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CLUB NO. 31734



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CONSISTENCY,  
CREDIBILITY,  
CONTINUITY

PRESIDENT :  
DR. SUNIL D'SOUZA

SECRETARY :  
MDYEN LOKHANDWALA

**IN RETROSPECT :**

4<sup>th</sup> April 2000 :

*Despite the exam fever, we had a fairly good attendance of almost 55% members. Acting Sgt. at Arms - Rtn. Divyang called the meeting to order. The meeting began with a welcome address by President Dr. Sunil. After welcoming all, he gave a brief talk on the Internationality of Rotary and the Role of the Club Directors - areas covered and responsibilities.*

*Thereafter he introduced the Guest Speaker - Dr. Timir Shah, an eminent psychiatrist who spoke on Parent Child Relationship and handling. Dr. Shah took over holding the audience in rapt attention whilst parents were subjected to an insight of common parent children problems, one and all are facing today and the best way to tackle these situations. His advice was welcomed by all and we do hope to have Dr. Shah visits us more often and covers pressing issues of today from time to time which apart from being informative, could help us all strengthen and build better bonds with our families.*

*Rtn. Stanley in his vote of thanks mentioned that the club members would look forward to having Dr Shah with us in future to share, advise and guide us through his experiences. Acting Sec - Rtn. Amrish read out the birthday greetings and his announcements for the week.*

**CLUB NEWS :**

*Pres. Dr. Sunil D'souza has been invited by Ray Muston, Governor, District 6000 to participate in the Rotary District Conference in Davenport, Iowa from 18<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2000 as a Guest Speaker, alongwith D.G. Prafull and First Lady Harshida Bhatt. Congratulations Dr. Sunil. We are sure you will do justice to this trip.*

*Dr. Kuldip Desai will be opening his New Vision Laser Centre Ltd. on 9<sup>th</sup> April this month. We wish him all the very best.*

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## CLUB NEWS :

*Dr. Ajay Bhardwaj – Director – Vocational Services has organised a Vocational Project on " Safety at Work and First Aid Management" for the staff of Holiday Inn – Surat on 9<sup>th</sup> April, 9.00am to noon at the IMPERIAL HALL I at the Holiday Inn – Surat.  
Interested members are welcome to attend.*

### Forthcoming Meetings for the month of April :

- 7<sup>th</sup> April/Fri : Joint Meeting of all Rotary Clubs of Surat (A must attend meet)  
PDG Dr. Anupam Desai – R.C. Mumbai Northwest will speak on  
"Importance of Rotary Bulletin and Magazine"*
- 11<sup>th</sup> April /Tue: Speaker Meet(Regular Meet) : Subject  
Time: 8.30PM*
- 16<sup>th</sup> April/Sun : Board Meeting Host-PT. Jayesh Dhamanwala's Residence*
- 20<sup>th</sup> April/Thu : Farewell to the Outbound GSE Team to France – A must for all to attend.  
(Postponed from 18<sup>th</sup> April 2000-Thu)*
- 25<sup>th</sup> April/Tue: Regular Meet*

## **The Bank Account of Life .....**

*Imagine there is a bank that credits your account each morning with \$ 86,400.  
It carries no balance from day to day.  
Every evening deletes whatever part of the balance you failed to use during the day.  
What would you do?  
Draw out every cent, of course !!!!!  
Each of us has such a bank. It's name is time.  
Every morning it credits you with 86,400 seconds.  
Every night it writes off, as lost, whatever of this  
You have failed to invest to good purpose.  
It carries over no balance  
It allows no overdraft.  
Each day it opens a new account for you.  
Each night it burns the remains of the day  
If you fail to use the day's deposits, the loss is yours  
There is no going back. There is no drawing against tomorrow.  
You must live in the present on today's deposit.  
Invest it so as to get from it the utmost in health, happiness and success!  
The clock is running  
Make the most of today.*

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**We meet every  
Tuesday – 8.30 pm  
At Dr. Sarosh Bhacca Rotary Hall, Timaliyawad, Surat.**

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### **Our Next Meeting**

VENUE : **Dr. Sarosh Bhacca Rotary Hall**  
DAY-DATE : **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2000**  
TIME : **8.30pm**  
AGENDA : **Rtn. Vaishali and Vijay Chauhan and Rtn. Mihir Shukla will speak on  
"Tips in Interior Designing"**