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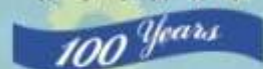


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RIVERSIDE RIPPLES



CELEBRATE
ROTARY



Rotary International Theme
2004-05

Rotary Surat Riverside

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The Four-Way Test



of the things we think, say or do

- 1 Is it the truth?
શું તે સત્ય છે?
- 2 Is it fair to all concerned?
શું તે સંબંધ ધરાવનાર દરેક ને માટે ઉચિત છે?
- 3 Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
શું તે સુભેચ્છા અને શ્રેષ્ઠ મૈત્રી બાંધી શકશે?
- 4 Will it be beneficial to all concerned ?
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Origin:

Rtn. Herbert J. Taylor developed The Four Way Test in 1932 to help guide the decisions of a floundering company he had been hired to lead.

Rotary adopted The Four Way Test in 1943.

Rotarians have been using The Four Way Test as a benchmark in both their business and personal lives. The Four Way Test has been translated in more than 100 languages.

Significance:

Ethical standards in business have been a concern of Rotary since its founding in 1905. Four Way Test is a tool given to Rotarians to

Rotary's Mission

The mission of Rotary International is to support member clubs in fulfilling the object of Rotary by :

- Fostering unity among member clubs;
- Strengthening and expanding Rotary around the world;
- Communicating worldwide the work of Rotary; and
- Providing a system of international administration.



PP Mukund Jariwala
Editor

Editorial



Ann. Hyacinth D'souza
Co-editor

It has always been a pleasure editing the Riverside Ripples and added pleasure of associating with Ann. Hyacinth D'souza as the co-editor. This is the third instance that we are in the editing service and we shall strive to give our best.

Bulletin editing is quite a tough job, if you don't enjoy it or few lazy to do it. The bulletin editor spends the most number of hours behind Rotary, probably even more then the President himself. This has been my feeling & experience.

This being the centennial year of Rotary, a year with action and celebrations, there would be lot to write about and communicate. We are privileged to be giving you first hand information on what is happening in the Rotary world, district & the club.

To keep the members updated regarding the club activities and the programs of the club and to be regular in communication, will be top most priority & concern - But this will be possible only with the help of the members & the President. We expect contribution to the bulletin from the members with respect to any person/ family achievements regularly.

The pen is mightier then the sword and we will prove Riverside Ripples to be the mirror of the club.

So Friends lets move along and celebrate 100 years of Rotary with Riverside Ripples !!!

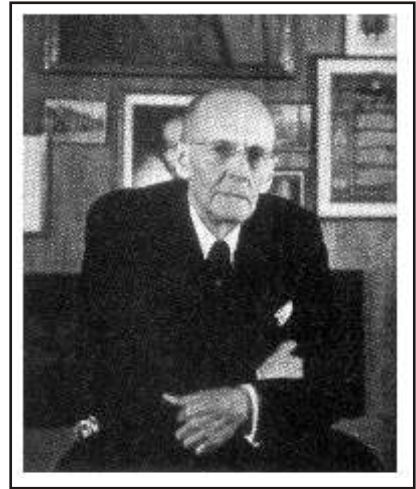


The old year is bowing into the past,
The New year is ringing in;
Old opportunities are gone and done
And new realms of service begin.
Let us not turn our eyes to days gone by,
But set our faces ahead;
Let us not regret things left undone
But turn to new tasks instead.

- Cathy Beasley

The Man behind the Movement

PAUL P. HARRIS



His vision for Rotary
To harness the great power of friendship
to help do the world's work.

Paul Percival Harris, the founder of Rotary, was born at Racine Wisconsin, U.S.A. on April 19th, 1868.

Following his graduation from the law school of the University of Iowa in 1891 and an honorary LLB from the University of Vermont, he decided to spend the next five years in seeing the world and in coming to know his fellowmen, before settling down to practice law at Chicago in 1896.

He married Jean Thomson Harris, whom Paul Harris affectionately called 'Bonnie Jean'.

He had no children. As a practitioner of Law, Paul did not find instant success. He said he went hungry and forlorn for many days. Lonely days of Chicago prompted him to find friends for fellowship and share mutual concerns.

One evening, as Paul and his friends strolled through the neighbourhood, he was introduced to various tradesmen in their stores. This reminded him of his New England village and it occurred to him, 'Why not have a fellowship composed of businessmen from different occupations without restrictions of politics and religion.'

Paul's idea was that businessmen could get together periodically in a spirit of camaraderie to enjoy each other's company and enlarge their circle of business and professional acquaintances.

Talking it over with three of his clients - Silvester Schiele, a coal merchant, Gustavus Loehr, a mining engineer and Hiram Shorey, a merchant tailor, he conceived the idea of organising a club which came into being on 23rd February 1905 when they met in GUS LOEHR'S OFFICE ROOM AT 711, IN THE UNITY BUILDING which still exists at 127, North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois U.S.A.

Paul Harris named the club "Rotary" because the members in the early days of this organisation met by rotation at their places of business. He was elected President Emerkus of Rotary International in 1912 and was active until his death on January 27, 1947.

**"PAUL P. HARRIS WAS NOT A PERSON OF WEALTHY, ARISTOCRATIC ROOTS,
'BUT OF HUMBLE AND MEAGRE BEGINNINGS. YET LIKE MAHATMA.
GANDHI, MARTIN LUTHER KING JR., MOTHER TERESA, NELSON MANDELA
THIS MAN BEHIND THE ROTARY MOVEMENT - WAS
A GREAT APOSTLE OF PEACE."**



Rotary International President
CELEBRATE ROTARY



Glenn E. Estess Sr.
Shades Valley, Birmingham, Alabama,
USA. R.I. President 2004-2005
GLENN &
R.I. FIRST LADY MARY

Glenn E. Estess, Sr., is the retired Chief Executive Officer of Glenn Estess Associates, Inc. Born in Pike County, Mississippi, he earned a degree in Chemistry with minors in Physics and Mathematics from Tulane University in New Orleans, Louisiana. His wife Mary also graduated with a degree in Chemistry with a focus on Medical Technology from University of Montevallo in Montevallo, Alabama.

Glenn is from a Rotary Family, where there were five brothers in five different Rotary Clubs. Four served as Presidents of their respective clubs.

Glenn is past Chairman of trustees of the Baptist Health Systems, a multi hospital health care system with approximately 10,000 employees headquartered in Birmingham, Alabama. He is a Past President of the Birmingham Sales and Marketing Club. He served as Director of the Better Business Bureau of Central Alabama and as a trustee for the Workmen's Compensation Trust-Business Council of Alabama. In Florida he served as Chairman of the Young Men's Christian Association, the American Chemical Society, the Arthritis Foundation and as a member of the Board of Regents of the National Association of Personnel Consultants.

A Rotarian since 1960, Glenn is a member and past president of the Rotary Club of Shades Valley. He has served Rotary International as a District Governor, Institute Chair, National Co-ordinator for the Polio Plus Campaign, international assembly instructor, director 90-92, vice-president for 1991-92, trustee of The Rotary Foundation for 1993-96, member of the Nominating Committee for President, Chairman of The Rotary Foundation's 3-H Technical Advisors Committee, Aide to the RI President 1996-1997, Chairman and Moderator of the 1999 International Assembly, member 1996-2002 and Chairman 2000-2001 of Rotary International's Audit & Operations Review Committee, Chair of the 2002-2003 Membership Development and Retention Committee.

Glenn and Mary have three children and eight grandchildren. Sixteen members of his family are Paul Harris Fellows.

Glenn is the recipient of the Citation for Meritorious Service and The Rotary Foundation's Distinguished Service Award.



Message from Rotary International President



*Glenn E. Estess Sr.
Shades Valley, Birmingham, Alabama,
USA. R.I. President 2004-2005*

Dear Fellow Rotarians:

One hundred years of Rotary fellowship and service is great cause for celebration, and during our centennial year of 2004-05, I will ask all Rotarians to join with me to Celebrate Rotary. We will celebrate our enormous success toward achieving a polio free world our gift to the children of the world and all the children to come. We will

I am calling on Rotarians to Celebrate Rotary, not with a sense of complacency based on past success but with a renewed sense of urgency based on today's challenges. Our decades of service have revealed to us the magnitude of human need in a world beset by natural disasters, frightening new diseases, and brutal conflicts. We know that millions of illiterate, unskilled people continue to be trapped in a relentless cycle of poverty; we have witnessed the suffering that exists in places with too few doctors and hospitals; and we recognize that basic needs like food and water remain out of reach for far too many. One of the best ways to Celebrate Rotary will be to address those vast humanitarian needs, using the full weight of our hundred years of experience. First and foremost, let us Celebrate Rotary by putting Service Above Self.

We must also continue the retention efforts of recent years, actively involving current members in club projects and maintaining Family of Rotary committees to promote an environment of concern and caring within our clubs. We have seen how important a stable and growing membership was to Rotary's first century of service. Let us make every effort to secure our future by retaining active, committed Rotarians and increasing their numbers.

A hundred years is an important milestone one that few organizations reach. It signifies that Rotary is doing something right and that the need for Rotary service remains strong. There are many 'secrets' to our success, the fellowship derived from weekly meetings and a shared cause, our internationality that opens doors and hearts throughout the world, and the structure that allows us to accomplish so much more as a group than any of us could achieve on our own. But our greatest strength is the enthusiasm with which Rotarians take on new challenges and stay the course until the problem is solved. We are doing that with polio eradication and in thousands of other ways in each of the communities we serve.

Today, Rotary International stands poised to enter its second century of service as one of the world's most influential and effective non-governmental organizations. Our Polio Plus program, the Rotary Centers for International Studies in peace and conflict resolution, our many international humanitarian efforts, and the countless outstanding club and district projects worldwide demonstrate Rotary's contribution to achieving a better, more peaceful world. With a heightened awareness of Rotary's potential, let us enter our second century of service prepared to take on new challenges and go the distance until they are met. **Let us Celebrate Rotary by rededicating ourselves to service in our clubs, our vocations, our communities, and our world.**

Glenn E. Estess, Sr.

President, Rotary International, 2004-05



Chief Guest



Dr. George Judah

Born on 11th August 1943 in Pune , Dr. Judah completed his Bachelor of Arts Degree, Master's in Business Administration and his Ph.D Creativity (Management) from the University of Poona and Psychotherapy and Counseling Skills from NVSC.

He has been a keen flier having completed his Pilot training at the various Flying Clubs and Training Wings all over India.

He was a Pilot with the India Air Force for many years and has fought the 1965 and 1971 wars in Jaisalmer and Bangladesh respectively. He has flown 9 types of Aeroplanes and was an Instructor on three types of aeroplanes.

He also has varied Teaching Experience in subjects ranging from Organisational Behaviour, to Business Environment, Human Relations, Marketing and Personnel Management, Creativity and much more.

He has been a visiting faculty to Premier institutions such as Police Academy Nasik, Tata Management Training Center, National Insurance Academy, National Defence Academy and more.

He is a man of varied and rich experience having held the Post of Director of Symbiosis Institute of Business Management from 1983 to 1995, Director of Indira Institute of Management from 1995 to 1998, Director of Institute of Management Research and Training from 1998 2000 and Director of Rotary Institute of Business Management from 2001-2003.

He has also conducted training programmes at the Tata and Birla Group of companies, India oil, Thermax and many more. He has also conducted many training programmes for the Ministry of Human Resource Development such as Air India Air Hostesses, Mumbai, General Insurance Corporation, Mumbai and LIC Mumbai.

He has presented papers on different subjects at Tel Aviv, Nicosia, Athens and Nairobi. He was offered the L & T chair for OB at IIM, Ahmedabad and was the leader of a delegation to Israel. He has also written a very large number of articles on Creativity, Whole Brain, Thinking, Listening Hypnosis to name a few.

He is a member of many Professional Associations such as Director of AIECSE, Member of All India Management Association, Life member of Indo-American Society, Bombay.

He is a keen sportsman and has played cricket for Central Air Command, was a Referee for Boxing at National Games, plays Badminton etc.

Mr. Judah conducts training programmes in communication, creativity, counseling, Meditation and Hypnosis, Team Building and Personality Development.

Most important amongst his achievements has been counseling skills wherein he has counseled around 700 couples till date and more than 24000 students in the last 28 years.

Indeed a multi faceted personality our Chief Guest.....Dr. George Judah



Installing Officer

Dr. Ashok Kapadia

District Governor

2004-2005



**DR. ASHOK
& FIRST LADY
DR. USHA**

A polished, suave and handsome personality with an infectious smile is what may greet you when you happen to meet District Governor Dr. Ashok Kapadia.

Born & brought up in Bharuch, Dr. Ashok completed his M.B.B.S. from Govt. Medical College, Surat in 1975 and Diploma in Anaesthesiology in 1978. Not satisfied with lowly achievements, he went on to complete an M.D. in Anaesthesiology in 1979 from B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad. Over the last 25 years he has carved a niche of his own as a private practitioner of repute at Bharuch.

Social service beckoned him when he joined Rotary Club of Bharuch in 1982. He went on to become the President of the club in 1991-92, during which he conceived the mega project of renovating & modernizing the crematorium at Bharuch, known as 'Project Shantivan'. The feather in the cap was the achievement of the Significant Achievement Award for this project in 1998-99.

Dr. Ashok made his Club Presidentship more fruitful by attending the R.I. Convention at Orlando, Florida, U.S.A. in June 1992 and also participated in Exposition of Project in WCS pre convention.

He excelled at the District level rendering services as Polio Plus Zonal Co-Coordinator, Chairman of Rotaract Committee (1994-96), GSR (1994-95), GGR (1995-96), Chairman International Youth Exchange (1996-98), District Secretary (1996-97), Chairman of Monthly Service Projects (1998-99), Assistant Governor (2001-02) and Chairman of District Bulletin 3060 Express (2001-02). He has also served as Trustee of R. I. District 306 Trust and Member of the Nominating Committee to elect DGN. Dr. Ashok very successfully led a GSE Team to Scotland R.I. Dist 1010 in 1995-96.

A faculty member at various Conferences, District Assemblies, PETS, Intercity Meets and RYLAs, Dr. Ashok is a much sought after speaker.

Excellence being his hallmark, Dr. Ashok was a proud recipient of various awards which include the coveted District Rotarian of the Year Award for the year 1998-99, The Rotary Foundation District Service Award for three times and Four Avenues of Service Citation Award of the Rotary International.

A Life Member of Indian Medical Association and Association of Anaesthesiologists of India, Dr. Ashok was Organizing Secretary of Gujarat State Medical Conference in 1985. An avid golfer, he is also the member of the Officer's Gymkhana and Narmada Golf Links - Bharuch.

A keen follower of Indian Classical Music, Dr. Ashok is a 'Sangeet Visharad', a graduation in Music.

Happily married to Dr. Usha, an eminent Gynaecologist and the driving force behind Dr. Ashok, the couple is blessed with a daughter Palak, currently doing her M.B.B.S. at Russia and a son Aakash doing his schooling at U.S.A.



Knowing Our Centennial President : 2004-05



**SIDDHARTH &
FIRST LADY ALPA**

A face ready to break into a smile, courteous, soft-spoken, religious minded quite person who prefers to speak less and do more, would aptly describe Centennial President Siddharth Shah.

Though born in Bombay, he was brought up as a true Surti Lala & enjoys good company friends & food.

After completion of schooling at St. Xavier's, went to Bhartiya Vidhyapeeth, Pune for his Chemical Engineering. His project in final year of using Hydrogen as a fuel in Internal Combustion Engine won for him a Gold Medal. He joined his father in the business of chemical trading but two facets of his nature, one his love for birds and second his liking for beautiful Art Creations would not allow him to settle into mundane trading business. He listened to his heart and started 'Vaidehi Crafts' in the year 1998. Today 'Vaidehi Crafts' is a name synonymous with Quality Cane Furniture, Artifacts and Things for a greater lifestyle.

Rotary was in his blood, his father - Dr. Ramesh V. Shah was an active Rotarian of 20 years with 100% attendance and also Past President of Rotary Club of Surat Round Town. Mother - Dr. Suryaben was also Past President of Inner Wheel Club of Surat Round Town. So Siddharth was happy to join the Rotary World as a Charter Member of Rotary Surat Riverside. In his 8 years of membership, he has served as a Board Member for 7 years - as Secretary; Twice as Treasurer; Vice President; President Elect., Sgt-At- Arms, and International Director for which he received District Award as 'The Best International Director'.

He also had an opportunity to serve as a Group Leader - Rotary New Generation Exchange Program to Michigan, U.S.A.

He is also a Paul Harris Fellow.

Today he enthusiastically divides his time between his business, Rotary, Bird Watching & Family. He is also founder President of Bird Conservation Society of Surat.

Behind every successful man there is a successful women. He is married to Alpa, an Architect who has diligently and relentlessly worked to support his Dreams. They are blessed with a daughter, Vaidehi who is a charming bubbly girl & does her parents proud



Farewell Message

Outgoing President



Dr. Ajay Bhardwaj

I am standing before you last time as a President of the club, and to express my sincere feelings of love and gratitude towards the members whose support and encouragement had made my work simple and interesting. A year has passed since I assumed this august post and believe me, my professional work and the club management have woven into a glorious and memorable time of my life.

Whom should I leave out from my team of supporters in navigating the club from the distant 2003 to the present 2004 ? I am proud to say that their participation in the club activities was excellent. I am also thankful to each one of you in obeying my decisions which at times may not be to your individual liking. But at the same time I would request all the members to come out and devote time and energy in fulfilling the aspirations and developmental plans of the club as a whole and the board members in particular.

The un-relentless work of the board members was the main stay of my innings. The sequence of events unfolded itself in the smoothest way and the year came to a close without much disturbances and regrets.

My friend Rtn. Siddharth assumes this coveted post of club president from today. For him too, this will be the experience of life just as it was for me during my tenure. Meetings comes and goes, developmental projects takes shape and finishes, camps are organized and serviced, events occurs and the results accomplished the president is the frontier and the accomplishments are directly proportional to the type and the quality of the leadership displayed by him. He too will require your earnest support and your heart rendering services to fulfill the ideas and plans that he has in his mind.

All our individual feelings should receive a second standing when we are out to serve the society and in it lies the feeling of happiness and satisfaction.

I am once again thankful to all of you for being with me in my endeavor to serve the community which was the only occasion in my life to serve from the position of the President which I am relinquishing today. My best wishes are with the incoming Centennial President.



Secretarial Report - 2003-04

BY HON. SECRETARY RIN. DIVYANG. PARIKH

My joy know no bounds when I have to sum up the activities carried out by the club during the entire year. All avenues of services were well attended by the respective service Directors. They left no stone unturned in liaising the club's image to a new height under the able leadership of our vibrant and devotional president Rtn DR. Ajay Bhardwaj.

1. CLUB SERVICES : RTN JAYESH DHAMANWALA

The installation of the president and his team of warriors was in no way a routine ceremony. Six teams of the adjoining Rotary clubs including that of ours were installed along with the installation of the new Rotary Governor at the same time and place. Quiet a novel experience! Isn't it? The year saw the club strength reaching up to 48 with the induction of 7 more new members along with 2 new lady Rotarians. Shri. H.S.Kohli, executive director Reliance Industries Ltd was conferred HONARARY membership of our club which he gleefully accepted.

In the club Assemblies held, the on going matching grant projects and its future course of actions were discussed. Different means to involve more and more rotarians in the club activities were discussed and special induction programme for the newly inducted members was organized. Issues regarding the attendance, time punctuality and putting on the label pins were also discussed.

During the year developing interpersonal relationship through intensive fellowship was very emphasized as there were as many as 15 fellowship meets in the year. Members were entertained through laughter show, jokes, tongue twisters, arranging for special movie shows, Annets arranging some splendid cultural shows, Anns organizing regular meets. Members and their families also enjoyed game shows and quiz during the regular meets organized by their own members. Outdoor fellowships like movies in theatre, Rotary meet at Essar Township and Dinner meets under the 'FAMILY OF ROTARY' auspices were organized.

Speaker meets are integral part of club governance as they enhance the Rotary and non-rotary knowledge of the members. Both, issues relating to rotary and those concerning the society, environment, political, educational, economical were discussed through the aid of experts in the respective fields. In all about 7 speaker meets were organized in the year, though the members are yet to respond enthusiastically for such gathering. Rotarian PDG Bharat Solanki, IYE Chairman Rtn Devangbhai, intellectual personality like Mahendrasinghi Jadeja, educationists like Amit Thakore were the few amongst the list of speakers.

Over and above this, the D.G Shri.Kulbandhu's visit was made extremely memorable. Despite his illness, he enthralled the members and advised them to give their 100% to the cause of Rotary.

The club has the privilege of organizing two district events.

a) The membership development seminar and b) The IYE Orientation Seminar. Both the events were well attended by the district officers and members of different clubs.

To the interest of all the members of the club cricket training sessions were organized throughout the winter days. Sachins and Dravids and Kumbles of the club performed well to reach the second round of the district competition. Members were quiet charged enough to participate in some district sports events.

District events like District conference, District Assembly, Inter city meet, District and Zonal polio meets etc. were well attended by the club members and I hope their enthusiasm in attending this district events grow even more in the years to come.

The Riverside Ripples, the weekly bulletin of the club was published regularly throughout the year. Rtn President Elect Siddharth should be congratulated for his devotional and excellent work.

2. VOCATIONAL SERVICES: RTN VAISHALI & VIJAY CHAUHAN

It was the turn of the club now to switch on to discover the excellent social and developmental work carried out in the society and to identify the person associated with it.

SHRI. P.R.CHOUDHARY was the first recipient- As a Chief Engineer of the G E B's South Gujarat Zone, he achieved in a year which no other predecessor could, for an indefinite period- cutting down the transmission and distribution losses of the electric supply by booking up the power thieves and reorganizing the bureaucratic set up. G E B south Gujarat zone under his able leadership could mop up its revenue by crores of rupees which was going down the drain till he assumed the office. His sincerity and hard work earned accolades for his him from a number of NGOS like ours besides being given an extension to work even after his retirement.

The second dignitary to receive this award was SHRI. GOPALBHAI BOOKSELLER who have worked extremely hard for the enlistment of the physically handicapped people. He had inherited the quality of attending to the social miseries of the society from his father who too was a great social worker. He also offers vocational lessons to those physically impaired and incapacitated. His social achievements are incomparable long live both of the awardees.

A seminar to impart vocational guidance to the successful students of Std XII was organized. PROF. AMIT THAKORE AND DR.KAMLESH DAVE CATEGORILLY GUIDED the students and opened up new vistas for their future.

3. COMMUNITY SERVICES PP RTN JUGAL SHINGLOT

Community services are an extremely important avenue as it has in it the principles of Rotaty ingrained. The better this service is greased, the smoother the Rotary wheel will run.

President Dr. Ajay and P.P.Jugal had a different idea to start with. Trees were planted in the premises of one Panchayat school at village Vesu and the school authorities vowed to keep them alive and see them grow bigger by providing the necessary and timely nourishment. School children of economically backward parents were distributed note books and compass boxes. Many Rotarians of the club participated in this project of tree plantation and literacy drive.

This concept of tree plantation was well extended when our own president Dr. Ajay conceptualized an idea of developing a strip of land inside the outside wall of the VIR NARMAD UNIVERSITY into a beautiful WALKER'S WAY along with planting and nurturing trees around. The project has been well worked out and the university authorities have given the necessary consent for the same. The incoming president Rtn Siddharth has multiplied the enthusiasm by making it a **Centennial Year Project**. The 6 km strip will require 2 to 3 yrs to develop into a real conceptualized JOGGER'S PARK- a boon for the early morning exercisers. The work has already begun from 5th June'04.

Throughout the year 4 blood donation camps were organized to cater to the growing need of blood from the blood banks.

Rtn.P.P.Sunil D'souza, Rtn P.P. Jugal and other fellow Rotarians took active interest in organizing these camps. The combined efforts of our own Rotarian friends and the members of the community brought around 50 bottles of blood each time. This effort needs to be enhanced in the future as blood is the life line of any infected patient and donating it by the healthier ones is the most effective way of serving the community.

39 young boys & girls from the mentally disabled children school MAMTA had a memorable entertainment as they saw God in the name of our own Rtn. Preeti Jariwala. She took them to a film show at a theatre and the owner made them seat in the executive class besides offering them snacks and ice-cream.

Our club presented 4 computers to the Vesu village primary school in the presence of DG Rtn Kulbandhubhai, Sarpanch of the village, the principal of the school and many children. As you all know a full fledged computer center is functional at the Snehanjali Ladies Hostel by the computers donated by our club.

We also had the opportunity of distributing to the poor people of the Vesu village some clothes, utensils and other house hold goods. They were quite happy at this gesture.

4. YOUTH SERVICES DR. KULDEEP DESAI

Young annets of our club made a big leap to the overseas country as two of them got selected for the short term IYE programme and two for the long term. Their efforts were discernible as they had to pass through grueling tests and interviews. Many of our annets opted to attend RYLA programme organized

by one of the club at Surat and got to learn a lot more in personality development and interpersonal relationship. Lot of opportunity awaits for the youth in the routine Rotary activities which they should understand and participate.

This is just to add that the Rotaract club of S.P.B college and the Interact club of Umrigar School sponsored by our club functioned admirably well throughout the year.

5. INTERNATIONAL SERVICES: Rtn P.P.VISHAL SINHA

Members of inbound IYE team from Malaysia and Singapore made their presentation in a joint meet with R.C of Udhna. They were quiet impressed by the Indian culture, the love and affection showed to them by our Rotarians and above all the home hospitality of their local guardians. Some of our club members were kind enough to host some of them.

Similarly, the out bound IYE team to Singapore and Malaysia received orientation from the district officers in a seminar organized by our club. Team leader P.P.Jugal, his students and their parents received felicitations from the District Governor and fellow Rotarians.

Two matching grant projects of the earlier years were completed in this year and the beneficiaries were awarded the equipment/ asset much to their joy and happiness.

Two members of our club were awarded the recognition of 'PAUL HARRIS FELLOW' for their contribution towards Rotary Foundation. In all our club now has 8 (eight) 'PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS'.

6. POLIO PLUS Rtn BANKIM VASHI

All four N.I.D's were well attended by the members of our club. Children from the labor locality were lured for immunization through door to door campaigning. In fact Rotary International local chapter at Surat had tie-up with the local authorities in making necessary arrangements for the immunization. Our club played a very important role in it.

FUND RAISING: Our club had a extremely successful fund raising programme to honor our commitment towards Rotary Foundation. All the members worked very enthusiastically and devotionally to raise funds for the club. The club could as a result donate 1250 U.S dollars to the Rotary Foundation. The District Governor applauded the generosity of the club members.

In the end I take the opportunity to thank all my fellow friends of the club and those of the neighbouring clubs without whose support and advice I wouldn't have achieved for the club which now I am proud to say, has been a successful story.

President Dr.Ajay gave me an opportunity to work with him and I found in him insurmountable qualities of leadership, friendliness, kindness, attentiveness, self involvement and an ardent listener. He was always charged up in his endeavour of lifting the club to new heights and to make it a model club to be the envy of others.

Hope you all must have enjoyed working with the team of RSR-2003-2004.

Team 2003-04			
President	: <i>Dr. Ajay Bhardwaj</i>	Club Service	: <i>PP Jayesh Dhamanwala</i>
President Elect	: <i>Siddharth Shah</i>	Community Service	: <i>PP Jugal Shinglot</i>
Vice President	: <i>Stanley Martin</i>	Vocational Service	: <i>Vaishali & Vijay Chauhan</i>
Imm. Past President	: <i>Mukund Jariwala</i>	International Service	: <i>PP Vishal Sinha</i>
Hon. Secretary	: <i>Mehul Shah & Divyang Parikh</i>	Polio Chairman	: <i>Bankim Vashi</i>
Hon. Treasurer	: <i>Paresh Dalal</i>	Youth Chairman	: <i>Dr. Kuldeep Desai</i>
Sgt. at Arms	: <i>Pankaj Gandhi</i>	TRF Chairman	: <i>PP Arvind Kumar</i>



Polio Pulse Immunization
DG Kulbandhu & Asst. Governor
Nitin Patel Lending a Hand



Fund Raising for Polio
'Anand Palwankar Nite'



Galaxy of Governors at
IYE Orientation Seminar



IYE In-bound Team
from Malaysia - Singapore



Distribution of Books, Clothes & Toys
at Vesu Panchayat School
by the Anns



Blood Donation Camp
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