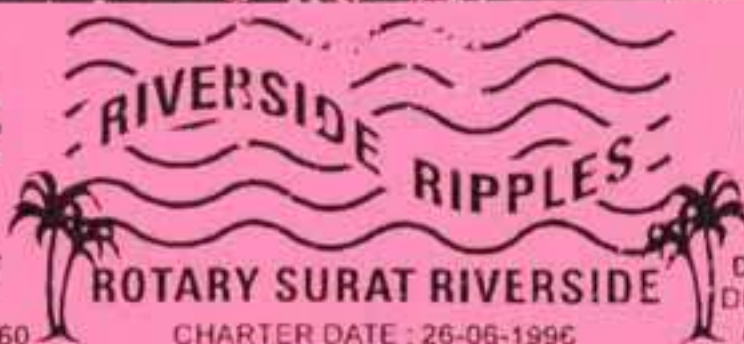




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*Hope & Dreams smiles on the threshold of the  
New Year, whispering that it will be happier.*

❖ WISH YOU A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR ❖

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THE MEETING of 22nd Dec. was special. Special for two reasons. First, we shared the pleasure and enjoyment with *Rtn. Manoj* of his new venture - the food joint - *Snacky*. Second, a young man, who lost his leg, got a new lease of life, when our club members joined hands to bear the expenses for an artificial leg.

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*Dr. Dhiren Mahida*, who is running an artificial limb centre at Udhna, gave a slide presentation on artificial limb prosthesis. He explained the different methods and techniques used to treat amputation cases. He showed that with proper diagnosis and application, the patient can recover to near normal ambulatory capabilities. In the same context, *Dr. Mahida* referred the case of *Mr. Premchand Gupta*. A young man of 20 year age, he suffered an industrial accident while working at Kamrej. Coming from U.P., this young man didn't know as to how to meet the expenses when our club samaritans came to know about it.

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Our enthusiastic Pres. Elect. *Dr. Sunil* and Chairman Monthly Projects - *Rtn. Siddharth* took the initiative and roped in members to collect the amount for his treatment. As a gesture of benevolence, *Dr. Mahida* charged only for the material cost. A small step, a joint effort and a will to serve will see this young man through the trauma and agony he was in.

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From all of us - nat's off to *Dr. Sunil* and all those who gave a thought for it. Now a word about *Snacky*. *Rtn. Manoj* & *Ann. Retha* personally supervised the delicacies which was enjoyed by all.



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THE MEETING of 29th Dec. was fellowship meet at *Snacky*. It seems our members are getting hooked to the gastronomic surprises that *Rtn. Manoj* is bringing out of his magic box. We all wish him & *Ann. Rekha* best wishes for a successful venture.



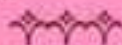
### From the heart

We wish a speedy recovery to *Mr. Vijay Chauhan's* father who is suffering from heart disfunction. Get well soon !



### CELEBRATIONS !!

Birth Days	<i>Rtn. Praduman Garg</i>	5th Jan.	☎ 253596
	<i>Rtn. Shailesh Vashi</i>	6th Jan.	☎ 682398
	<i>Rtn. Dharmendra Kadiwala</i>	10th Jan.	☎ 632101
	<i>Ann. Deepa Vashi</i>	7th Jan.	☎ 682398



## THE FREE WHEEL GALLERIA

### LUCK FAVORS THOSE WHO HELP THEMSELVES

*A flood was threatening a small town and everyone was leaving for safety except one man who said, "God will save me. I have faith." As the water level rose a jeep came to rescue him, the man refused, saying "God will save me. I have faith. As the water level rose further, he went up to the second storey, and a boat came to help him. Again he refused to go, saying, "God will save me. I have faith." The water kept rising and the man climbed on to the roof. A helicopter came to rescue him, but he said, "God will save me. I have faith." Well, finally he drowned. When he reached his Maker he angrily questioned, "I had complete faith in you. Why did you ignore my prayers and let me drown ?" The Lord replied, "Who do you think sent you the jeep, the boat, and the helicopter ?"*

The only way to overcome the fatalistic attitude is to accept responsibility and believe in the law of cause and effect rather than luck. It takes action, preparation and planning rather than waiting, wondering or wishing, to accomplish anything in life

### ***Luck Shines on the Deserving***

Alexander Graham Bell was desperately trying to invent a hearing aid for his partially deaf wife. He failed at inventing a hearing aid but in the process discovered the principles of the telephone. You wouldn't call someone like that lucky, would you ?

Good luck is when opportunity meets preparation. Without effort and preparation, lucky coincidences don't happen.



### Luck

He worked by day  
And toiled by night.  
He gave up play  
And some delight.  
Dry books he read,  
New things to learn,  
And forged ahead,  
Success to earn.  
He plodded on with  
Faith and pluck,  
And when he won,  
Men called it luck.

Anonymous

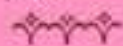
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### THINK A WHILE !

Simplify	your	Needs
Nullify	your	Greed
Amplify	your	Work
Rectify	your	Mistakes
Justify	your	Expenses
Certify	your	Conduct
Magnify	your	Mind
Glorify	your	Future



## MILES OF SMILE !!

In Italy a man went to a priest and confessed "Forgive me, Father," he sobbed sobbing "During World War II, I hid a refugee in my attic."

"Well," the priest replied, "That's not a sin."

"But," the man admitted, "I made him pay rent."

"That wasn't very nice," the priest said, "But you put yourself at risk."

"Oh, thank you, Father," the man said. "But I have one more question."

"What is it?"

"Do you think I have to tell him the war is over?"



## KNOW MORE :

**Star material - A scientific explanation of Sachin Tendulkar's super performance**

**Better motor abilities :** Sachin has got an ability to perform physical activities optimally.

**Agility :** His exceptional footwork allows for greater body balance.

**Flexibility :** His height (5 feet 4 inches) gives good flexibility, allows him to bend sufficiently, unlike tall batsmen.

**Speed :** Sachin hits quicker than eye can see - old cricket saying !

**Reaction time :** His brain processes and responds to any new information quickly. He 'reads' the ball by observing the bowler's grip or by the movement of the cherry. Sachin would definitely have more synapses in his brain cells. They help respond to stimuli or new information faster.

**Eyesight :** Sachin eyesight is a combination of a cat's and an eagle's vision. He can spot the ball very well under artificial lights as a cat would. The 'peripheral' vision of an eagle allows him to execute his strokes anywhere. He gets the view of all the gaps in the field. No 'tunnel' vision here.

**Coordination :** The harmonious functioning of his muscles allows the perfect execution of his shots.

**Strength :** Abundant. Sachin saves a lot of energy by timing his strokes well. Energy saving brings more efficiency as relaxed muscles perform better. Sachin's shots look powerful but not brutal. The heavy bat gives his shots the necessary momentum. His swing like a spring uncoiling.

**Endurance :** Sachin has enormous stamina. Never seen panting even after a long innings. The interval after each delivery is enough for him to recoup.



Please clear your dues by 15th Jan. and avoid paying penalty and fine.  
Contact Treasurer *Siddharth*

## Our Next Meeting

- VENUE** :- WOOD LAND'S RESTAURANT, Ichhanath, Surat.  
**TIME** :- 8.30 PM - sharp  
**DAY-DATE** :- Tuesday - 5th Jan '99  
**AGENDA** :- **SPEAKER MEET - 'Prevention of Cruelty to Animals'**  
By Darshan Desai. (with Slide Show)

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