

Rotary Club of Sonarpur

Rotary District: 3291



PRESIDENT: Santanu Ghosh

SECRETARY:Sajal Kumar Dutta



RI PRESIDENT: Kalyan Banerjee

DISTRICT GOVERNORAngshuman Bandopadhyay

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TRIBUTE

Our Tribute to the Great Soul on her 101st Birthday Today

Rotary International Report

Ron D.Burton nominated as President of Rotary International for the year 2013-2014.

Ron D. Burton, a member of the Rotary Club of Norman, Oklahoma, USA, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International in 2013-14. Burton will become the president-nominee on 1 October if there are no challenging candidates.

District Events

Intercity Meet on Membership

ICM on Membership on Saturday, August 27, 2011 at Rotary Sadan, 3.00 pm to 6.00 pm. Please bring all your new members along with the proposers for recognition. Host Club: RC Calcutta West. Co-host clubs: RCs Ballygunge, Garden Reach, New Ballygunge and Sunderban

RIJ

RLI One Day New Members' Orientation Course On 28th August, 2011 at Rotary Sadan from 9.00am to 5.30pm. Registration Charges: Rs 400/- only (includes Breakfast, Lunch, Tea & Course Materials).

SNID

SNID on Sunday, August 28, 2011. Polio IEC materials will be available from August 23, 2011, at 3, Lansdowne Lane (South Calcutta National School, between Lansdowne Market & Hazra Crossing) between 4 pm to 6 pm

RYLA

RYLA, 9th to 11th September, Rotary Prakash Bhavan Invitation for participating in International RYLA from 9th to 11 September, 2011 at Rotary Prakash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata 700064.

Club Report

Aug.20 - Aug.22: Hilsa Utsav at Sankarpur

The members, Annes and their children enjoyed a fabulous weekend at Sankarpur. It was full house in "Jowar" a Department of fisheries hotel, by 8.30pm on 20th August. Club Service Director Rtn Subrata



Das with the assistance from Rtn. Sripati Pradhan arranged for welcome Drink and snacks. Barely an hour later, all of us who reached Sankarpur were at the Conference

Room for the Big Bash. We had dinner at the stroke of the midnight. Early in the morning, after having breakfast a convoy of cars took us to Tajpur. All of us had a dip in the sea, children enjoyed making sand castles munching fruits and drinking green coconut water. To our utter surprise and immense joy Rtn. Sanjib Ray drove all the way from Calcutta to join us in the beach. We drove back to Sankarpur to have the delicious Hilsa lunch that was waiting for us. The evening was no less interesting. Rtn. Rana Safui joined

us at Sankarpur and sponsored a gala m u s i c a l extravaganza. Our own Rtn. Debasis Chakraborty shared the stage with the singers hired from outside. Members and Annes danced



to the tunes of the oldies. We had dinner as late as at 2am next morning. On 22^{nd} August we had to say Good Bye to Sankarpur, but not before having another dip in the sea and having an excellent lunch.

Minutes

Meeting no.1018

Dated 19.08.2011

President called the meeting no. 1018 to order. National Anthem led by Rtn. Pradeep Kr. Chowdhury Minutes of the last meeting confirmed.

Discussions:

- O President informed the club about the Polio Workshop, to be held on 21st August, at Rotary Sadan. RID Sekhar Mehta, Trustee Ashok Mahajan, UNICEF representative Rod Curtis and several others along with District Governor will be among the eminent speakers.
- o President informed the club that District 3291 has taken the initiative to send Relief materials to Pathar Protima, situated in South 24Parganas and requested for participation. The members postponed decision on the matter.
- o President initiated a discussion about the "Hilsa Utsav", Club's fellowship programme, tobe held at Sankarpur, between $20^{\rm th}$ & $22^{\rm nd}$ August.

President handed over the meeting to Director Community Service (Medical) Rtn. Dr. Malay Chatterjee.

- o Rtn. Dr. Malay Chatterjee submitted before the Club his plans for the World Rabbies Day, on 28th September. Members discussed the issue and gave individual opinions for improvement of the programme.
- Rtn. Dr. Malay Chatterjee suggested participating in the SKAW Programme and suggested immediate communication with the concerned club.
- o Rtn. Dr. Malay Chatterjee informed the members that RC Kankurgachi are planning to host a Cultural Programme on 20th September. They are approaching for Co Hosts. The members discussed but postponed decision.

Rtn. Dr. Malay Chatterjee handed over the meeting to President

In the absence of the Secretary, President announced the reciept of club bulletins from Rotary Club of Calcutta Metrocity, Rotary Club of Madhyamgram, Rotary Club of Calcutta Yuvis, Rotary Club of Salt Lake Central and Rotary Club of Kankugachi.

Having no other business the President terminated the meeting.

Members present: 8 Sunshine collected: Rs.160.00

Report on Polio Workshop

Polio Workshop, was held on 21st August, at Rotary Sadan. RID Sekhar Mehta, Trustee Ashok Mahajan, and several others along with District Governor were among the eminent speakers. Representatives from WHO Sri Dipankar Mukherjee, Family Welfare Dept. of Govt. of Paschimbanga Sri Dilip Ghosh and Sri Tapan Mukherjee Kolkata Municipal Corporation and Naser Atique of UNICEF were also present. The keynote point of discussions was "Every Child should be free of Polio"

Club Event

A Joint RWM of the Zone clubs along with Rotary Club of Calcutta Ridge on 13th September, 2011, to be held at Calcutta Club.

Thought of the Day

Let us not be satisfied with just giving money. Money is not enough, money can be got, but they need your hearts to love them. So, spread your love everywhere you go.

Mother Teresa

Four Way Test

Is it the TRUTH?
Is it FAIR to all concerned?
Will it build GOODWILL and better
FRIENSHIP?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?