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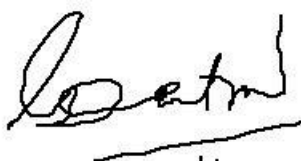
My dear Members of Rotary Bangalore Indiranagar Family,

The first month of the new Rotary Year has seen a frenzy of activities from all the avenues of service and President Rtn. Jagadeesh and Secretary Rtn. Fazal have left no stone unturned in being present at every project that has been done so far.

Rtn. Ambica, Director Youth Services has led from the front in ensuring all the Interact Club and Rotaract Club installations have been done on time. No wonder that our new Rotarian Vikram Nadgir bagged the 'Rotarian of the Month' award for July 2018. Our DG Rtn. Suresh Hari's flagship project of Anganwadis also saw us inaugurating the new Anganwadi at M. Satyavara village. Career Guidance workshops are being held at schools and colleges on a regular basis. Meanwhile, about fifty of us are getting ready to embark on a journey to Israel. With the induction of two more members, we now have a strength of 131. If this is not "Inspiration", what else is?

We have revamped our website to include images and stories of our current projects. We have also given our donors the option to make a contribution online. Please check out <https://www.rotaryindiranagar.org/>.

Yours in Rotary



Gopinath N



## CLUB SEVA – NEW MEMBER INDUCTION

We are happy to welcome our two new members, Mr. Karthik Kumar U & Ms. Kavitha Paramesh, who were inducted at RBI's weekly club meeting on 6th August 2018. Karthik was inducted by DG Rtn. Suresh Hari while Kavitha was inducted by DGE Rtn. Sameer Hariani & District First Lady Anita Hari.

Ms. Kavitha Paramesh is a practicing chartered accountant. She is a senior partner at M/s. T. Sriram, Mehta & Todimalla.

Mr. Karthik Kumar U. is a marketing consultant and Partner of Karthik Group of Companies. He is married to Sabina Rao and they have three children Veena, Raghav & Rahul. Karthik is the son of our Charter President S. Udaya Kumar & Ann Kamalavadani, both of whom were present on this momentous occasion and witnessed his induction.



Rtn. Vikram Nadgir was presented with the award of the 'Rotarian of the month' for his work as the Interact Chair. Many congratulations!

**DON'T MISS!**

**AND BRING A BUDDY.**

**AUGUST 15, 2018 8:00 AM**

**ROTARY HOUSE OF SERVICE**





## COMMUNITY SEVA

### ANGANWADI AT M.SATYAVARA INAUGURATED



The inauguration of the Anganwadi at M. Sathyavara Village in Hoskote Taluk took place at 11 am on 22nd July 2018. This is a report by the Secretary, Rtn. Fazal.

The renovated anganwadi was dedicated to the children with the sponsor Rtn. Narssimhan Kannan cutting the ribbon. The Anganwadi Worker Ms. Shylaja had very thoughtfully arranged for the planting of a sapling to mark the occasion. President Rtn. Jagadeesh & Rtn. Narssimhan Kannan were entrusted with the honour of planting the very healthy looking Ashoka sapling.

The renovated anganwadi looked wonderful. Everyone was very happy with the facilities provided. The fact that the young children of M. Sathyavara would now have a clean and cheerful place to spend their week days at, made this a worthy project.

Sincere thanks to the many special people who contributed to the successful completion of this project, namely:

- Rtn. Narssimhan Kannan and his company Commit Technologies Pvt. Ltd. for having generously sponsored the project. It is commendable that Narssi personally selected the anganwadi at M. Sathyavara to be his project.
- Community Service Director Rtn. Supriya Kandhari for her constant support and enthusiasm. She has always there to help whenever needed, and Jt. Secretary Rtn. A.K. Sugunan for yet again coordinating with the print & television media and ensuring their presence at the inauguration.
- Our contractor V. Perumal for ensuring the timely completion of the project and at the same time maintaining very good quality of work.



- CDPO Mr. Somasundar and his team for their cooperation.
- The Anns, spouse & Rotarians who took time off to spend Sunday morning at the project rather than with their families.

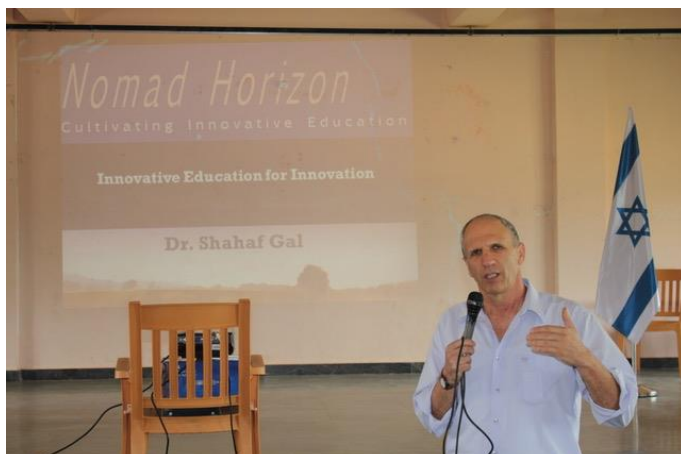
The Anganwadi renovation project has captured the imagination of many. Several of our Rotarians and partners in service have already come forward and offered their support. This is just a beginning. We have many more lined up for the year.



## TEACHERS TRAINING AT HOSKOTE



An innovation workshop for teachers of Government High Schools of Hoskote Taluk on “Train the teachers on nurturing innovation” was held on 18<sup>th</sup> July 2018 in association with the Israel Consulate of South India at Kroot School Hoskote. The programme was conducted by Dr. Shahaf Gal, an expert on innovation in teaching.





## VOCATIONAL SEVA

### CAREER GUIDANCE SESSIONS



Under Vocational Service Avenue, we conducted a Career Guidance Workshop at **Navprajnya Public School (NPPS)**, Kundalahalli Gate on 6th August 2018 from 1:30 pm to 3.00 pm. This session was planned to benefit 40 Children. Against a planned 40 students, 89 turned up. They included 9th graders as well. This workshop was ably conducted by **Rtn. Suresh Balasubramani**.

The profile of the students is best explained by the fact that almost the entire class did not have a Facebook account. They all used Google Search as a tool for their education. Also, a small percentage of the class who were focused and truly interested in applying these exercises to their specific situations. The Principal was

clearly focused in bringing about a holistic development of the children.

### JEEVIKA SKILLS CONVOCATION

Convocation function of fresh batch of trainees from Jeevika Skills, our training partners was held at Career Connect – KR Puram on 19th July 2018.



A batch of 21 enthusiastic young students in the age group 19-22 years, pursuing their studies in Commerce, Science and Management sectors were the new graduates from Jeevika Skills. The students come from underprivileged backgrounds and their parents work as cab drivers, auto rickshaw drivers, maids, security guards, barbers, tailors, house keepers, garments workers and in small shops. The students want to support their family by contributing towards the household expenses and make a career in various organizations.

Some of the students have already got placed :

- Damini - Working at Tanishq as Sales associate
- Dinesh - Working at Dominos as Cashier
- Pragna - Working as front desk executive at a Doctor's Clinic
- Devarilla - Working in an agency of professional couriers as co-ordinator

On the occasion, President Rtn. Jagadeesh appreciated the efforts and dedication of Jeevika team as well as the students. He also expressed the need for enhancing Rotary's reach to increase the number young boys and girls who benefit from training and make a better career.



## YOUTH SEVA

### ROTARACT CLUB INSTALLATION AT KAIRALEE NIKETHAN DEGREE COLLEGE



The installation of the Rotaract Club of Kairalee Nikethan Degree College Indiranagar was held on the 28<sup>th</sup> July at the College premises. Rtn. Chandramouli gave an orientation talk which was received well by all present.

### INTERACT CLUB INSTALLATIONS

#### ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOL, KAMARAJ ROAD



#### DEEN'S ACADEMY





## G.S. RANDHAWA MEMORIAL HOCKEY TOURNAMENT INAUGURATED

The 29<sup>th</sup> edition of G.S. Randhawa Memorial inter school hockey tournament was inaugurated on the 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2018 at the Karnataka State Hockey Association stadium. PP Rtn. Gurmeet Singh and President Rtn. Jagadeesh welcomed the guests as well as teams and declared the tournament open. A large number of Rotarians were present on the occasion. Kudos to the Sports Committee Chairman Rtn. Philip George and Director Rtn. Ambica.

The inaugural match between Frank Anthony Public School and National Public School Rajajinagar saw the former emerge victorious by three goals to none. The tournament will continue through the first two weeks of August with the finals slated for 13<sup>th</sup> August, Monday at 4 PM.



## INTERNATIONAL SEVA



1-5 June 2019



## BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES



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Ann Mylacave Irene Joseph - 16th August

Rtn. Ambica Motupali - 16th August

Rtn. Harish Kumar S. - 18th August

Rtn. Vijay Kumar R Mane - 20th August

Ann Annie Randhawa - 21st August

Ann Lakshmi Vemulkar - 23rd August

Ann Latha Shetty - 24th August

Rtn. Fazal Ur Rahaman - 29th August

Ann Anjolie Advani - 29th August

Ann Vaishali Nadgir - 29th August

Rtn. Rejin Chalappuram - 1st September

Rtn. Harish Dhall - 1st September

Rtn. Vikram Nadgir - 1st September

Ann Sheela Nagaraj - 4th September

Rtn. Vinod Sawhney - 5th September

Ann Vilas Kalyan - 6th September

RTn. Kavitha Paramesh - 13th September

Ann Subhashini Chalam - 15th September



Ann Malathi & Rtn. Jagadeesh M – 27<sup>th</sup> August

Ann Dr. Sushila & Rtn. Dr. Krishnan Menon –  
5th September

Ann Renuka & Rtn. Thomas Abraham –  
7th September

Ann Vijaya & Rtn. Sivaprakash Narayanan P –  
11th September

Ann Apoorva & Rtn. Samartha Srinivasa –  
25th September

### And some feedback.

"A well brought out new trendy SEVA."

Subu

"Nice issue, Gopi"

Supriya

"It's fantastic Gopi. Keep up the good work."

Ranga

"Awesome, Gopi"

Simha

*Thank you. Please keep them coming.*



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