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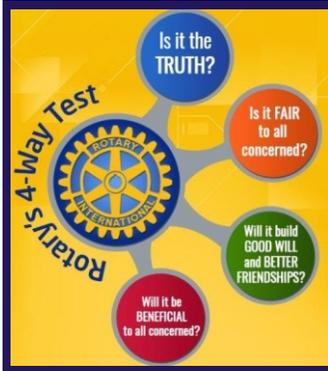
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## Water Wastage & Pollution Humanity's Greatest Loss

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WATER WASTAGE &  
POLLUTION  
HUMANITY'S GREATEST LOSS  
BY PROF. AD AHLUWALIA

DATE : 27TH MARCH 2026  
TIME : 6:30 PM ONWARDS  
VENUE : HOTEL SHIVALIKVIEW  
SECTOR 17, CHANDIGARH

MEETING FOLLOWED BY FELLOWSHIP

## DRINK PROBIOTIC BUTTERMILK LIVE HEALTHY & BUTTERMILK CEREMONY - PROF DR. SWARANJIT SINGH

The Rotary Peace Summit held at Plaksha University, Mohali on 21st March 2026 was a dignified and inspiring gathering that brought together thought leaders, educators, and Rotarians committed to fostering harmony in an increasingly complex world. The serene and intellectually vibrant setting of the university provided the perfect backdrop for meaningful dialogue on peace and coexistence.

The proceedings commenced with an address by District Peace Chair Rtn. AP Singh Dhiman, who set the tone for the summit with his insightful opening remarks. He highlighted the urgent need for peace-building initiatives in today's fragmented global landscape and emphasized Rotary's pivotal role in nurturing dialogue and understanding at the grassroots level.

Prof. Rudra Pratap, Vice Chancellor and Guest of Honour, delivered a compelling address underscoring the transformative power of education in promoting peace. Reflecting on ongoing global conflicts in regions such as Iran, Israel, Ukraine, and Russia, he spoke about how these disturbances are not isolated events but have far-reaching consequences that impact economies, societies, and individual lives across the world. His words reinforced the idea that education must go beyond academics to instill values of empathy, tolerance, and global citizenship.

The keynote address by Mr. Sarvesh Kaushal on "The Civilisational Ray of Peace in the Cacophony of Conflict" was deeply thought-provoking. He eloquently articulated how, despite the noise of discord and division, the essence of peace continues to shine through human civilization. His address urged the audience to rediscover and uphold these enduring values in their personal and collective journeys.

DGE Dr. Rita Kalra, Guest of Honour, addressed a contemporary concern in her talk titled "Behaviour Crisis in Times of Algorithms." She highlighted the growing influence of technology on human behaviour and called upon Rotarians to strike a balance between digital advancement and human sensitivity. Her message served as a reminder that while technology evolves rapidly, the core values of compassion and ethical conduct must remain constant.

Adding a visual and emotional dimension to the summit, Prof. Aditya Malik presented evocative images of Mahatma Gandhi, rekindling the timeless relevance of Gandhiji's philosophy of non-violence and truth.

This event was Co Hosted by Rotary Peace Builder Clubs : Chandigarh, Chandigarh Midtown, Chandigarh Shivalik, Chandigarh Uptown, Chandigarh Central, Chandigarh Classic & Chandigarh Tricity. The summit concluded on a note of gratitude and renewed commitment, leaving participants enriched, reflective, and motivated. It stood as a powerful testament to Rotary's vision of building a more peaceful and harmonious world through dialogue, education, and collective action.





## WEEK GONE BY

### TUBELIGHTS & LED'S DISTRIBUTION UNDER "HAR BACCHE KA ADHIKAR – SWACHH PANI, PAWAN AUR PRAKASH"



Under the District Project "Swachh Pani, Pawan aur Prakash", Rotary Chandigarh Midtown Club took another meaningful step towards improving basic infrastructure in schools. A total of 14 tube lights and 5 LED bulbs were successfully handed over to Government Sanskriti Model Primary School, Fatehpur, ensuring brighter and more conducive learning spaces for young students.

The event was graced by the esteemed presence of President Rtn. J. S. Bawa, along with Rtn. Salil Chopra and PE Rtn. Renu Chopra, whose support and encouragement added great value to the initiative. The school staff also actively participated, expressing their gratitude for this thoughtful contribution that will significantly enhance the classroom environment.

Access to proper lighting plays a crucial role in creating a positive and effective learning atmosphere. This initiative reflects Rotary's commitment to supporting education and community welfare through sustainable and impactful actions.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to all members and dignitaries who took time out of their busy schedules to be present and contribute to the success of this project. Together, we continue to light the path towards a brighter future for our children and community.

### CELEBRATED NIKSHAY DIWAS ON WORLD TB DAY

On the occasion of World TB Day, Rotary Chandigarh Midtown Club organized a meaningful Nikshay Diwas project at the Civil Dispensary, Sector 16, Panchkula, reinforcing our commitment towards community health and well-being. The initiative was conducted in the gracious presence of the SMO and the dedicated staff of the dispensary.

As part of the project, nutritional support was provided to 50 tuberculosis patients. Out of these, 20 patients personally visited the dispensary to collect their nutrient kits, while the remaining 30 kits were handed over to the hospital staff for further distribution. This effort aimed to ensure that patients undergoing TB treatment receive adequate nutrition, which plays a crucial role in their recovery and overall health.

During the event, Rtn. Salil Chopra guided the patients on the correct consumption of these nutritional supplements and emphasized their importance in strengthening immunity and supporting faster recovery.

Our heartfelt gratitude to President Rtn. J.S. Bawa, Rtn. Salil Chopra, Director Community Services Rtn. Suresh Dhawan, and President Elect Rtn. Renu Chopra for their valuable presence and support. Their encouragement and active participation made this initiative impactful and successful, reflecting Rotary's unwavering dedication to service above self.



## MOTHER & CHILD HEALTHCARE CAMP - MALOYA

The Rotary Chandigarh Midtown Club successfully organized a Mother and Child Health Care Camp on 21st March 2026 at the Maloya Community Centre, reinforcing its commitment to community welfare and preventive healthcare.

This meaningful initiative was generously sponsored by PDG Yoginder Diwan and Rtn. Kanan Diwan, whose continued support plays a vital role in driving impactful service projects. The camp witnessed an encouraging turnout, with approximately 150 women and children benefiting from the services provided.

The medical camp was led by the dedicated team of Dr. Anjali Aggarwal and Dr. Yogesh Aggarwal, who conducted thorough health check-ups, offering valuable medical advice and addressing various health concerns of the beneficiaries. Their compassionate approach ensured that each individual received personal attention and proper guidance.

In addition to medical consultations, essential medicines were distributed to those in need. To further support nutritional well-being, beneficiaries were provided with Nutri Nuggets, chana dal, and biscuits for children, emphasizing the importance of balanced nutrition in maintaining good health, especially among mothers and growing children.

The camp not only focussed on treatment but also aimed at spreading awareness about hygiene, nutrition, and preventive care, thereby empowering the community with knowledge for a healthier future.

Our heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Anjali Aggarwal and Dr. Yogesh Aggarwal for their valuable time and service. A Special thanks to PDG Yoginder Diwan, Rtn. Kanan Diwan, and all associates whose generous contribution and presence made this initiative a great success.

Such initiatives reflect Rotary's unwavering dedication to serving humanity and building healthier communities.



### DISTRIBUTION OF SANITARY PADS - PROJECT SURAKSHA KAWACH

Suraksha Kavach: Breaking Barriers, Empowering Lives

Rotaract Club of UIAMS, in collaboration with Rotaract Club of Midtown Chandigarh and Baaj Foundation, successfully conducted two impactful drives under Suraksha Kavach.

The initiative distributed over 1400 sanitary pads, reaching out to girls and women in need at Neerja Bhanot Girls Hostel, Panjab University, Bal Niketan Society Sec 15, and Govt School Hallomajra.

**Key Highlights:-** 200 girls and ladies sensitized on menstrual hygiene-1400+ sanitary pads distributed, promoting dignity and hygiene-Collaboration with Baaj Foundation and their support in sensitising women.

**Impact:** Suraksha Kavach is empowering women, breaking taboos, and fostering a culture of hygiene and awareness.

Rotaract Club Chandigarh Midtown

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Presents

## Suraksha Kavach

10,000 Sanitary Pads Donation Drive

'Give Pads, Gift Hygiene'



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Monday 24.03.2026 TO 02.04.2026 9:30 AM





## INVITATION FOR REGISTRATION

Dear Rotary Leaders !!

Warm greetings.

It is with immense pride and joy that we extend a heartfelt invitation to you for **PELS–SELS SRIJAN** scheduled for 3rd and 4th April 2026. This flagship leadership conclave of District 3080 is designed to energize, empower, and elevate our incoming teams as they prepare to create lasting impact in Rotary Year 2026–27.

We are deeply honoured that **RI President-Elect OlaYinka** will grace the occasion as Chief Guest bringing his global vision and inspiring presence. We are equally privileged to welcome RID Nagesh as Guest of Honor whose guidance continues to strengthen leadership across our zones. The event will also be blessed by the distinguished presence of PRIP Raja Saboo our Special Guest whose wisdom and legacy remain a beacon for generations of Rotarians.

A galaxy of Rotary celebrity facilitators from across India will join us to mentor, motivate, and mould our incoming leaders. Among them:- **RIDE Gurjeet Sekhon- RRFC Dr. Pramod Kumar- RRMCM Dr. Dushyant Choudhary- PDG Shaju Peter- Webmaster Narendra Rao- RISAOC Coordinator Daman Baweja**

Their collective experience and dynamic engagement will enrich our participants, helping them integrate Rotary values, innovate with confidence, and inspire their teams for an impactful year ahead.

Registration Details President/Secretary Elects

-PE/ SE : Rs 0.00

-PE/SE couple(with Stay):Rs 6500RI / District / Zonal Officers

-Single(Stay TwinSharing): 6500-Single(Stay No Sharing): 12000-Single (without Stay) : Rs 4000

-Couple (without Stay) : Rs 7500

-Couple: (with Stay) Rs 12000

Registration Includes Access To:- **General Sessions - Breakout Sessions - IT Lab - Grant Seminar 1.0- Inaugural Ceremony - High Teas - Luncheons - Gala Dinner & Cultural Evening - House of Friendship - The Rotary Foundation Lounge**

Important Note : Registration does not include the official blazer. Payment for the blazer must be deposited separately in the designated account mentioned in the poster or through the QR code circulated.

Your presence will add immense value to this celebration of leadership, learning, and legacy. Rtn. Dr Sanjay Kalra & DGE Rtn. Dr. Rita Kalra in welcoming you and sharing two days of meaningful dialogue, fellowship, and vision-building.

With warm regards,

Rtn. Dr Rita Kalra - DG 2026-27 (RID 3080)

**REGISTRATION & PAYMENT LINK** - <https://zfrmz.com/9uSOnIM3vo8mB26wnzt8>

## APPEAL FOR CONTRIBUTION TOWARDS GLOBAL GRANT SUVIDHA GG2463569

Dear Members, We are pleased to share that our club's Rotary Global Grant Suvidha project, with a total outlay of \$36,800, has been approved.

The project will provide essential facilities in the focus areas of Water & Sanitation and Basic Education & Literacy for Government schools in nearby villages around Chandigarh.

To move forward, our club is required to contribute \$12,600 as our share of the grant. All contributions may please be drawn in favour of Rotary Foundation India. The current Rotary Dollar Rate is Rs. 92/-I sincerely request each member to generously contribute towards this amount. Your support will directly help create safe sanitation, clean water access, and improved learning facilities for children in need.

Let us come together to make this meaningful project a reality.

Warm Regards,

Jagvinder S. Bawa, President

-Kulvinder S. Chhatwal, Secretary

-Amarjit Singh, Director International Service

Thank you **Rtn. Kanan Diwan** for your generous contribution of \$400

Thank you **Rtn. Vinay Aggarwal** for your generous contribution of \$500 (INR 46,000)

Thank you **Rtn. Indu Luthra** for your generous contribution of \$500 (INR 46,000)

to the Rotary Foundation (India) towards the club's share for Global Grant GG-2463569 (Suvidha).

Your support plays an important role in helping us move this project forward and make a meaningful impact in the community. We truly appreciate your commitment to Rotary's mission of service and positive change. Our Gratitude for your kindness and continued support.





In Our Hearts Forever



10 January 1935 - 26 March 2026

### Lt. Cdr Amarjit Singh Nagra

A loving husband, father and grandfather, passed away at 91, leaving behind a legacy of character and strength. He will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Cremation

March 27, 2026 at 12:30PM  
Electric Crematorium  
Sector 25, Chandigarh

In grief:

Mrs Nirmal Nagra

Mrs Preeti Nagra Randhawa & Mr Navjot Pal Singh Randhawa  
Capt. (Mrs) Guppaji Nagra Brar & Capt. Jugwinder Singh Brar  
Ibadat, Aaftab, Shahamir, Shaiza, Drishtana

Dear Rotary Midtown Family,

I am sharing a very sad news that our very dear and loveable Cdr Amarjit Singh Nagra a past Rotarian of our Club is no more. He left for his Heavenly Abode on 26th March 2026.

A very big loss for the Family and all his friends.

His last journey would start tomorrow ie Friday, the 27 th, March from his residence, House No1513, Sector 36 D, Chandigarh at 12.15 PM . Cremation would take place at the Electric Crematorium at 1.00PM.

May the Departed Soul Rests in Peace and May God Give enough Streanght to the Family to bear this huge Loss.

Om Shanti Shanti Shanti.

### Celebrating Birthday's & Anniversary's

	Birthday - Rotarian
Mar 22	PP Ritu Singal
Mar 24	Rtn. Tej Mohan Singh



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