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Dear Friends In Rotary,

Happy Ganesh Chaturthi, Happy Navratri and Happy Dussehra to you and your family.

"A stronger membership base will result in strong communities".

August month was designated as Membership growth month. To commemorate the month, two Membership Growth Seminars were organized. One at Aligarh on 13th August 2017 and another at Kanpur on 27th August 2017. Both the Seminars were well attended and well guided by PDG Vijay Jalanji and PDG Rajan Dheengra at Aligarh and PDG Rtn. Ashok Singh and PDG Rtn. Ajay Agha along with a galaxy of PDGs of our district.

The Journey of the month had been successful. I am pleased to find new enthusiastic members joining Rotary. Each club is doing its bit and contributing to the growth as well as retention of members.

I would like to specially mention R.C. Aligarh for inducting 40 female members on its Installation Day.

R.C. Aligarh Smartcity started its journey into Rotary with 31 members and on its charter presentation day itself, they inducted 51 more members.

Female members are coming forward to strengthen and empowering Rotary. I must congratulate clubs for

motivating ladies to join and participate in the humanitarian projects and philanthropic activities undertaken by the clubs.

Friends you attract members by giving them good rotary experience: providing members opportunities to make a positive difference: by adopting good projects: by connecting with community and by lending a helping hand in solving problems: by giving opportunities for good fellowship and by trying to bring out their hidden potential.

Make your club vibrant, lively and sparkling with joy so that members find moments to sit together away from the routine 'earning and spending'.

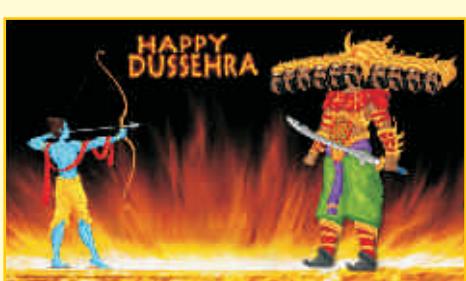
You are my strength and I am quite confident that you will take the district to greater heights by meeting all targets successfully with a cheerful heart.

I must congratulate Asstt. Governor Rtn. Rupinder Chhatwal for leading the month in Kanpur Zone.

Your's always in friendship & Service

Rtn. Vinay Asthana

District Governor



All the clubs of RID 3110 are requested to clear all dues (RI Dues, District Dues & Magazine Dues) by 30th Sept. 2017. The Clubs with any arrears in any dues on 1st Oct. 2017 will not be allowed to participate in the election process for DGND 2020-21

मण्डल 3110 के समस्त क्लब 30 सितम्बर तक अपने मण्डल ड्यूज, अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय ड्यूज और पत्रिका शुल्क अवश्य जमा कर दें। 1 अक्टूबर को यदि किसी भी क्लब का कोई भी ड्यूज बकाया होगा तो उस क्लब को मण्डलाध्यक्ष नामित 2020-21 के चुनाव में कोई अधिकार नहीं दिया जा सकेगा।

R.I. PRESIDENT SPEAKS



Something for everyone in Toronto

Dear fellow Rotarians,

One of the best parts of any Rotary convention is the sheer diversity of the people you see there. Whether you're heading into a breakout session, exploring the House of Friendship, or sitting down for a bite to eat, you'll meet people from every corner of the world, in all kinds of national attire, speaking just about every language. It's a lot of fun, and it's a big part of what makes Rotary great : that we can be so different and still find ourselves so at home together.

That spirit of warm community that is so central to Rotary also defines Toronto, our host city for the 2018 Rotary International Convention. Toronto is one of my favourite cities. It's a place where half the population is from another country, where over 140 languages are spoken by 2.8 million residents, and where no one ever seems to be busy to be helpful. In addition to being clean, safe, and friendly, Toronto is a wonderful place to visit, with its attractive Lake Ontario waterfront, great restaurants, one of a kind museums and interesting neighbourhoods to explore.

The 2018 convention already promises to be one of our best ever. Our Convention Committee and Host Organisation Committee are hard at work lining up inspiring speakers, great entertainment, fascinating breakout sessions, and a wide variety of activities across the city. There will be something for everyone in Toronto, and Juliet and I encourage you to do what we'll be doing - bring your families along for the fun. If you plan early, your convention experience will be even more affordable : The deadline for discounted early registration (there is an additional discount for registering online) is December 15.

As much as Toronto offers to Rotarians, the true draw is, of course, the convention itself. It's a once-a-year opportunity to recharge your Rotary batteries, to see what the rest of the Rotary world is up to, and to find inspiration for the year ahead. Find out more at riconvention.org - and find Inspiration Around Every Corner at the 2018 Rotary Convention in Toronto.



Ian H S Riseley
President, Rotary International



R.I. DIRECTOR SPEAKS

Promote literacy, make a difference

not swallowed by intermediaries. Adult literacy also requires our attention and this can be facilitated through our functional literacy programmes.

Friends, here is the inspirational story of Rtn Carl Sanders who is in his fifties, his name was referred by PRIP Kalyanda last year in *Rotary News*. Carl Sanders owns a small business in Kenosha, USA. A couple of years ago, a business associate invited Carl to join the Kenosha Rotary Club, D 6270. Carl felt it will be good for business and became a member. His little secret was that he couldn't read very well. He had barely made it to the ninth grade when he dropped out of school. He had heard about the local Literacy Council from a fellow Rotarian. Carl told him about his problem and the Rotarian put Carl in touch with Literacy Council, where he met a volunteer, who helped him - so much that Carl is now a Past President of the Rotary club !

Establishing a Literacy Programme in clubs will be a good start. We can invite local volunteers to address our members and they can provide valuable overview of the efforts taken in our communities and identify the areas in which the club's contribution would be most beneficial. Promoting basic and functional literacy training programme in our local schools involves a long-term commitment. Rotary clubs should be prepared to continue their projects will beyond the current year. To ensure continuity, seek the support of the DGN as well as club president-elect and look for sources of long-term financial support, such as that provided by government grants, participant fee, or funding (cash/kind such as teaching aids, furniture etc) by fellow Rotarians and interested philanthropists.

Let us invite Rotary's partners in service. Let us involve them in our Literacy Programme. Every Rotary club has sponsored at least one each of a Rotary Community Corps, Rotaract club and Interact club. The need of hour is to involve members of these groups and encourage them to undertake literacy projects of their own in a small way.

Remember the International Literacy Day on September 8 is an opportunity for every club to promote its own project and spread literacy awareness in general. Clubs can take a lead and present awards to literacy volunteers on that day as a means of promoting awareness and publicising the programmes /projects done in the local print/visual media.

By involving and contributing to local communities Rotary help make a difference!

C Basker

Director, Rotary International



From Pen of the Editor.....



Illiteracy is the gall and canker of our society. It is the biggest stumbling block in the progress of a country. The founding fathers of our constitution took a very great risk when they opted for a democratic form of government after independence. We all know that enlightened public opinion is the sine qua non of democracy. Vox populi is cox dei in democracy. What will be the fate of a nation if the bulk of its population is not only uneducated but illiterate also ? Democracy which is a government of the people for the people and by the people will soon become a government by a handful number of educated persons. It will be a negation of democracy.

Rotary India Literacy Mission, therefore has undertaken this massive project of complete removal of illiteracy from every nook and corner of India. The task is stupendous. The challenge is formidable. Friends! we have to convert this challenge into an opportunity an opportunity to light up Rotary by dispelling intellectual darkness. we have achieved grand success in the complete eradication of Polio. Now we as Rotarians, have to gird up our loins to remove illiteracy which is more dreadful than Polio maims body; Illiteracy devours life. There are examples galore how illiterate persons are exploited by the cunning and guides of crafty fellows. They are unable to understand the sinister designs of such persons. Charles Dickens, an English Novelist, has highlighted the conundrum of this problem very graphically in his novels. In most of his novels Dickens has described vividly how the poor

illiterate orphan children are maltreated by their employers who do not give them even a square meal a day and if they ask for more they were given lashes in return as a punishment for this audacious behavior. So who is to blame ? It is our society which is to blame.

Friends! We as Rotarians should undertake this uphill task and take a pledge that we shall not rest content until we wipe off the last remnants of illiteracy from our society.

The question arises how should we solve this problem ? That is the moot point. Remember the saying of Shiv Pati Khera who said that if you are not a part of the solution of a problem, you are a problem yourself.

If you make a survey of our society, you will notice that illiteracy is economic. Most of the parents do not send their children to schools because they are unable to afford. Moreover more hands mean more money to them they may get more hands regardless of the fact that they indirectly are putting more burden on our society. For this we have to motivate them and change their mind set.

RILM has, therefore, joined hands with Sakshar Bharat Campaign under the five vertical of T-E-A-C-H. We have to traverse the trajectory of eradicating illiteracy, improve and upgrade the system of education in our country. I am not only sure but confident also that, with the verve and enthusiasm you as Rotarians have, you will be successful in accomplishing this task which I believe should not be taken as a task but as a mission. You have the spark of service in you. Ignite it ?

Rtn. Dr. G. S. Nigam

RID 3110 IN ACTION



R.C. Agra Greater



R.C. Aligarh Mansi



R.C. Aligarh Pearl



R.C. Aligarh Pride



R.C. Aligarh Smart City



R.C. Aligarh



R.C. Atulya Kanpur



R.C. Baans Bareilly



R.C. Bareilly



R.C. Bareilly Shree



R.C. Bareilly 8 PM



R.C. Bramhavart Kanpur



R.C. Hathras Friends



R.C. Jhansi Rani



R.C. Joint Installation



R.C. Kanpur



R.C. Kanpur Heritage



R.C. Kanpur Industrial



R.C. Kanpur Metro



New Kanpur



R.C. Kanpur Surya



R.C. Kanpur Trimurti



R.C. Kanpur Vinayakshree



R.C. Kanpur West



R.C. Kashipur



R.C. Kashipur Pioneer



Distt. Membership Development Seminar at Aligarh



Distt. Membership Development Seminar at Kanpur



R.C. Pilibhit Greater



R.C. Pooranpur Green



R.C. Ramnagar Corbett City



R.C. Agra



R.C. Shahjahanpur



R.C. Shahjahanpur City



R.C. Vrindavan Heritage

NEW CLUBS

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President RC Kanpur Trimurti



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AG Rtn.
A. R. Khan
will be the
Assistant
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RC Kanpur
Trimurti



New R.I. President

Barry Rassin
R.I. President 2018-19

Addendum to District Directory

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Friendship Exchange

Join as a Team Member for

Rotary Friendship Exchange Outbound Teams visiting USA & Canada ,Australia& New Zealand, Brazil , Europe ,Russia and more countries.. during 2017-18

Rotarians of District 3110 interested to go on these exchanges are requested to please forward their names by Sep 30th to District Rotary Friendship Chair Rotarian Rahul Wadhwa

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Selection on First come first basis

Limited seats

Strictly for D-3110 Rotarians

Important - Last date to receive nominations for DGND 20-21 is 31st October 2017

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