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OVERNIGHT BEACH HOUSE FELLOWSHIP



The club organized an overnight fellowship at a beach house in Uthandi, on the 9th and 10th of September, 2017. We all assembled by after noon and enjoyed the scenic boating at Muttukadu. Ann Sasi joyfully obliged all of us by singing some listeners choice songs in the evening. Lip-smacking appetizers and dinner was meticulously planned by Prabhakar and Satyanarayanan. The highlight was a

live cocktail counter, making drinks of your choice, which the Anns and Annetts enjoyed.

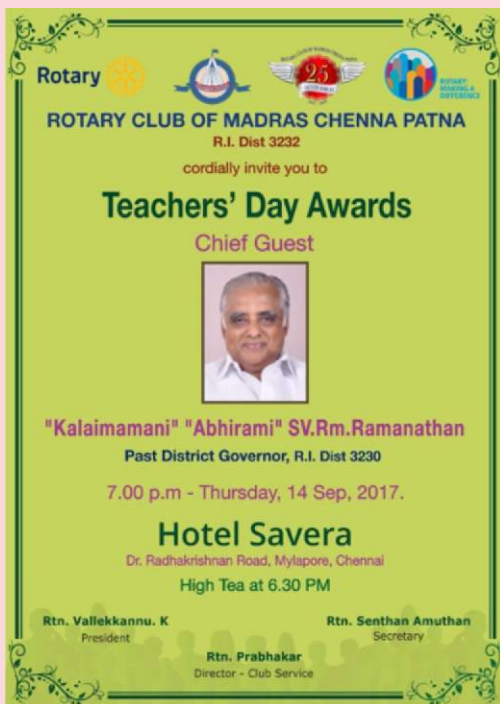
After a good night's sleep, and a great breakfast, everyone was ready for the temple visit, thanking God for all the good times and blessings in our lives. Best friends are those who bring out the best in you. Congratulations to the club service team and Prez. Valle for all the hard work they put in for everybody to enjoy.

Thanks a Ton to Rtn. Rajsekhar and Ann Priya, for, not only providing their wonderful beach house, but, also for being there throughout and ensuring that everything went off smoothly. Hats off !! to this unassuming couple. We are truly gifted to have you with us. May your tribe increase.

- Rtn. Dileep Kumar



The Club meets at Hotel Savera every fortnightly on Thursdays at 7.00 p.m.



VOCATIONAL AWARDS NIGHT

Rotary Club of Madras Chenna Patna gave away three Vocational Awards on 14th September, 2017. The Chief Guest for the evening was PDG. Rtn. 'Kalaimamani' Sv. Rm. Abhirami Ramanathan.

In his indomitable movie style, he narrated the story of how he joined the Rotary movement. The story had humor, suspense, drama, substance and a message. He kept us in rapt attention while he gave us an account of all the projects he is involved in. A statesman, one who thinks of the next generation in his service to society. It was only apt that the awardees who have dedicated their lives to the service of others were recognized in the presence of PDG Ramanathan.

BEST TEACHER AWARD- Mrs. Srilakshmi

Srilakshmi who is a senior teacher at Clarks School for the Deaf, has a diploma in special education, and an inspiring daughter who is also hearing impaired. Srilakshmi has hand-on experience on the problems faced by these children. Srilakshmi trains and encourages children to compete in essay writing and quiz competitions at both National and State level. She has also made several presentations at National and International events. Pattinathars were honoured to recognize her commitment and bestow the Best Teacher award.



SELF SERVICE AWARD- Sister Lalitha Teresa

Sister Lalitha Teresa is a pillar at Jeevodaya, an institution that takes care of cancer patients. A Zoology professor, and retired Principal from a private college in Chalukudy, Kerala. She has been the driving force at Jeevodaya. With work at Nemmalur, a rural extension project, she has received numerous awards for her service to the community. She helps families of these patients to care and cope by empathizing





and providing the support system. We at Chennapatna are proud to confer the Selfless Service award to sister Lalitha.

SELFLESS COUNSELOR AWARD- Sister Terese Martin

Years of service at the convent, gave her the courage to leave her family and follow her passion to be a nurse and take care of terminally ill cancer patients. A practicing nurse since 1973, worked in Trissur before coming to Jeevodaya, Maintaining a fifty bed, spic and span hospice, she has her hands full. She spends a lot of time with the patients healing them with prayers and giving them hope. This experience has helped Sister Terese Martin to handle emergencies swiftly and with ease. For her service and unconditional love for her patients, we are proud to award her the Selfless Counselor award.



COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

Distribution of Plastic Chairs and Wooden Desks

The highlight for the month of September was the community project spearheaded by Rtn. Senthana Amudan and supported by Rtn. Vidya. Three hundred Plastic Chairs and 20 Wooden Tables were donated to 6 Schools. A big thank you to all the members who helped in distributing it to various schools.

The 6 Schools are :

- Perambur Government School
- Clarke School for Hearing & Speech
- Alandur Government School
- Municipal Primary School, East Tambaram
- Municipal Primary School, Kilpauk
- Royal Play School, Kottupuram



BOARD MEETING 12th Sept. 2017

The Board Meeting for the month of August took place on 12th Sept. 2017 at Haddows Club. After the usual Minutes and Accounts, plans for the ensuing meetings and the projects were discussed.



ANNS DAY OUT - ADVENTURE SHOPPING

Rotary is fellowship, fun, adventurous, exciting and interesting. The Anns of our club went on one such fellowship on the 16th of September and it was aptly called "Adventurous Shopping" at sowcarpet. Shopping is cheaper than going to a psychiatrist. It's a contact sport like football. Women enjoy, the noisy crowds, the danger of being trampled and the ecstasy of purchase. Lunch at kakada Ramprasad was sumptuous, and gave us an opportunity to bond together, all sponsored by our president Valle who was celebrating her Wedding Anniversary on the same day.



Shopping was like going to the gym, even though tired, came back feeling good. If shopping is an Art, our Anns are real Artists and we intend to do it again and again.

Ann Gomathi Mohan



Rtn. K. Vallekkannu
President

Rtn. Mohan Sidhan
Immediate Past President

Rtn. Prabhakar. G
President Elect

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Director Community Ser. (Dev.)

Rtn. Udhay Kumar
Director Community Ser. (Health)

Rtn. Mohan Sidhan
Director Youth Service

Rtn. Suriya Baskar
Director Vocational Service

Rtn. Rajiv Reddy
Director International Service

Rtn. Praveen Mehra
Rtn. R. Dileep Kumar
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Ann Priya Rajshekhar
Rtn. Surendra B
Rtn. Dr. Dhanalakshmi K R
Rtn. Prabhakar G
Rtn. Dileep Kumar R
Rtn. Senthnan Amuthan G

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

- 06.10.2017 : **Closed Door Meeting** - Hotel Savera - 7.00 p.m.
- 10.10.2017 : **Board Meeting** - 7.00 p.m. - Rtn. Rajiv Reddy's Office
- 13.10.2017 : **Joint Community Service Project with RC Silver Beach :**
Distribution of Hearing Aids at Singaram Pillai Vidyalaya - 10 a.m.
- 26.10.2017 : **Regular Meeting** - Hotel Savera - 7.00 p.m.
Topic : **Is Safe Investment a Myth?** Speaker : **V. Nagappan**
- 28.10.2017 : **Installation : Interact Club of Swami Dayanand Rotary**
Matriculation School , Kadalur
Training Program for the Teachers of Swami Dayanand Rotary
Matriculation School , Kadalur on the '**ROLE OF A TEACHER**'
Speaker : **Ms. Raji Swaminathan**

SUNSHINE

Ann. Anitha w/o Rtn.DileepKumarR.	Rs. 300
Ann. Seema w/o Rtn. Deepak Pungaliya	Rs. 300
Ann. Gomathi w/o Rtn. Mohan Sidhan	Rs. 500
Rtn. Senthnan Amuthan	Rs. 500
Rtn. Vallekkannu & Ann. Kanna	Rs. 500

BIRTHDAYS

Annette Aarthi D/o.Rtn.Saptagiri R.	6
Rtn. Suryabasker B.	7
Rtn. Arul N.	16
Ann Salaivani W/o.Rtn.Arul N.	16
Ann Sumitra W/o.Rtn. Shankar A.	16
Rtn. Dileep Kumar R.	18
Annette Udhayshankar S/o.Rtn.Surendra B.	23
Ann Usha W/o.Rtn.Surendra B.	24
Ann Rama W/o. Rtn. Rau AVS	24
Rtn. Navin Kumar Maheswari	25
Rtn. Sathya Narayanan	25
Annette Ankit S/o. Rtn. Sathya Narayanan	27
Annette Nivedita D/o.Rtn.Dileep Kumar R.	28
Annette Rithwik S/o.Rtn.Rajshekhar R.	31

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Rtn. Rajiv Reddy S.L. & Ann Anupama	7
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Rtn. Senthnan Amuthan & Ann. Vanitha	Rs.500
Rtn. Surendra & Ann. Usha	Rs.500
Annette Kapil s/o Rtn. Prabhakar	Rs.500
Rtn. Rajshekhar R.	Rs.500

Rtn.Karthikeyan&AnnRevathi	7
Rtn.Ramesh&AnnGandhimathi	8
Rtn.Shankar&AnnSumitra	9
Rtn.Vallekkannu&AnnKanna	16
Rtn. Vidya R	8
Annette Riodhi Maheshwari D/o Rtn. Navin Maheshwari	15
Ann Anusha W/o Rtn. Naren Reddy	19
Ann Anitha W/o.Rtn. Dileep Kumar R.	20
Ann Seema W/o.Rtn. Deepak Pungaliya	20
Ann Gomathi W/o.Rtn.Mohan Sidhan	21
Rtn. Senthnan Amuthan	22
Annette Seshang S/o. Rtn. SPR Ramesh	23
Annette H.Thaman Kumar S/o Harikumar	1
Rtn. Dr. KR Dhanalakshmi	5
Rtn. Raja M. Sriraam	5