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ROTARY CLUB OF THANE CREEKSIDE NEWSLETTER



IGNITING OUR SPIRIT OF BONDING. **COLLABORATION, AND SERVICE**

Dear Creekside club Members, Greetings!

As we embark on this new chapter of our Rotary journey, I am honored and privileged to serve as your President. I hope this message finds you filled with enthusiasm and the drive to make a lasting impact on our community.

As Rotarians, we share a common vision—to create positive change, foster friendships, and uplift lives. Now, more than ever, our collective effort is crucial in addressing the challenges faced by our society. To achieve remarkable outcomes, we must strengthen our bonds, enhance collaboration, and embark on impactful service projects that leave a lasting legacy.

I believe that the strength of our Rotary club lies in our unity and mutual support. Each one of you brings unique skills, talents, and perspectives that, when combined, create an unstoppable force for good. Together, we can transcend boundaries, empower communities, and make a real difference in the lives of those in need.

Let us embrace this opportunity to foster deeper connections within our club. I encourage you all to engage in open conversations, extend a helping hand, and actively participate in our club activities. By nurturing a culture of respect, understanding, and camaraderie, we will build an inclusive environment that propels us toward even greater accomplishments.

Moreover, collaboration is the key to unlocking the full potential of our club. Let us come together, harness our diverse expertise, and leverage our collective resources to amplify our impact. By sharing ideas, knowledge, and experiences, we can innovate and create sustainable solutions that tackle the most pressing issues of our time.

Finally, I invite you to join me in our shared mission of service. Our Rotary club is committed to making a positive impact on the lives of those in our community and beyond. Let us identify and initiate service projects that align with our passions and address the needs of our community. By serving selflessly and embodying Rotary's ideals, we can create a ripple effect of change that spreads far beyond our immediate surroundings.

Together, we can ignite a spirit of bonding, collaboration, and service that will transform lives and communities. I am confident that, with your unwavering support and dedication, we will achieve remarkable things in the year ahead.

Thank you for your commitment to Rotary and for being an essential part of our incredible club. Let us inspire each other, embrace new possibilities, and write an extraordinary chapter in the history of our club.

Yours in Rotary, Santosh Singh Rawat, Club President



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WILL CREATION AWARENESS SEMINAR ON AUGUST 20, 2023

RCTCS hosted a highly impactful Will creation awareness seminar, at the esteemed Auditorium of Lodha Amara, Kolshet Road. The event garnered significant attention and participation, benefiting over 100 concerned citizens. The seminar aimed to enlighten attendees about the crucial subject of will creation, offering insights into its importance, the process, and related facets.

The seminar featured an enlightening presentation by Speaker Pooja Pachkude, who adeptly communicated the significance of crafting a will, elucidating the intricate steps involved in its creation, and addressing various pertinent aspects. Attendees were provided with comprehensive guidance on drafting a will, ensuring their assets are safeguarded and distributed according to their wishes. The seminar was marked by its informative content and engaging style, which resonated well with the diverse audience.

An interactive question and answer session further enriched the seminar experience, facilitating direct engagement with the subject matter. Participants posed thoughtful queries, which were adeptly addressed by the speaker, enhancing the overall learning atmosphere.

Milind Ballal, the editor of Thane Vaibhav, graced the event as the chief guest, lending it a touch of eminence and credibility. His presence underscored the importance of the topic and its relevance to the community.

Notably, the occasion also witnessed a significant membership induction by the club President, Santosh Rawat, who welcomed two new members into the Rotary family. This dual induction added a sense of renewal and growth to the event, symbolizing the club's commitment to expanding its impact and reach.

The successful execution of the seminar owes much to the meticulous efforts of Vibhavari Mani and Vikrant Dolas, who spearheaded the project, ensuring seamless coordination and implementation.

In conclusion, the Will creation awareness seminar organized by the Rotary Club of Thane Creekside on August 20, 2023, emerged as a pivotal event in promoting knowledge about will creation. With Speaker Pooja Pachkude's insightful presentation, an engaging Q&A session, and the distinguished presence of Milind Ballal, the seminar proved instrumental in equipping citizens with valuable information on securing their legacies. The simultaneous membership induction underscored the club's dedication to growth. The resounding success of the seminar underscores Rotary Club's commitment to community education and empowerment.

Media Coverage

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Honorary Member











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NEWS FROM ROTARY INTERNATIONAL



In Visakhapatnam, along the Bay of Bengal, Rotary members launched an innovative plastics recycling and youth employment project. Participants from the nonprofit India Youth for Society collect plastic bottles from drop-off locations and beaches and process the plastics into small chips that are sold to recyclers. The nonprofit's goal is to make the operation self-supporting. About eight young people were working on-site as the processing plant scaled up production in June, and as many as 25 people eventually could work at the facility. The roughly \$120,000 project is supported in part by a global grant sponsored by the Rotary clubs of Lake District Moinabad, India, and Naperville Sunrise, Illinois, with contributions from other Rotary clubs in the United States and India.

Among its accolades is an award from the American Academy of Environmental Engineers & Scientists. "I wanted to get the academy's feedback and make [the project] more robust using their suggestions," says Prakasam "Prakash" Tata, a retired environmental engineer and a member of the Rotary Club of Naperville, Illinois. "But lo and behold, I heard, 'You won the grand prize."

RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS BY RCTCS

















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OUR DIGITAL PRESENCE

















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BIG miracles happen as a natural consequence of being GRATEFUL for the small ones!!





MEMBER ACHIEVEMENTS

Congratulations to Rtn Dr. Gaurangi Karmarkar for getting media coverage in Thane Vaibhav for her Diabetes reversal work with Ayurvedic Panchakarma

Congratulations to Rtn Adv Alkesh Kadam for being appointed as cooperative cell President for second consecutive year

ANNIVERSARIES

14th July - Rtn Satish Agadi and Rashmi Agadi

BIRTHDAYS

10th July - Vihaan Pandit, Son of Rtn Mandar Pandit

18th July - Anshul Dolas, Son of Rtn Vikrant Dolas

19th July - Mayuk Prasad, Son of Rtn Dwarika Prasad

19th July - Rtn Naresh Sirsilla **27th July** - Shreeyansh Gaikwad, Son of Rtn Sidharath Gaikwad

31st July - Vanshika Patole, Daughter of Rtn Mangesh Patole

31st July - Shivansh Sharma, Son of Rtn Sandeep Sharma

5th Aug - Rtn Santosh Rawat

10th Aug - Anu Sirisilla, Wife of Rtn Naresh Sirisilla 18th Aug - Rtn Rajesh Rathod

20th Aug - Krishna Nikam, Daughter of Rtn Supriya Nikam





