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R.I. DIST. 3060

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R. I. President

Dr. Nilax Mufti
Dist. Governor

Rtn. Jugal Shinglot
President

Rtn. Mukund Jariwala
Bulletin Editor

We meet every Tuesday at 8.30 p.m. at Dr. Bhacca Rotary Hall, Jeevan Bharti, Surat
All our meets are Dinner meets.

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BREAKING NEWS

Sow the Seeds of Love



R.I. President Bhichal Rattakul Rotary Year 2002-03 has announced the R.I. Theme.
"Sow the Seeds of Love"

Past Meeting (Introduction Of The Team For Rotary Year 2002-03)

The constitution of the incoming Rotary team for the year 2002-03 was announced a few days back along with the President Elects till 2005-06. The formal introduction of the new team was to be done in the club, which was taken up in the meeting last Tuesday.

After the routine announcements by the President & the secretary, President Elect Mukund Jariwala (current bulletin editor) did the introduction of the new team.

A very important post for any Rotary club is the bulletin editorship. I have realized this because I have been doing it since past 7 months. The results of regular & informative bulletin are apparently seen in the clubs activities & attendance. A bulletin is as good as a meeting. I have known from my experience that members have missed meetings but have not missed reading my bulletin every week. There is much more that a bulletin can do for the club. To be the bulletin editor becomes all the more necessary if you are going to be

the President in the coming years. This makes you be recognized in the Rotary world. I have experienced it. To carry on this job, which I will leave in a few months from now, I have bestowed this responsibility on to Rtn. Dr. Ajay Bhardwaj & Ann Rashika Bhardwaj. They are a very capable couple in our club & I am sure they will do justice to this particular responsibility. They will never fall short of giving results which is the reason the club members also welcomed the decision unanimously. *Best of Luck Mr / Mrs Bhardwaj*

The post of a secretary according to me should be equal to the Prime Minister of a country. The secretary supervises the overall business of the club, agenda, activities & economy. This post is for your key person, your right hand that is Rtn Stanley Martin for me. Not only is he my good, close & dear friend, but also his characteristics suit the post of a secretary.

The job of Mr. Yashwant Sinha {finance minister} for our club will be on the shoulders of Rtn. Divyang Parikh. A man with inborn characteristics of an accountant/ mathematician. Ann Hyacinth will assist him in the money collection part.

The Home Ministry {Club Services} that is the blood stream of any club is under the safe hands of a capable, disciplined & down to earth educationalist Rtn. Tasnim Doctor. Being a Principal, she has the managerial abilities, which can be put to use in our club. There can be no better person for this job than Rtn. Tasnim.

Rtn Ankur Marfatia is a marketing & liaisoning man by profession. He has developed many contacts within the community in Surat & also in certain government offices. His fieldwork had made him identify many service-oriented projects, which he can take up successfully.

In the vocational department, Rtn Amrish Patel, who has been serving in the board since quite some time now has enough knowledge & experience to handle his job well.

The heart of our club when you talk of service projects, in the past couple of years has been the External Affairs ministry {International services}. Because this particular post is utilized so well & effectively, its importance is scaled maximum amongst all the departments. PP Rtn Dr. Sunil Dsouza has been the person behind attaining maximum scale for this department. Any amount of words written about this very dear friend of mine won't be enough. He excels in public relation & is a big motivator. Though he may have against his name the International services chairmanship, he is the master of all trades for our club. I personally feel very lucky to know him, work with him & more important share close friendship with him & his family.

To bring out the enthusiasm & skills, to show everybody what he can offer to Rotary, I have selected Rtn Paresh Dalal as the Polio Pulse Chairman. A new face in the team, but I can personally assure, he will prove to be best in his department.

Rtn Rajesh Patel, make no mistake, this time the job of the sergeant at arms will not be just banging the bell, but doing much more. You have the capabilities & skill; you can do wonders with it.

A true friend in need, President Jugal, will be the backbone of this incoming team. His guidance, experience, encouragement & logistical support will be extensively needed. At the back of my mind, I will be sure Jugal is there to sort out any problems. This is the confidence I have in him.

The route to a man's heart goes through his stomach. Ann Pinky, Gracy & Manisha know it very well. They should be able to delight the members with delicious food.

Sid {Rtn Siddharth Shah}, you have had enormous experience in Rotary as secretary, treasurer, Vice President. This year too as Vice President, your involvement in the affairs of the club will be of great value.

So finally, as the incoming President for the above team I don't have much of a task cut out for myself. A President is the stamp & seal. He is normally quite famous for ribbon cutting. I would love the same trend in our club. If the whole team is working well, I will have only ribbon cutting left for myself. I would consider myself as the best President of all times in Rotary in such a case. So it is up to you guys, you want me cutting ribbons or you want me buy, arrange & organize ceremonies for ribbon cutting.

Forthcoming Meeting

5th February Tuesday

Speaker Meet.

Rtn. Dr. Ajay Bhardwaj & Ann Rashika

Subject: "Our Overseas Experience in the U.K."

FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

Coming to the close of the 7th Month in this Rotary year (July 2001- January 2002), I would like to take this opportunity to highlight the positive results of regular bulletin. The sharp edged bulletin written by my friend Rtn. Mukund Jariwala has proved to be vital for our club this year in many many ways. One such positive result achieved due to the bulletin is in the attendance sector. Our attendance graph has sharply gone up, which is a healthy sign.

I would like to congratulate Rtn. Mukund Jariwala for his efforts & dedication towards the bulletin. I don't want to imagine what could have happened without the bulletin.

President Rtn. Jugalkishor Shinglot

Upcoming National Event

The Presidential Polio Pulse Summit is going to be held in Mumbai on the 22nd, 23rd & 24th February 2002 (Friday, Saturday & Sunday). R.I. President Richard King will be the Chairman of the summit.

President Jugalkishor Shinglot along with Polio Pulse Chairman Rtn. Stanley Martin will be attending the function in Mumbai along with the 150-meter Polio Pulse banner.

Any Rotarians wishing to join them kindly contact President Jugalkishor for further details.

The following clubs are going to celebrate their 90th birthday:

- St. Joseph, club #32 on the 1st of February
- San Diego, club #33 on the 5th of February
- Davenport, club #34 on the 16th of February

Happy birthday! I am sure you will keep up the Rotary spirit for at least another 90 years

ATTENDANCE STATUS FOR THE MONTH JANUARY 2002

100% ATTENDANCE

President Rtn. Jugalkishor Shinglot
Sec. Rtn. Ankur Marfatia
PP Rtn. Dr. Sunil D'souza
Rtn. Myden Lokhandwala
Rtn. Mukund Jariwala
Rtn. Sidharth Shah
Rtn. Stanley Martin
Rtn. Tasnim Doctor
Rtn. Mehul Shah
Rtn. Amrish Patel
Rtn. Rajesh Patel
Rtn. Vaishali Chauhan
Rtn. Dr. Ajay Bhardwaj
Rtn. Amit Adhiya
Rtn. Divyang Parikh
Rtn. Dr. Kuldeep Desai
Rtn. Saifuddin Doola
Rtn. Ramesh Jaitane
Rtn. Pankaj Gandhi
Rtn. Preeti Jariwala

Analysis of Attendance Up Till the 7th Month Ending January 2002

60% Members -----> 100% Attendance
20% Members -----> 75% Attendance
15% Members -----> 50% Attendance
5% Members -----> Attend Meeting Once

The practice sessions for cricket matches to be played between various clubs of Surat area has begun.

Matches will start sometime in February. Rotarians of our club gather at 7am sharp at the grounds opp Rtn. Mukund Jariwala residence. Mind you, the sessions are serious business & not just play.

Most of the members are regular, but some are not. The selection for the final eleven will depend upon your presence in the training camp.

It is necessary for all the players to attend regularly the sessions of play. We want to be the winning side. We also don't want to be the losing side without putting in efforts. Your presence can keep the morale up for the team & vice versa.

Captain PP Rtn. Jayesh Dhamarwala

Rotary Colleagues: D7150 DGE Don Reese called a few moments ago from Anaheim, CA to ask me to relay to all of you that President Bhichai Rattakul delivered a moving and inspiring speech where he announced the Rotary International Theme for 2002-3: SOW THE SEEDS OF LOVE.

DGE Don enthusiastically reports that RIPE Rattakul stresses the importance of planting the essence of life in the Clubs, who will then pass that on to the Communities and the World. The theme and beautiful logo of flowers comes from a man who truly believes in the mission of Rotary to serve humanity - one act of service at a time, each one to sow a seed of love in the world. RIPE Rattakul shared the following: "There is no way to change the past, but there are endless ways to change the future, through peace, love, understanding, hope, and confidence."

P.R.O. PP Dr.Sunil Dsouza

Laloo goes hunting

Laloo decides to go for hunting lion along with his other 2 friends. The first friend hunts 1 lion.

Laloo asks him "How did you lion hunt?"

Friend replies "I saw tracks, followed tracks and shot a lion". Second friend also gets lion hunt. Laloo asks same question. Friend replies "I saw tracks, followed tracks and shot a lion".

Laloo says OK. I will go for lion hunt and get 2 lion hunts. Laloo returns with broken bones. Friends ask Laloo what happened. Laloo says "I saw tracks, followed tracks but got hit by train".

A Computerised Husband

HUSBAND - HI DEAR, I AM LOGGED IN.

WIFE - HAVE YOU BROUGHT THE SAREE?

HUSBAND - BAD COMMAND OR FILE NAME.

WIFE - BUT I TOLD YOU ABOUT IT IN MORNING.

HUSBAND - ERRONEOUS SYNTAX;

ABORT,RETRY,CANCEL.

WIFE - HAI BHAGWAN !FORGET IT, WHERE'S YOUR SALARY?

HUSBAND - FILE IN USE, READ ONLY, TRY AFTER SOME TIME.

WIFE - ATLEAST GIVE ME YOUR CREDIT CARD, I CAN DO SOME SHOPPING.

HUSBAND - SHARING VIOLATION, ACCESS DENIED.

WIFE - I MADE A MISTAKE IN MARRING YOU.

HUSBAND - DATA TYPE MISMATCH.

WIFE - YOU ARE USELESS.

HUSBAND - BY DEFAULT.

WIFE - WHO WAS THERE WITH YOU IN THE CAR THIS MORNING?

HUSBAND - SYSTEM UNSTABLE; PRESS CTRL+ALT+DEL TO REBOOT.

WIFE - WOULD YOU LIKE TO HAVE SOME SNACKS?

HUSBAND - HARD DISK FULL.

WIFE - WHAT IS THE RELATION BETWEEN YOU & YOUR RECEPTIONIST?

HUSBAND - THE ONLY USER WITH WRITE PERMISSION.

WIFE - WHAT IS MY VALUE IN YOUR LIFE?

HUSBAND - UNKNOWN VIRUS DETECTED.

WIFE - DO YOU LOVE ME OR YOUR COMPUTER?

HUSBAND - TOO MANY PARAMETERS.

WIFE - I WILL GO TO MY DADS HOUSE.

HUSBAND - PROGRAM PERFORMED ILLEGAL OPERATION; IT WILL CLOSE.

WIFE - I WILL LEAVE YOU FOR EVER.

HUSBAND - CLOSE ALL PROGRAMS & LOG IN FOR ANOTHER USER.

WIFE - IT IS WORTHLESS TALKING TO YOU.

HUSBAND - SHUT DOWN THE COMPUTER.

WIFE - I AM GOING.

HUSBAND - ITS NOW SAFE TO TURN OFF YOUR COMPUTER.

Here are a couple of Oddities.....Enjoy

- Did you know It is impossible to lick your elbow.

- A crocodile can't stick its tongue out.

- A shrimp's heart is in their head.

- People say, "Bless you" when you sneeze because when you sneeze, your heart stops for a mille-second.

- It is physically impossible for pigs to look up into the sky.

- A pregnant goldfish is called a twit.

- More than 50% of the people in the world have never made or received a telephone call.

- Rats and horses can't vomit.

- The "Sixth sick sheikh's sixth sheep's sick" is said to be the toughest tongue twister in the English language.

- If you sneeze too hard, you can fracture a rib; if you try to suppress a sneeze, you can rupture a blood vessel in your head or neck and die; if you keep your eyes open by force, they can pop out.

- Rats multiply so quickly that in 18 months, two rats could have over a million descendants.

- Wearing headphones for just an hour will increase the bacteria in your ear by 700 times.

- The cigarette lighter was invented before the match.

- Thirty-five percent of the people who use personal ads for dating are already married.

- Most lipstick contains fish scales.

- Cat's urine glows under a black light.

- Like fingerprints, everyone's tongue print is different.

- Over 75% of people who read this will try to lick their elbow.

(Please let me know honestly, did you?)

Rtn.Mehul Shah