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PROGRAMME

Presentation by Rotary Friendship Exchange team
to Rotary Ahmedabad Metro, RI District 3054

PP Rtn. Dr Rita Kalra, Rtn. Dr. Sanjay Kalra, PE Rtn. Sanjay Bhatia, Rtn. Ritu Bhatia, Secretary Rtn. Nitin Kapur, R'ann Shivani Kapur, PP Rtn. Prem Anand, R'ann Indu Anand, Rtn. Pradeep Sisodia and R'ann Nandita Sisodia

Date : November 01, 2019 (Friday)

Time : 6.30 p.m.

Venue: Hotel Shivalikview
Sector 17, Chandigarh

World Polio Day – 24 October 2019

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दैनिक भास्कर, चंडीगढ़, बुधवार 25 अक्टूबर 2019

वर्ल्ड पोलियो डे: कार-बाइक रैली निकालकर दिया पोलियो से मुक्ति का संदेश

आईओसीएल के डीजीएम सचिन शर्मा और दैनिक भास्कर के स्टेट एडिटर दीपक धीमान ने रोटररी इंटरनेशनल की रैली को दिखाई हरी झंडी, अवेयरनेस के लिए फ्लैग मॉब भी होगा

विशेष रिपोर्टर | चंडीगढ़

2018 में आए

वीरवार को वर्ल्ड पोलियो डे मनाया गया। इस मौके पर रोटररी इंटरनेशनल की ओर से कार-बाइक रैली का आयोजन किया गया। रैली को आईओसीएल के डीजीएम सचिन शर्मा और दैनिक भास्कर के स्टेट एडिटर दीपक धीमान ने हरी झंडी दिखाकर खाना किया। कार-बाइक रैली सुखना आर्टो मोबाइल सेक्टर-28 के पेट्रोल पंप से मध्य मार्ग, मटका चौक से होते हुए हरिटेज लेन कैपिटल कॉम्प्लेक्स तक हुई। इस आयोजन में दैनिक भास्कर सहयोगी पार्टनर रहा। रोटररी इंटरनेशनल इस तरह के आयोजन तीन दशक से कर रहा है।

33 केस। रोटररी इंटरनेशनल का कहना है कि 1988 में 3.50 लाख केस 125 देशों में पाए गए। 2018 में 33 केस आए हैं। रोटररी हर साल 50 मिलियन यूएस डॉलर इस तरह की बीमारियों को रोकने के लिए डोनेट करता है। रोटररी इन देशों में फंडिंग करती है जो पोलियो मुक्त हो चुके हैं। रोटररी पब्लिक इमेज केन, बिस्टर, फ्लैग मॉब एक्टिविटी भी करवाया।



World Polio Day Car Rally was organized by Rotary Chandigarh Midtown, The rally was covered live on facebook for which the link is <https://www.facebook.com/groups/rotarychdmidtown/permalink/1246992488835829/>. President Rtn. Salil Dev Singh Bali stated that the purpose of this rally is to convey to the general public that India is polio free and we will not let polio come back. However, two countries are still a threat to our goal of polio free world and people need to be sensitized for this cause to make world polio free.

The Rally was flagged off by IOCL DGM Sachin Sharma and Dainik Bhaskar State Editor Deepak Dhiman from Sector 28, Chandigarh Sukhna Automobiles, going through Madhya Marg to Capitol complex. Large number of Rotarians, Rotaractors, Interactors and Inner Wheel members participated in this event. The end polio message was given by school children through street play, release of sky lanterns and candle illumination to ensure Rotary's commitment towards polio free world.



The event was covered live by Radio Mirchi 98.3 FM by RJ Anmol. Producer Mudit Sharma also joined us.

Diwali Celebrations



After National Anthem led by R'ann Asha Gupta and R'ann Purnima Sood, Sergeant-at-Arms PP Dr. V.J.S. Vohra handed over the meeting to President Salil Dev Bali, who invited PP Indrajeet Sengupta to open up the meeting. He said in this diwali celebration we are reconnecting with ex-Rotarians of our Club. He was pleased to acknowledge the presence of Justice (Retd.) T.S. Doabia, Past President of our Club in 1986-87, Pritpal Singh Sawhney, B.S. Grewal, PP Capt. M.S. Kahlon, L.B. Gupta and Rehka Sawhney. President Salil Dev Singh Bali was

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overwhelmed and welcomed them to celebrate diwali with us. The idea is to reconnect with more members who have left the club, and bring them back. The President thanked R'ann Malabika and PP Indrajeet Sengupta for the wonderful arrangements made by them in their residence for accommodating a record gathering of 120 from the Rotary family of Chandigarh Midtown.

The cultural programme was very well anchored by Rtn. Dr. Sanjay Kalra. We were also joined by Associate Programming Head of Radio Nasha from Mumbai Mr. Shirish Kumar, son of Rtn. Dr. Upendra Kumar. Shirish, who was earlier a well known RJ, gave a brief performance, mimicking Amitabh Bachhan to introduce his father, who gave us some medicine of laughter. There was dandiya dance performed by RFE team who had recently been to Ahmedabad. The dance on 'Kajra re.....' by First Lady R'ann Parul and President Salil Bali was a rocking performance, after which the dance floor was invaded by all present as various hit songs were played by the DJ. Dinner was served to all present.

The celebration was full of fun, frolic, laughter and joy with music, dance, songs, tambola and jokes which was streamed live by Editor PP Dr. V.J.S. Vohra on facebook <https://www.facebook.com/drvjs.vohra/videos/10215188813698665/>. In addition to this, he also uploaded another video on the facebook which includes the photographs <https://www.facebook.com/drvjs.vohra/videos/10215196811658609/>.



Puja by First Lady R'ann Parul and President Salil Bali with other Rotarians and Anns



Address by Justice T.S. Doabia



Song by PP Indrajeet Sengupta and Malabika



Song by Anchor Rtn. Dr. Sanjay Kalra



Shirish Kumar of Radio Nasha, Mumbai



Sons of President Salil. Lakshya with his Mom and Jaiveer assisting the Editor with camera



Kajra re..... by First Lady R'ann Parul and President Salil Bali



Justice T.S. Doabia with PDG Yoginder Diwan PDG Shaju Peter, PP Dr. Balram Gupta and PP Dr. Kesho Ram Gupta



Enjoying the celebrations



L-R: IPP Ashok Puri, PDG Shaju Peter, President Salil Bali, PP Ritu Singal, PP Capt. M.S. Kahlon and PP R.K. Luther



Enjoying the celebrations



Celebrations with music and dance



PP Prem Anand, PP Deepak Sood, PP Harish Sethi and R'ann Manjit Sethi enjoying the celebrations



Ramayan quiz by Rtn. Dr. Indu Luthra, with Ita, d/o PP Dr. V.J.S. Vohra



Song by Rekha Sawhney and R'ann Indu Anand



Song by R'ann Asha Vats and Rtn. Subhash Vats



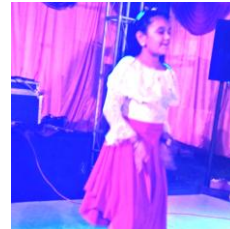
Poem by R'ann Maniki Deep



Immediate Past AG PP Ritu Singal and current AG PP Pallav Mukherjee



Jokes by Rtn. Dr. Upendra Kumar



Dance by Shabad Roop d/o Rtn. Kulbir Bhatia



Anushka, Ananya, Shaina, Suhani and Rtn. Dr. Indu Luthra enjoying the celebrations



Dandiya by RFE members



PP Dr. Rita Kalra, Dr. Sanjay Kalra and President Salil with Shirish of Radio Nasha



Cheers! (L-R:) PP Dr. V.J.S. Vohra doing live streaming on facebook, Rtn. Kulbir Bhatia, Rtn. Surjit Kumar, Secretary Nitin Kapur, President Salil Bali, AG PP Pallav Mukherjee, Rtn. Pradeep Sisodia, Rtn. J.S. Bawa, Rtn. R.S. Sihota, PP Amarjit Singh, Rtn. Subhash Jindal and PP Vinod Jawa

Our Club connects with the High Court



Our Club formed a new unique All Lawyers **Rotaract Club of Legal Eagles** in the Punjab and Haryana High Court, Chandigarh on 23.10.2019. In addition to President Salil Dev Bali, others present from our Club were PP Dr. V.J.S. Vohra, Secretary Nitin Kapur, PE Sanjay Bhatia, Director Youth Service Rtn. Renu Chopra, Rtn. Subhash Jindal and Rtn. Pradeep Sisodia.

Rotary Foundation Seminar

On Sunday, 17th November 2019 at Hotel Hyatt Regency, Chandigarh. Hosts: Rotary Club Himalayan Ranges Mansa Devi.

Registration: Single - Rs.1200 and Couple: Rs.2200.

Chief Guest: PRIP Rtn. Kalyan Banerjee

Members contributing US\$ 1000 or more will get special recognition and free registration.

Condolences

Our heartfelt condolences to Rtn. Ravinder Jain on the sad demise of his mother. May the departed soul rest in peace and may God give strength to the bereaved family to bear this irreparable loss.

Congratulations to Rtn. Dev Jeet Singh



Presented award by first Michelin Star Indian Chef Vikas Khanna, for Best Hotel Management Institute from Leading Luxury Magazine Flavours

The Chief Guest was the Hon'ble President of Punjab and Haryana High Court Bar Association Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa who assured to support the objectives and projects of Rotary in full spirit. Guest of Honour Secretary Bar Association Mr. Rohit congratulated the new Rotaractors of Legal Eagles.

The young lawyers were happy to be part of Rotary, which is founded by a lawyer, Paul Harris. President Salil Dev Bali, a well known lawyer of the High Court, inspired the young lawyers to become Rotaractors. The lawyers above the age of 30 years are also welcome to join our Club as Rotarians!

At Allahabad on 23.10.2019

Rtn. Salil Chopra gave presentation on save environment and ethical values to 200 students at Radha Raman College Paryag in presence of 12 teachers, 6 Rotarians and President Maheshwari of Rotary Club Allahabad Midtown

Acknowledgement with thanks

Fellowship on 25th October 2019

President Rtn. Salil Bali
PP Rtn. Deepak Sood
Rtn. Dev Jeet Singh
Rtn. Jeeten Bhambri

Birthday and wedding anniversary gifts of previous 2 weeks will also be presented

Birthday of Rotarians

Rtn. Prof. Dr. I.S. Dua November 02
Rtn. Dr. Harinder Jit Kaur November 04
Rtn. Shree Bhagwan Jindal November 05
Rtn. Srirambir Sandhu November 07

Wedding Anniversary

R'ann Aruna & Rtn. Ashok Agarwal November 01
Punctuality Award PP Rtn. Dr. Balram Gupta

PP Rtn. Er. R. K. Luther

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