જેમાં ભાવનગર, અમરેલી, જુનાગઢ તથા રાજકોટના બાળકો તથા તેના માતા પિતા જોડાયા હતા. આ પરામર્શમાં તજજ્ઞ તરીકે જાણીતા સાયકોલોજીસ્ટ ડો. ગૌરાંગ જોષી (એમએમપીજે હોસ્પિટલ ભુજ) દ્વારા પરામર્શ તથા સાયકોમેટ્રિક એસસમેન્ટ કરવામાં આવ્યું હતું.

આ ઉપરાંત સાયકોલોજીકલ ડીસઓર્ડર, અલગ પ્રકારના એડોલેસન્ટ ઈસ્યુ વિષે માતા પિતાને સાયકોલોજીકલ રીતે માહિતગાર કર્યા હતા. રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ભાવનગર ૨૦૨૧થી ચાઈલ્ડહુડ સાયકોલોજીકલ ડીસઓર્ડર, ઓટીઝમ તથા કોમ્યુનિકેશન ડીસઓર્ડર પર કાર્યરત છે. બાળક તથા ટીનએજરની દરેક માહિતી ગોપનીય રખાય છે. આ પ્રોજેક્ટને સફળ બનાવવા માટે સમગ્ર રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ ભાવનગરની ટીમ દ્વારા જહેમત ઉઠાવવામાં આવી હતી.

TRF Contribution

The Rotary Foundation (TRF) serves as a vital source of support for numerous initiatives worldwide. It has profoundly impacted the lives of countless underprivileged individuals across the globe... By contributing to this cause, you become a part of this transformative effort...

Anyone who contributes \$300 will get a privilege to become Paul Harris Fellow (PHF)... Kindly contact President Rtn. KaushalSheth or TRF Chair Rtn. Parag Shah for more details...

Monthly Service Project 2026 - May Youth Service

- Health Check in Schools (Anemia/Dental/Eye)
- Sof skills for Members and others
- Fellowship Program with Rotaract
- Vocal for Local
- Promote Rotary Youth Program
- Mental Health Counseling Project

WE MEET EVERY FRIDAY AT ROTARY SERVICE CENTRE GHOGHA CIRCLE BHAVNAGAR • FELLOWSHIP :: 8.30 PM • MEETING :: 9 PM

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ROTARY RATANJI & JIVANDAS CHARITABLE TRUST & ACRYLIL LTD RAY HOPE CHILD EDUCARE PROJECT

LIGHT THEIR PATH: SCHOOL BENCHES PROJECT DR. RAMNIKLAL J MEHTA ROTARY E-LIBRARY AMRUTAM : WATER HARVESTING PROJECT

ROTARY PAREKH DIAGNOSTICS ROTARY PERMANENT VACCINATION CENTRE ROTARY KARUNALAY (REHABILITAION CENTRE)

ROTARY AMRUTALAY (MOTHER'S MILK BANK)

Rotary Rhythm wishes Many happy returns of the day to the following Rotarians on their birthdays

1.	Rtn. Rajiv Sanghavi	1st May
2.	Rtn. Pathik Mehta	2nd May
3.	Rtn.Piyush Tamboli	2nd May
4.	Rtn. Dr. Sanjay Savani	9th May
5.	Rtn. Parag Shah	9th May
6.	Rtn P.P. Rakesh Kanada	16th May
7.	Rtn. Chintan Kanakia	18th May
8.	Rtn. Harshiddh Shah	27th May
9.	Rtn P.P. Dr. Purnimaben Mehta	29th May
10.	Rtn. Rajesh Kothari	30th May

Rotary Rhythm wishes Many happy returns of the day to the following Rotarians on their wedding anniversaries

1.	Rtn Nikhil Kapadia	4th May
2.	Rtn Vijay Jethwa	5th May
3.	Rtn. MiteshSoni	5th May
4.	Rtn DR. TejasThakkar	9th May
5.	RtnMital Shah	10th May
6.	Rtn. YogeshKanakia	11th May
7.	Rtn. RohanThakkar	11th May
8.	Rtn. Raju Kothari	17th May
9.	Rtn. Mitesh Shah	17th May
10.	RtnP.P.Jay Parekh	22nd May
11.	Rtn. P.P. AmitRawal	23rd May
12.	Rtn. Hitesh Soni	24th May
13.	Rtn. P.P. TarakDholakia	29th May
14.	Rtn. Ramesh Modi	30th May
15.	Rtn. RajkumarJodhwani	31st May
16.	Rtn. JatinThakkar	31st May

Rotary District 3060 presents CLLS 2026 Club Leadership Learning Seminar

A vital learning platform designed to empower and prepare incoming leaders for the Rotary year ahead. Participation is mandatory for President Elects, Secretary Elects, Club Board Members, and District Officers.

Date: 9-10 May 2026

Time: Saturday 2:00 PM to Sunday 3:00 PM

Host Club: Rotary Club of Surat East

Registration Fee: ₹2500/-

Venues:

* Day 1: HaldiKumkum Resorts, Kamrej, Surat

* Day 2: P PSavani School, MotaVarachha, Surat

Details already provided in the Rotary Information whatsapp Group earlier

Celebrations - Salutation to Achievers Annual District Awards 2025-26

Saturday, 28th June 2026

9:00 AM onwards

Venue : Waves Club, Bhayli, Vadodara

Registration Charges (Per Person)

* 01 May - 31 May 2026 : 1600

* 01 June - 27 June 2026 : 1800

* Spot Registration : 2000

Scan & Pay available

Bank Details for Online Transfer

Bank Name : HDFC Bank

Account Name : Rotary Club Baroda Cosmopolitan

Account Type : Current Account

Branch : Old Padra Road

Account No. : 50200042570971

IFSC Code : HDFC0000416

For Registrations

Rtn. Vijay Vora - 93272 43611

Rtn. PranavRachh - 98980 72244

We look forward to celebrating excellence together!

Programs

01st May	Rtn Chetan Kamdar
08thMay	DR Jagdeep Kakadia
15th May	Regular Meeting
23rd May	Fellowship
29th May	Regular Meeting

Rotary District 3060 Inter-Club Skit Performance 2026

Get ready to showcase creativity, talent, and the spirit of Rotary as District 3060 presents an exciting Inter-Club Skit Performance during the grand District Awards "Celebrations".

Hosted by the Rotary Club of Baroda Cosmopolitan, this vibrant event will take place on Sunday, 28th June 2026, at Waves Club, Bhayli, Vadodara.

We invite all Rotary Clubs of District 3060 to participate and bring their stories to life through engaging performances. Whether it's comedy, thriller, or mystery-this is your stage to entertain, inspire, and connect.

Why Participate?

This platform offers a wonderful opportunity to:

- * Showcase your club's creativity and teamwork
- * Engage and entertain a diverse Rotary audience
- * Strengthen bonding within and across clubs
- * Be recognized at the district level

Event Highlights:

- * Open to Rotarians, Anns, and Annets
- * No limit on participants or number of entries per club
- * Perform in Gujarati, Hindi, or English
- * Maximum duration: 5 minutes per skit
- * Submit your video entry by 21st May 2026

Top 4-5 shortlisted teams will be invited to perform live at the District Awards event.

Evaluation Criteria:

Creativity & originality, script, acting & coordination, audience engagement, and overall impact.

Participants are encouraged to maintain originality, decency, and relevance while avoiding sensitive or controversial content.

Let your creativity shine and be a part of this memorable celebration of talent and Rotary fellowship !

VARDAAN - A Gift of Blessings



Project Vardaan empowers underprivileged communities by providing essential resources with dignity. Each beautifully handcrafted brass spice box is available at 1800 per piece. It's not just a gift - it preserves tradition, spreads joy, and restores hope for a brighter future.

Friends the product is very useful at home and also for the gifting purpose.

Rotarians who wish to be a part of this noble cause can register their names along with no. of pieces to President Rtn. Kaushal Sheth (9879331999) or to Hon. Secretary Rtn. Mahipalsinh Rana (9824244824).

You can transfer online to the following account and share the details.

Name : Rotary District 3060 Events 2526

Account Number : 10402001000400

IFSC Code : PMEC0104040

Bank Name : Prime Co-op Bank Ltd.

Branch : Zadeshwar, Bharuch

Thank you for your support in making Vardaan a true gift of blessings.

Kudos to RC Bhavnagar

Bravo RC Bhavnagar!

The cover story on RC Bhavnagar resonated with me as it encapsulated Rotary's ethos and what we can do to help the forgotten children of India. Time is the most undervalued form of giving, as once given, it is gone forever, and can't be replaced by other resources. That is why it is invaluable. Giving time is not transactional, it is intimate. It tells others that they matter enough for you to pause your life and step into theirs. For me the cover story is the essence of giving your time to a regular cause and

then make it noble with your devotion. I look forward to every issue.

Zarir Dadachanji
RC Poona — D 3131

Bhavnagar's three projects — Ray of Hope, digital library and Miyawaki forests are truly inspiring. If Rotarians read the magazine, they can grasp the diverse projects being done by Rotary clubs. It is heartening to note that after 70 years, an Indian, RI director M Muruganandam, has been selected RI Vice President. I am running a WhatsApp group called

Career Hub to help rural engineering and MBA students on their interview skills. In the cover story, the skill training for rural youth has inspired me to continue with it.

Sivaperumal Subramani
RC Walajpet — D 3231

RC Bhavnagar projects are excellent and inspiring. Especially, Project Educare that is spreading literacy among rural children; it is really touching. Kudos to the club members.

S N Shanmugam
RC Panruti — D 2981

In the last issue of Rotary News, our projects have been prominently featured in a big way...

We are delighted to see such positive reception in the recent issue... It is wonderful to know that our efforts have resonated so well... We are encouraged by this feedback to continue striving for excellence...

Welcome Back

Re joining member

Shrenik Sheth is joining the club after taking a break.

Any member having objections as regards to his re joining the club may please inform the President/ secretary in writing within seven days stating the reasons of his objections.

A moment of immense pride for the Interact Club of Bhavnagar!

We are delighted to share that our dedicated member, SaanviOza, has been selected as the Secretary of the Interact District 3060 Team.

This remarkable achievement truly reflects her commitment, leadership, and passion for service towards society. Her journey is an inspiration to all of us, showcasing what dedication and hard work can achieve.

We extend our heartfelt congratulations and wish her all the very best for this new role. May she continue to shine and create many more impactful opportunities ahead!

Answers to April Quiz

#1- 4, #2- 3, #3- 2, #4- 3, #5- 2, #6- 1, #7- 4, #8- 4, #9- 4, #10- 3, #11- 4, #12- 3

1. **This Rotary president first was a newspaper Reporter in Denver. Who was...?**

Paul P. Harris

2. **23 February 1905. What was....?**

The night four men decided to start an organization in Chicago

3. **A 1900 Walk after dinner by Paul Harris. What was...?**

The inspiration for Rotary

4. **Cowboy, Desk Clerk, Marble Salesman, Actor, Merchant Seaman, Fruit Picker. What were...?**

Paul Harris' jobs between 1891 and 1896

5. **This early Rotarian was secretary of Rotary International for 32 years. Who was...?**

Chesley R. Perry

6. **This famous Rotarian was expelled from a university. Who was....?**

Paul Harris

7. **The First Club, in a community of less than 100,000 population. What is...?**

Pueblo

8. **\$26.50 from Rotary Club of Kansas City in 1917. What started the...**

The Rotary Foundation

9. **The First President of "Rotary." Who was...**

Sylvester Schiele?

10. **Give service to your customers and you'll make more money. What was the...?**

"Fred" Sheldon's business philosophy?

11. **Arch Klumph. Who was a...**

Past RI President from Cleveland, credited with starting the Rotary Foundation

12. **Ann Brunier and Ann Gundaker. Who were the first...?**

Rotaryanns

Good Gestures

We have received a donation of

5,00,000/- to Rotary Parekh Diagnostic laboratory from Rtn. JatinbhaiThakkar,

Our Amrutalay, mother's milk bank completed 2 years on 20/04/26. We received 106 litres of milk from different 50 mothers and we distributed to 55 children, thus saving their lives.

Hearty Congratulations to Rtr. Priyanka Udani!

Rotary
District 3060

UNITE
FOR
GOOD

Team Achievers

Congratulations



District Rotaract Representative
2027-28

Rotaract Club of Bhavnagar Youth

PDRR SWAPNIL GAUD
DISTRICT ROTARACT CHAIR

RUCHIT MEHTA
DISTRICT ROTARACT REPRESENTATIVE

AMARDEEP SINGH BUNET
DISTRICT GOVERNOR

It gives us immense pride and joy to celebrate the remarkable achievement of Rtr. Priyanka Udani on being appointed as the District Rotaract Representative (DRR) for the year 2027-28.

Her dedication, leadership, and unwavering commitment to service truly embody the spirit of Rotaract. This well-deserved recognition is a testament to her passion for making a difference and her consistent efforts towards empowering communities

We are confident that under her dynamic leadership, District Rotaract 3060 will reach new heights and continue to inspire positive change.

Wishing her a successful and impactful tenure ahead!

Keep leading, keep inspiring, and keep serving.

Rotary Club Society of Bhavnagar

Following members have been selected to hold the position of office bearers of RC Society of Bhavnagar for the term 2026-29...

Chairman

Rtn. Sandeep Shah

Hon. Secretary

Rtn. Jignesh Savani

Treasurer

Rtn. Viral Valia

Glimpses of District Governor Visit to our Club



Its always a Special occasion for our club when the District Governor Visits our club in his official itinerary of his OCV.

It's a Proud moment for our club especially for our club's office bearers while exhibiting proudly the handsome merits of the club activities before him and gaining thundering accolades in doing so.

Rotary club Bhavnagar being one of the prime clubs with the historical background over a 80 years, is recognized distinctly with deep routed culture. The charisma of the club itself draws any Dist. Governor visiting with the special struck of being overwhelmed by its discipline, protocols and the identity we gained in serving the communities over the years.

DG. Rtn. Amardeep Singh Bunet himself felt honored to have visited our club on his Official Club Visit. He visited various projects, had meeting with President, Secretary, President Elect, President Nominee, Board of Directors, Committee members & Past Presidents. We also had Scholarship Award Program presented by Rtn. VikramSanghani, Higher Education Support Chair Dist. 3060 wherein 19 students were awarded scholarships. And in the evening, we had a regular club meeting where DG. Amardeepji appreciated & guided the club for our projects & activities.

Vocational Training - Embroidery & Basic Jewellery Making



Rotary Club of Bhavnagar successfully organized two Vocational Training Programs for needy individuals and those eager to learn new skills.

The trainings in Embroidery and Basic Jewellery Making were conducted from 16th to 28th April.

A total of 19 women enthusiastically participated in these programs, which will now help them towards self-reliance and livelihood opportunities.

Upon completion of the training, a Certificate Distribution Ceremony was held on Tuesday, 28th April at Rotary Hall.

We are very much thankful to Ann. BhagyashreebenPathik Mehta & Ann. UshabenParshwadVora for their continuous support & efforts in training the beneficiaries.

This project was made successful through the dedicated efforts and hard work of Project Chair Rtn. ParshwadVora.