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Newsletter of Rotary Bangalore Peenya

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RI President's Message

People from all over the world have multiple reasons for joining Rotary. Many new Rotarians each year join for the same reason I did — because Rotary is a great way to benefit your career. When I was a new attorney starting out in Alabama, Gay and I became partners in her father's firm. He instilled in us the value of joining Rotary as a way to build relationships and demonstrate to potential clients that we were serious professionals who held firm to values even more robust than what our profession required.

Rotary's commitment to vocational service is built on the highest ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful work, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society. That last point is so important. No matter our profession, we all contribute mightily to the world when we conduct our work with integrity and always adhere to The Four-Way Test.

I have made balancing the demands of Rotary with professional and family commitments one of my priorities as president. No Rotarian should feel pressured to put in more time than a volunteer position should ever demand. This is true for several reasons, one of them being that the work we do in our day jobs is just as important to Rotary as the work we do in the organization. We carry our Rotary values everywhere, and our professional success helps build a case for Rotary every day we go into the office.

This is particularly important in our efforts to reach younger new members. We want to see a Rotary where no one is ever asked to choose between being a good Rotarian and being a good parent, business owner,

manager, or employee. When we ask busy young people to join us, we should not be asking them to give up their time and freedom. We should be rewarding them with an experience that makes everything they already do even more inspiring.



Providing greater balance within Rotary will have another benefit as well: It will create opportunities for other Rotarians, including Rotaractors, to step up and take a leadership role on projects and committees. This will ensure that they remain engaged in our clubs and inspired to be Rotarians for life.

Throughout the world, Rotary is admired for its vocational service and for the time-honored values we instill in all business relationships. As we continue our work to grow Rotary, let us remember that vocational service remains a crucial selling point to potential members.

Rotary Connects the World, and by making Rotary's vocational service work known to people in more professions and at different stages of their careers, we will help grow our organization and make it stronger and more diverse.

Yours in Service,
Mark Daniel Maloney,
Rotary International President

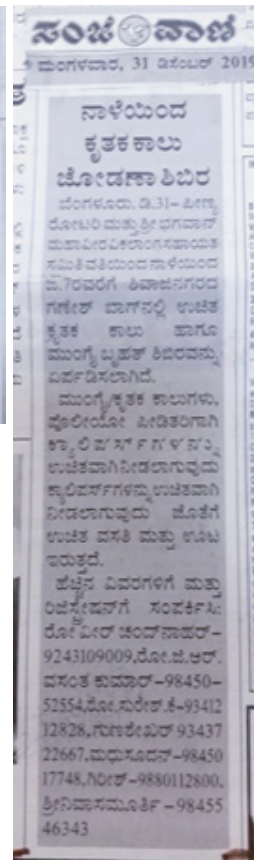
EVENTS HELD IN JANUARY

The year began with the signature project of Rotary Bangalore Peenya – ‘Annual Jaipur Limb Camp’ which is the most satisfying and noble project wherein the artificial limbs for the amputees ,calipers for the polio affected and wheel chairs and crutches for the underprivileged needy are given along with boarding and lodging at free of cost. This year our Annual Jaipur Limb Camp was held from 1st to 7th January 2020 at Ganesh Bagh, Infantry Road . Rtn.Virchand Nahar Chairman of the camp under the guidance of Rtn.Gautham chand Nahar did an excellent work.



Inauguration of the camp was done on 1st January by our District Governor, Rtn.Dr.Sameer Hariani, Mr. Prabhakaran, CSR Head of L&T Technology Service Ltd and Rtn.Dr.K.R.Venugopal, Vice chancellor of Bangalore University in the divine presence of His Holiness Sri. Vinay Guruji. Sri Vinay Guruji blessed RBP for commencing a new year with such a humanitarian project. District Governor appreciated Rotary Bangalore Peenya’s commitment to this project since 23 years and congratulated the club for restoring the limbs for more than 40,000 people till date .Mr.Prabhakaran assured all the support from his end for such a noble cause. The dignitaries were shown the procedures of the camp by committed group of technicians from Jaipur.

As a part of the publicity of the camp Rtn.Vasanth Kumar gave an interview on FM 92.7 giving the details . Publicity of the project was shared in various social media also in various newspapers such as Deccan Herald, Prajavani, Udayavani & Vijayakarnataka and many other.



2nd January 2020 Blood donation camp was held in association with Nahar Seva Sangh, which was coordinated by Rtn.Gautham Chand Nahar. Many youths donated the blood.

Companies like MCKS Food For Hungry Foundation, ITC Ltd, L & T Technology Services, Jindal Alluminium Ltd, General Insurance Corporation Of India, Bill Forge Pvt LTD, SBI Life Insurance, Jagate Industries, Uniq

Detective & Security Services Pvt Ltd, Aditi Fashions have generously contributed for the project. Several dignitaries from these companies visited the camp and appreciated the dedicated work which is being carried year on year by RBP.

As a part of the vocational service, a team from the National Career Service Centre for differently abled under the Ministry of Labour and Employment were registering the disabled for employment according to their education, skill and ability to work. In addition to their limbs, their livelihood was also restored. In this camp out of 111 candidates participated 30 are undergoing training, 60 got placement orders and 21 are registered under self employment.

On the valedictory function Mr. Radhakrishna, MD of GIC was the chief guest. Mrs. Saraswathi, IAS Officer, was also present. He assured their support for such a humanitarian service. Tokens of reward were distributed to all the technicians from Jaipur BMVSS and all the volunteers for their dedicated support.



The camp ended with benefiting 2310 needy people from all over South India. 50 Prosthetic hands for amputees were given from LN 4 Prosthetic Hands Association. Thanks to Rtn. Mohan Kumar for his support. Our gratitude to the wholehearted effort from the chairman, Peenyans, Ann's and Annets who devoted their precious time to ensure there was smooth execution.

Special Thanks to our Rtn. Savitha Suresh for getting a major sponsorship from MCKS Foundation.

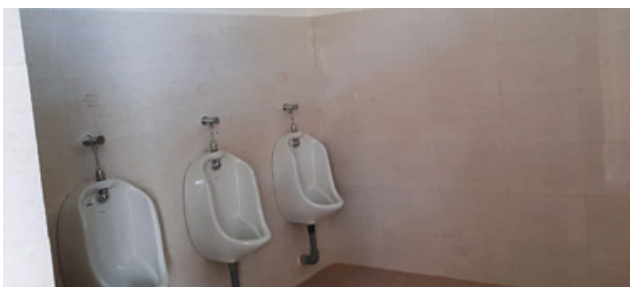
Rtn. Panchapakesan, CP Rtn. Mallappa, Rtn. Kumkum Bhuwania, Our Inner Wheel members, Rtn. Suresh Patel from Rotary Indiranagar and Velu Chandrashekar for their generous contributions towards this project.

We are grateful for all the donors, volunteers, technicians from Jaipur, Peenyans, Ann's & Annets for a successful camp. Dedication from Rtn. Virchand's staff - GRVPK, Meditators from Sidha Samadhi Yoga, RSVK was much appreciable. Congratulations to Rtn. Gunashekar, Community service chairman.



Bangalore University Development Awareness walk was organized on 11th Jan 2020 in association with Rotary Highgrounds. More than 10 clubs participated in the walk. DCM Dr.Ashwathnarayan was the chief guest of the event. He was appraised of the plans for the tree plantation in the campus, followed by a sumptuous breakfast.

GLOBAL GRANTS



Inauguration of newly built Toilet blocks and wash areas under the Global Grant in Maragowdanahalli Govt. School, Mandya was held on 13th Jan 2020.

Pulse Polio Awareness

As a part of district polio immunization program, Rotary Bangalore Peenya arranged Pulse Polio Awareness camp on 19th Jan in Subramanyanagar and Mahalakshmi layout. Prior announcements regarding the camp was done by auto and banners were displayed. Totally 66 booths were managed and 9005 children were immunized. Thanks to NID chairman Rtn.Dr.Narendraprasad for his contribution in immunizing more than 95% children in the designated polio centres.



Club assembly was conducted on 22nd Jan 2020 to discuss about the presentation of our DGE Rtn.Nagendra Prasad in the District conference to be held on 1st and 2nd of Feb. Members decided to be present in Traditional ethnic wear of Dhoti Shalya and Saree.

WINS, MHM and RYLA

On 27th Jan 2020, WINS, MHM and RYLA were conducted in Govt. High Schools at Thimmasandra, Akkirampura, Holavanahalli and Duddanahalli. Students were explained about the awareness related to their Dental hygiene. Overall 1,150 students were made aware about the Hygienic hand wash and 350 girls were educated about Menstrual Hygiene. Thanks to all the Rotarians who actively participated and supported in this cause.



Birthdays & Anniversaries

1 st Feb.	Anniv. - Rtn. Nagendra Prasad & Ann. Meera N Prasad
2 nd Feb.	B'day - Ann. Shalini K G , W/o. Rtn. Ashok
3 rd Feb.	Anniv' - Rtn. Suresh K & Ann. Sunitha
5 th Feb.	B'day - Annet Bellishree D/o. Rtn. Ashok
6 th Feb.	B'day - Rtn. Rudraiah S
7 th Feb.	Anniv. - Rtn. Narasimhan & Ann. Vijaya N
9 th Feb.	B'day - Rtn. Kum Kum Bhuwania
9 th Feb.	Anniv. - Rtn. Pradeep K & Ann. Keerthi
12 th Feb.	B'day - Ann. Sujatha J B W/o. Rtn. Basavaraju H D
15 th Feb.	Anniv. - Rtn. Gauthamchand Nahar & Ann. Sushila
16 th Feb.	Anniv. - Rtn. Manju Bhansal & Ann. Indraneel Sen
18 th Feb.	B'day - Ann. Keerthi W/o. Rtn. Pradeep K
21 st Feb.	B'day - Ann. Vijaya N W/o. Narasimhan A
23 rd Feb.	B'day - Ann. Pramila W/o. M.S.Mallappa
24 th Feb.	Anniv. - Rtn. Meenakshi Dube & Ann. Narendra Mohan Dube
25 th Feb.	Anniv' - Rtn. Ashok.H.L & Ann. Shalini
29 th Feb.	Anniv. - Rtn. Jagadeesh Kumar & Ann. Chandrika Jagadeesh

23rd Annual MEGA LIMB CAMP

REPORT FINAL



LN4 : 50



LIMBS : 612



CRUTCHES : 730



WHEELCHAIR : 58



CALIPERS : 860

GRAND TOTAL 2310



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