

HARMONY

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Bangalore Rajmahal Vilas



Presidents note

Dear Rotarians,

It is said that 7 is the number of completeness and perfection. Like the 7 colors, 7 sound notes, 7 directions, 7 days, it is also said that number 7 derives its meaning from being tied directly to God's creation of all things. Environment has always been a subject close to the heart of our members and year after year we are taking up projects in support of Environment. From last year's Kotinati launch to this year's lake rejuvenation our club has pioneered in the district through its projects supporting environment. It is indeed a proud moment for me, being at the helm of our club affairs, when the Rotary International and the Rotary Foundation have made a declaration to support environment as 7th focus area of service and commemorating the same we were able to create a RAJVANA, around the lake where the rejuvenation work is in progress.

As an outgoing President of this illustrious club I would like to say that with the declaration of Environment as Rotary's 7 th Area of Focus, standing at the threshold of entering the silver jubilee anniversary of our club, we now have more work to do than ever before as Rotarians. Looking forward to your continuous support to Environment, let us continue to stay connected to conserve!

- Rtn. Sanjay Krishna

Rotary Peace Fellowship 2020

4th June, 2020

Connecting for Peace: The month started with a joint meeting of all the Rotary Clubs of District 3190, celebrating the Rotary Fellowship Month. It was a unique initiative on a digital platform by all the Rotary Clubs of District 3190. The meeting was graced by speaker Dr.Spurana H G, the recipient of the Rotary Peace Award, 2020, who narrated her experience and learning, from the Rotary Peace Centre in Thailand during her course.



On the occasion of the World Environment day, Rotary India Environment Mission conducted a Web conference on world environment day in which our club members also participated in good numbers.

Rotary India Environment Mission presents
Web Conference on
World Environment Day 2020
 June 5th 2020, Friday, Time: 5.00PM -7.00PM

Logos: Rotary District 3190, Rotary Connects The World, Rotary Open Opportunities, PRIDE, CHRSNI, Rotary India Environment Mission, PPRIDE, RUNADICTS.

Speakers

- Rtn. K. Amaranaswamy IAS, (Retd.)
 Recipient of Karnataka State & UNBP Environment Award
- FDG Rtn. Arifa Preshankumar
 Zonal coordinator Environment Mission
- Dr. Ian Kuppaswamy
 Charvita Foundation
- Rtn. Dr. Sameer Harinath
 District Governor 2019-20
 Rotary 3190
- Rtn. B. J. Madhuzha Prasad
 District Governor Elect 2020-21
 Rotary 3190
- Rtn. B. K. Krishnamurthy
 District Environmental Chair
 2019-20
- Rtn. Prakash Belewadi
 Club Artist
 District Environment Chair 2020-21
- Rtn. B. Kari Gowda
 Chairman Koti Road
- Rtn. Ramesh Shivanra
 Charvita Foundation

As the year drew to an end, we had the incoming team gearing up to take on the next year with enthusiastic zeal and earnest, and they presented their plans, committees and budget for club for the Rotary Year 2020-21. It was accepted by all present and wished the new team the best for their year.

Rotary Bangalore Rajmahal Vilas
 Office Bearers - 2020-21

CLUB OFFICERS	
1 Club President	Rtn. Bharath Asuri
2 Immediate Past President	Rtn. Sanjay Krishna
3 President Elect	Rtn. Shankar Subramanian
4 Secretary	Rtn. Rajagopal Hedge
5 Treasurer	Rtn. Sarangan
6 Vice President	Rtn. Vinod Singh
7 Jt. Secretary	Rtn. Deepa Sashindran
8 Sergeant-at-arms	Rtn. Rajesh Ghashi
9 Club Mentor	Rtn. Kirti Mehta
10 District Coordinator	Rtn. Rajaram Krishnamurthy

The biggest and generally considered the largely anticipated ICGF of the year for the community Service turned virtual, adapting to the times. The keynote speaker was Dr. Veerendra Heggade and the Special Guest of Honour was the actor and director, Mr. Upendra. The achievements of all the clubs were showcased and the clubs efforts for CoVID relief was lauded as one of the top 25 clubs in District 3190 for the Covid-19 grocery distribution and relief work.

As an initiative of the outgoing and incoming teams, we had a special meeting, where experienced members of the club addressed the club in a Club Orientation Program, facilitated by our incoming Club Training Co-ordinator, PP Rtn. Rajaram Krishnamurthy. It was much appreciated and helped newer members orient themselves to the club.

Club Orientation Program Agenda		Friday, 12th June, 2020
1 President Rtn. Sanjay Krishna	Opening Remarks & Talk on Fellowships	7:00 - 7:10
2 Rtn. Rajaram Krishnamurthy	Rotary Overview	7:10 - 7:15
3 Rtn. Kirti Mehta	Community Service	7:15 - 7:30
4 Rtn. Mahadev Dambal	Vocational Services & TEACH Program	7:30 - 7:45
5 Rtn. Rajesh Kunder	Youth Service	7:45 - 8:00
6 Rtn. Kirti Mehta	International Service	8:00 - 8:15
7 Rtn. Surendra Singhvi	Membership Development	8:15 - 8:30
8 Rtn. Sabareesan Venkatesh	Fund Raising	8:30 - 8:45
9 Rtn. Raghuvveer	Friends for Life in Rotary	8:45 - 8:48
10 Rtn. Arjun Merwade	Impact of being a Rotarian	8:48 - 8:51
11 Rtn. Anita Shah	Teamwork in Rotary	8:51 - 8:54
12 Rtn. S. K. Bajaj	Special Remarks on the Session	8:54 - 9:00
13 Rtn. Bharath Asuri	Closing Remarks & Vision 2020-21	9:00 - 9:10
14 Rtn. Shankar Subramanian	Secretary Announcements & Vote of Thanks	9:10 - 9:15

JOINT COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT
An initiative of the Dazzler Presidents of District 3190

Host Clubs for the Project : ROTARY CLUBS

• Basavanagudi	• J.B.Nagar	• Nagarabhavi	• Rajajinagar
• Basaveswaranagar	• J P Nagar	• Nandini	• South Parade
• Brigades	• Junction	• Nelamangala	• Sadashivanagar
• Central	• Kalyan	• North-West	• Tumkur
• Centennial	• Kengeri	• Orion Gateway	• Tiptur
• Down Town	• Kuvempunagara	• Palmville	• Udyog
• Gokul Vidya	• Malgudi	• Platinum City	• Vidyaranyapura
• Greater Jayanagar	• Metro	• Prime	• Vijayanagar
• High Grounds		• Rajmahal Vilas	• West

FREE MEDICAL SUPPORT TO NEEDY PATIENTS

Artificial
Limbs

Wheel
Chairs

Cataract
Surgeries

Dialysis

Blood
Collection
Drive

38 Dazzler Presidents and clubs from District 3190 came together to jointly conduct community service projects, and provide free medical aid to benefit more than 2000 persons in need. Our club equally contributed through independently conducted Blood Donation camp and tree plantation - around Koira Lake in addition to group contribution all together at the cost of Rs. 65,000.



Joint Community Project - Valedictory Function

20th June, 2020

A valedictory function was held for the 38 clubs who came together for the Joint Community service project. Our President and Secretary were honoured on behalf on the club for the efforts.



Building a Vibrant Club

21st June, 2020

Apart from the club orientation program held by our club members, we also had trainers from the District 3190 to train all members of the club to help build a Vibrant Club for the future. The session was headed by PP Rtn. Satish Madhavan, Rtn. Suresh Warriar and PP Rtn. Uday Bhaskar and PP Rtn. Radhakrishna - who presented the Basics of Rotary, the building blocks of a Vibrant club, the vision, relationships and project management pertaining to the clubs success. It was a much applauded session and we are sure it had an impact on our member Rotarains and Rotaractors who attended.

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THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of world citizenship and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- FIRST** The development of an acquaintance as an opportunity of service.
- SECOND** High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society.
- THIRD** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life.
- FOURTH** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

our core values

- Integrity
- Leadership
- Fellowship
- Service
- Rotary

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Suresh Warriar

The signature Service project of the club for the year 2019-20 namely, the Rejuvenation of the Koira lake at the foothills of Nandi, Arkavathy catchment area in Devanahalli, despite the times and lockdown, with the unrelenting support of the RCC the project remained active and plenty of development work took place. 3 sides ring bund has been formed, de-silting work is taking place along with work on feeder channels

We were also fortunate to have various visitors from several cubs from the district on the 366th day of the year to plant 100 saplings in the area that was reserved for afforestation.

It's been hearting to see the progress, support and inspiration this project has received. That said the journey is going to be long and we will continue to need support. The club appeals to all the members raise funds to continue and support the future of this project and the sustainability of our ecosystem and for providing clean water to the community.





Rotary's first-ever virtual convention attracted more than 60,000 registrants and 175,000 viewers during its weeklong program. The robust participation showed that Rotary members are finding ways to experience fellowship and fun, key parts of Rotary's annual international convention, despite the COVID-19 pandemic that forced the cancellation of the in-person convention planned for Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, this year.

RI President Mark Daniel Maloney acknowledged that canceling the convention in Honolulu was a difficult decision but said he was inspired by how members worldwide have stayed connected, adapted to their changing circumstances, and helped those in need during the crisis. We all have a better understanding of growing Rotary by extending our reach beyond regular meetings.

In a reflection of that fact that the environment is increasingly important cause to Rotary's members, just after the convention, Rotary announced that it had adopted supporting the environment as one of its areas of focus.

Thanksgiving

26th June, 2020

Endings are always a time for gratitude. After year filled with activities, fun & frolic, it was time to reflect on the year gone by. Though the times did not allow us to meet in person, we ventured on virtually.

Members of the club shared their experiences, followed by recapping the events of the year gone by. This was followed by messages from our Assistant Governor Rtn. Raguram, The District Secretary Rtn. Harshavardhan and District Secretary General Rtn. Vijay Tadimalla. The President Rtn. Sanjay Krishna rendered a heartfelt and moving Thanksgiving message encapsulating the memories of the year gone by. The night ended with our DG Rtn. Dr. Sameer Hariani saying a few words, appreciating the clubs growth, our members and their involvement with the District and the projects undertaken at the club level.

The year began with the President in his acceptance speech, who said "Start by doing what's necessary; then do what's possible; and suddenly you are doing the impossible." We can indisputably can say we lived up to that.

Total Contributions made by the club in the RY2019-20: **\$25,685**
72 Donors, Annual fund: \$21,471, PolioPlus Fund: \$4,213

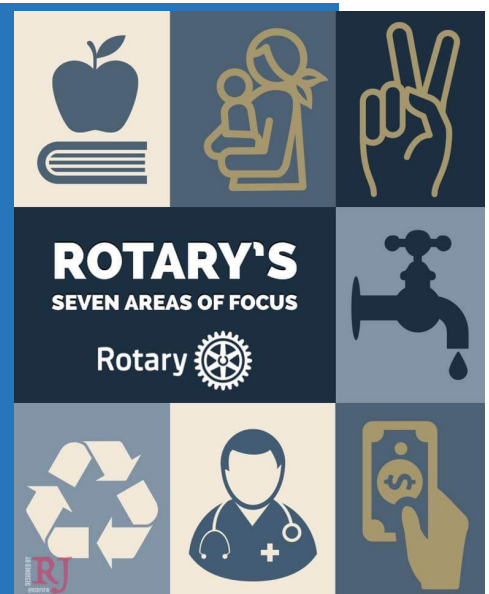
Birthdays & Anniversaries in June

- June 1st - Harikrishna's Birthday
- June 7th - Lakshmi Dev Prakash's Birthday & Vijay Kumar Pathi's Birthday
- June 8th - Raghuveer's anniversary
- June 14th - Dr. Priya & Dr. Ajay's Wedding Anniversary
- June 19th - Sanjay Krishna & Ashwini's Wedding Anniversary & Sameer Siddanti's Wedding Anniversary
- June 20th - Rtr. Vijaykumar's Birthday
- June 22nd - Girish Babu & Ramya's Wedding Anniversary
- June 23rd - Rajesh Ghashi's Birthday & Dr. H. Viswanath's Birthday
- June 27th - Eswaran & Lalitha's Wedding Anniversary

FACTS ABOUT ROTARY

Supporting the environment becomes Rotary's seventh area of focus, which are categories of service activities supported by global grants. It joins peacebuilding and conflict prevention; disease prevention and treatment; water, sanitation, and hygiene; maternal and child health; basic education and literacy; and community economic development.

More than \$18 million in Foundation global grant funding has been allocated to environment-related projects over the past five years. Creating a distinct area of focus to support the environment will give Rotary members even more ways to bring about positive change in the world and increase our impact.



From the Editors Desk

June being the last month of the Rotary year, we notice the process of handing over the baton to the incoming leaders. The year 2020-21 ended ceremoniously by the record contribution of over \$25K and a massive Joint Community Service project by the Dazzler Presidents and this is historic !!!

Kudos to the Rtn. Sanjay and his team. I wish all the best to the incoming President Rtn. Bharat and his team.

- Rtn. Rajesh Kunder
Bulletin Editor

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