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## PROGRAMME

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"Leg Attack (Vascular Disorders in General Population & Elderly)"

Guest Speaker : Dr. Ravul Jindal, F.R.C.S.,  
Vascular Surgeon, Fortis Hospital, Mohali

Friday, November 21, 2008

Time: 6.30 PM

Venue: Hotel President, Sector 26, Chandigarh

## The Fancy Dress Competition

So we finally got to see Miss Universe – up real close! Even a galaxy of models fairies, danseuses, and even Santa Claus himself!



*Muskan the Winner in above 8 years category receiving the award from PP Mohan Khera*

But the Mosquito Bomber had the Judges confused as to who was it that had disguised herself as a Mosquito, carrying the dreaded Dengue virus? Okay, so you think you aren't fancy

enough for a competition? Think again – there's someone out there who fancies you, whatever disguise you are in! So you could've walked in & won some prizes – 'cos, as some say, winning is everything!

So let's all play our roles of good citizens, besides the whole lot of other important ones, and leave a legacy that our children will respect us for!

Participants in Category Below 8 Years : Anyaa (Fairy) grand d/o of PP Subhash Bindra & Ann Veena, Ria (Choriwali) grand d/o of Rtn. Suraj Handa &



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Ann Kanta, Khushi (Hena Montana) grand d/o Rtn. Dr. (Col.) V.K. Kapoor & Ann Raj, Arihant (Flower) grand s/o Rtn. C.J. Rai & Ann Chanchal, Abadhya (Cinderela) & Nasadiya (Rajasthani) grand children of Rtn. R.K. Luther & Ann Urmil.

Winner : Palvi (Dengue Mosquito) grand d/o Rtn. C.J. Rai & Ann Chanchal.

Participants in Category above 8 years : Saloni (Miss Universe) & Palak (Santa Claus) grand children of Rtn. D.R. Aggarwal & Ann Lalita, Inayat (Mother Teresa) d/o Rtn. Ritu Singal.

Winner : Muskan (Fairy) d/o Rtn. Ashwani Bhateja & Ann Priya

The Competition was judged by Ann Parveen, Ann Ranjana, & ably conducted by PP Ajit Gulati & Ann Bir. Thanks to Rtn. Om Parkash for sponsoring the prizes.



*All the participants for the Fancy Dress Competition*



*The Winners with their Parents, Judges & the President*

# 20 Given Artificial Limbs

In a joint project of Rotary Clubs of Chandigarh Midtown and Wollaton Park of England, artificial limbs and assistive devices were



Pres Saroj, PP Mohan Khera and other Rotarians cement the bond between Chandigarh Midtown & Wollaton Park

distributed to 20 needy persons on 16th Nov. 2008 at Cheshire Home, Sector 21, Chandigarh. Artificial limbs were distributed in the presence of President of Rotary Club Chandigarh Midtown

Rtn. Saroj Jhawar, Past President of Rotary Club Wollaton Park Rtn. Mohan Khera, Cheshire Home Chairman Rtn. Maj. Gen. A.S. Kahlon, PP B.L. Ramsisaria, PP Baldev Agarwal (of Rotary Chandigarh), PP R.S. Chandgothia, Secy. D.R. Agarwal, Rtn. R.S. Sihota, Rtn. Om Parkash, Rtn. Dr. Nitin Mathur, Rtn. Deepak Sood and Rtn. RTPS Tulsii. Artificial limbs were fitted by PP Dr. V.J.S. Vohra, Prosthetic Consultant Nevedac Prosthetic Clinic, who was assisted by his Prosthetist, Dr. Ashwini. Our Office Secy. V.P. Sharma who is also Manager of Cheshire Home, organized the camp in both the capacities!

President Saroj, Rtn. Om Parkash, Rtn. Dr. Nitin Mathur and Ann Priya Bhateja distributed refreshments to the patients. Inmates of



Walking caliper presented by PP Mohan Khera

Cheshire Home served tea to all present.

The project was highly appreciated. President Saroj Jhawar, on behalf our club, gratefully acknowledged the



Rotarians and the beneficiaries



Expression of thanks to PP Dr. V.J.S. Vohra by a inmate of Cheshire Home with left artificial hand



Inmates of Cheshire Home were also given artificial limbs and assistive devices

PP Rtn. T.S. Anand

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Hanuman is happy to get a tricycle



Haiyavoo is pleased to walk with artificial leg



3 month old girl Gurvinder with foot deformity fitted with splints and shoes



Dr. Vohra & Dr. Ashwini fit Taylor brace to Ms Mahindroo

contribution from Rotary Club of Wollaton Park. PP Mohan Khera, as in the past years, has been cementing the bond between both the clubs by getting meaningful projects for the benefit of the community. This project was well covered by the Press.

## IPDG Shaju Chairs Session on Literacy at Zone Institute Agra



The two-day annual get together of RI Officers, past, present and future, of Zone 5 and 6A concluded at Hotel Jaypee Palace, Agra on November 16,

2008. At the Regional Rotary Foundation Seminar held on November 14 at the same venue, District Governors who served during 2007-08 were recognized for their outstanding contributions. IPDG Shaju received two major recognitions from International Polio Committee Chair Bob Scott, one for achieving a per capita contribution to TRF above US\$70 and the other for

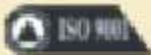
motivating more than 80% of the clubs in 3080 to contribute to TRF last year. The total contribution of US\$ 325,700 earned 3080 the 5th position among the 28 districts in India last year.

Shaju also served as the chair at the break out session on Literacy. Introducing the topic he said, "My only qualification to chair this session is perhaps the fact that I originally hail from the most literate state of India, Kerala, God's own country". He then drew the attention of the audience to the fact that out of the 800 million adult illiterate population of the world, 270 million are from India alone and introduced the initiatives of Rotary in the field of literacy: CLE (Concentrated Language Encounter) and CALS (Computer Assisted Language Solutions). The resource person with him was PDG Rahul Timbadia from 3140 and the panelists were PDG HDS Malhotra, 3010 and PDG Deepak Raizaday from

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3110 where Shaju will represent RI President at their forthcoming District Conference.

Among the dignitaries present at the Institute were RI President D.K. Lee and Young, RI Director Ashok Mahajan and Nayantara, RI Director Michael J. Jones from USA, RI Director Jose Alfredo Sepulveda F and Mary from Mexico, TRF Trustee and RIDE K.R. Ravindran and Vanathy and PRIP Raja Saboo and Usha.

## Drug Awareness Campaign

Under the 'Drug Awareness Campaign' of our club, 2nd interactive session was held on 12.11.08. The Group chosen was class 9 students of Govt. Model School, Sector-16, Chandigarh. Our club was represented by President Saroj Jhawar, Dr. Sudha Jain, Dr. Shashi Jain and Mrs. Ritu Singla.



Rtn. A.K. Sachdeva gets his B'day gift & also bags the Punctuality Award

### Birthday Greetings

Rtn. Santosh Kumar Khaitar.  November 22

Rtn. Sanjay Singhal  November 27

### Punctuality Draw

Won by Rtn. A.K. Sachdeva

Dr. Sudha Jain delivered an interesting talk focussing primarily on Tobacco Addiction, to convey how it quickly takes control of the dependent person. She elaborated on the life-threatening diseases like Hypertension, Coronary Heart Disease, Lung Cancer malignancies & other serious complications. Self-help methods, to get rid of the addiction were suggested. The talk was highly informative for Principal, Teachers, Parents & Students.

## Roster of Members

New Roster of Members is almost ready. To avoid any mistakes or omission, a proof copy of your details is attached herewith. Please go through it thoroughly and thereafter return to the President/Secretary or to our Office Secretary preferably per return so that the corrections or addition, if any, can be incorporated before the Roster finally brought out.



Rtn. D.R. Agarwal & Ann Lalita get their Wedding Anv. gift from PP Mohan Khera

### Wedding Anniversary Greetings

R'ann Neena & Rtn. P.K. Verma November 22

R'ann Gulshan & Surjit Kumar November 24

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