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NEW ROTARY YEAR

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UMANG DALAL  
MEGHAL BAXI

Dear friends,

Warm Rotary greetings!

I am honoured for being given the opportunity to lead the Club which has a rich legacy of 85 years. Myself and entire team of Board is committed towards maintaining the legacy and taking the club to the new heights.

Rotary International President Jennifer Jones has given the theme "Imagine Rotary" for the year 2022-23 and wants members to imagine the possibilities in the change they can make to transform the world.

We have imagined the possibilities for making difference in the community. We have done planning for the same and now it's time to turn such possibilities into reality.

I am sure, the team of Board 2022-23 together with the entire family of Rotary will make the coming year a WOW year.

Once again, thanking you for giving me this opportunity.

Imagining a year full of community services, fellowships and enhancing the image of Rotary.

With best regards,

**Rtn. CA Tejas Gandhi**

President



Basic Education  
&  
Literacy



Community  
Economic  
Development



Disease Prevention  
&  
Treatment



Environment



Maternal  
&  
Child Health



Peace Building  
&  
Conflict Prevention



Water Sanitation  
&  
Hygiene

We meet at 7.30 pm  
on Every Friday at  
Club Office Address

## Introduction to Vipassana Meditation

Time: 7.30PM

Venue: Dr. Sarosh Bhacca Memorial Rotary Hall, Near Jeevan Bharati Annexe, Nanpura, Surat – 395001

MOM for the meeting held on date 01/07/22.

Meeting started with the national anthem.

Meeting was called to the order by President CA Tejas Gandhi. Rtn. Ashwin Sukhadia recited the Four Way Test.

President CA Tejas Gandhi welcomed all, taking note of the very auspicious day of 'Rathyatra', Doctor's day, C.A. day and Kutchhi new year. PDG Himanshubhai Thackar welcomed the speaker Dr. Jitubhai Shah. Rotary partner Dr. Ila Thakrar gave Introduction of Dr. Jitubhai Shah.

Felicitation of all doctors and C.A.s of the RC Surat family was done by Dr. Jitubhai Shah and PDG Himanshubhai Thackar. MOC was done by Rotary partner Manjari Desai.

Dr. Jitubhai Shah enlightened the audience about Vipassana. He very beautifully explained the benefits of Vipassana with sharing of well-known personalities. He taught importance of Vipassana to control our anger, fear, pain, anxiety by just observing them as they are without any reaction and thereby to live a life of happiness and spreading joy and happiness in the society.

President Tejas Gandhi, First lady Dr. Neeta Gandhi and Hon. Secretary Kundan Shah presented token of gratitude to Dr. Jitubhai Shah.

Hon. Sec. Kundan Shah did the secretarial announcements and gave information about upcoming events.

Greetings Chair Rtn. Bhavani Mehta did the B'day & Anniversary wishes. President nominee C.A Vijay Methwani proposed the vote of thanks.

President C.A. Tejas Gandhi adjourned the meeting.



## District Governor Shrikant Indani

### Let's know our District Governor,

Rotarian Shrikant Indani who believes that friends and friendship is biggest asset for him.

Born on 3rd August 1974, in Indani family. He is a hard core Rotarian with a Rotractor's heart. He has completed his graduation in Computer Science with distinction. His varied interests continued in college years too and he participated in various competitions and Student Right Movements. He was the "Student of the Year". After graduation, he joined his family business and took it a step ahead with establishment of Baalkrushna Industries. Later in 1997, he joined Rotaract and according to him, his life got a new dimension. Next year he became the Secretary and in year 2001, He became the President of Rotaract Club of Dondaicha. He was honoured with "Rotractor Of The Year" trophy among the 2000 Rotractors of R I District 3060 at that time. Looking at his dedication and leadership qualities, he was elected as DRR in year 2003-04. That time also, he made a record with hosting a 3 days assembly in his Rotaract career. Meantime, along with the family business of oil industry, he also entered into the business of building material sales.



In 2006, he joined Rotary Club Of Dondaicha, a prestigious club of RI District 3060 with great legacy of various permanent projects.

He then became the secretary of club in 2011. For his excellent work, he was recognized as best secretary in district awards. In 2013-14, he took over as the President of the Club and with some innovative projects, he attracted district's attention. In his Presidentship he done remarkable 70+ projects which recognised him as a prominent president of district, also awarded by R I Presidential Citation with distinction with 100% donor club. Chartered a rotary club on birthday of our pride PRIP Kalyanda. Rotarian Shrikant is responsible for 20 digital classrooms in different school.

A person behind different permanent project like, Mobile hospital, Dada-dadi park, Utsav, Dondaicha festival. Later, over the years he was selected for various important posts in district in all arena of Rotary services. He attended almost every Rotary district assembly and district conference after joining Rotary.

Rotarian Shrikant and Sarika has been honoured to be special aid to PRIP Kalyanda and Binotaji in district conference.

With his Profound Knowledge for Rotary he has been invited as a speaker in so many events of Rotary. In his rotary Saga he is honoured by various prestigious awards like, Three Star well Informed Rotarian, Best Secretary, Kalyan Fellow Award, Prominent President, Fantastic 15 Rotarian Award, Outstanding Assistant Governor, TRF Coordinator, Super Challenger Rotarian, Service Project Chair Award.

He wrote in club bulletin, District GML, Coffee table book. Rotarian Shrikant and Sarika both are major donar His Wife Sarika who is M.A. and past President of Inner wheel club Dondaicha. He is blessed with daughter Aditi and son Aditya, both are also PHF. During his Presidential tenure, he took commitment from the club to be a 100% donor club and its continuing till date.

A sportsman, a cyclist, a major donor, also recognised by many for his poetry and Shyari on Rotary foundation.

Overall, Rotarian Shrikant Indani is a solid Rotarian with strong base of Rotaract and huge passion for Rotary.

**People of Action**

Starting the year with concern for health & Hygiene Distribution of Sanitary pads to 33 girl students at Primary School Vedchha Program attendees President Tejas Gandhi, Secretary Kundan Shah, GKP Chair Bhupendra Jariwala, Director Kamal Gandhi, Ms. Sweta Jajoo of RCC Peripherals.



Spreading joy and supporting literacy. Distribution of notebooks to 113 students at Primary School Vedchha Program attendees President Tejas Gandhi, Secretary Kundan Shah, GKP Chair Bhupendra Jariwala, Director Kamal Gandhi, Ms. Sweta Jajoo of RCC Peripherals.



**Rita Pradeep Khandelwal**  
01 - 07 (Rotary Partner)



**TEAM 22-23**



CA Tejas Gandhi  
President



Bishma Jariwala  
IPP



Sandip Nanavati  
President Elect



CA Vijay Methwani  
President Nominee



Kundan Shah  
Hon. Secretary



Ketan Patel  
Hon. Jt. Secretary



Nilesh Jariwala  
Hon. Treasurer



PP Er. Kamal Gandhi  
Service Projects



PP Dr. Ajay Mahajan  
The Rotary Foundation



Jai Mistry  
Club Administration



Alpesh Shetranjiwala  
Membership



Vineet Panchal  
Public Image



Mrunal Kothari  
Sergeant at Arms



Meghal Baxi  
Sergeant at Arms



Umang Dalal  
Sergeant at Arms

**Upcoming Programs July'2022**

- 2 July - Saturday Anganwadi
- 6 July - Wednesday Installation Ceremony  
**WOW Team 2022-2023**
- 7 July - Thursday HUMF Anganwadi
- 9 July - Saturday Anganwadi
- 15 July - Friday Weekly Meeting
- 23 July - Saturday & 24 July - Sunday: Picnic at Saputara

Rotary Club Of Surat

23-24 July

Picnic at Saputara  
Stay at Hotel Shilpi  
Saturday morning  
6.00 am departure  
Return on Sunday  
evening post dinner

Charges Rs.4000/-  
per person on twin  
sharing basis.

दोस्तों, गर्मी के बाद बारिश की रिमझिम फुहार से भरा सुहावना मौसम किसे नहीं भाता, इस मौसम का लुप्त उठाने मौज मस्ती करने चलते हैं पिकनिक पर।

picnic At Saputara