

JANUARY IS VOCATIONAL SERVICE MONTH



ROTARIANS DO IT WITH INTEGRITY

Rotary International President **Stephanie Urchik** with team RC Ottapalam at Kochi on 8 Dec 2024





A month dedicated for Vocational Service

As the month of January begins, Rotary clubs around the world are focusing on an important area of focus: vocational service. Through this focus area, Rotary aims to promote high ethical standards in businesses and professions and to recognize the value of all useful occupations.

Vocational service is a vital aspect of Rotary's mission, and it plays a crucial role in promoting the values of professionalism, integrity, and service in the workplace. By recognizing the importance of all occupations and encouraging ethical standards in business and professions, Rotary clubs can help to promote a culture of service and contribute to the development of strong and vibrant communities.

One way that Rotary clubs can support vocational service is by providing opportunities for professional development and networking. By organizing events and workshops that focus on skills development and best practices in different professions, Rotary clubs can help professionals to stay up-to-date with the latest trends and developments in their fields.

Another important strategy for Rotary clubs is to support vocational training and

education programs. By providing opportunities for young people to develop vocational skills and gain practical experience in different professions, Rotary clubs can help to create a pipeline of skilled workers who can contribute to the growth and development of their communities.

In addition, Rotary clubs can also support vocational service through mentoring and coaching programs. By pairing experienced professionals with young people or those new to a profession, Rotary clubs can help to provide guidance and support that can be invaluable in developing a successful career.

In conclusion, vocational service is an essential aspect of Rotary's mission, and it plays a vital role in promoting high ethical standards in business and professions.

Let us all work together to promote the values of professionalism, integrity, and service in the workplace and to contribute to the development of strong and vibrant communities around the world.



Rtn. Ramachandran Kunduthody

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From the President's Desk

New Year Greetings Dear Rotarians,

By the month of December, we have completed six months for the new team. During the month of December, we have done 15 new projects taking the number of projects to 102 for the year so far. We were able to cross this magical century of projects with the active support of all Rotarians and all others associated with Rotary. Thank you all for the support given to the team.

During the month of January, we are planning to conduct RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) and an Interschool Quiz competition and various other community service projects.

As a part of Vocational Service month, we have organized a members' tour of the Naval Academy at Ezhimala in January 2025.

Once again wishing all a fabulous 2025!

Yours in Rotary

Rtn. Sunil Ammath
President 2024-25



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Activities



Team RC Ottapalam at the Conclave with RI President on 8-Dec-2024



Few Rotarians visited Naval Academy on 7th Dec 2024

Activities



Wheelchair donated to Shoranur Railway Station. Station Master and Deputy Station Master attended the function on 7-Dec 2024

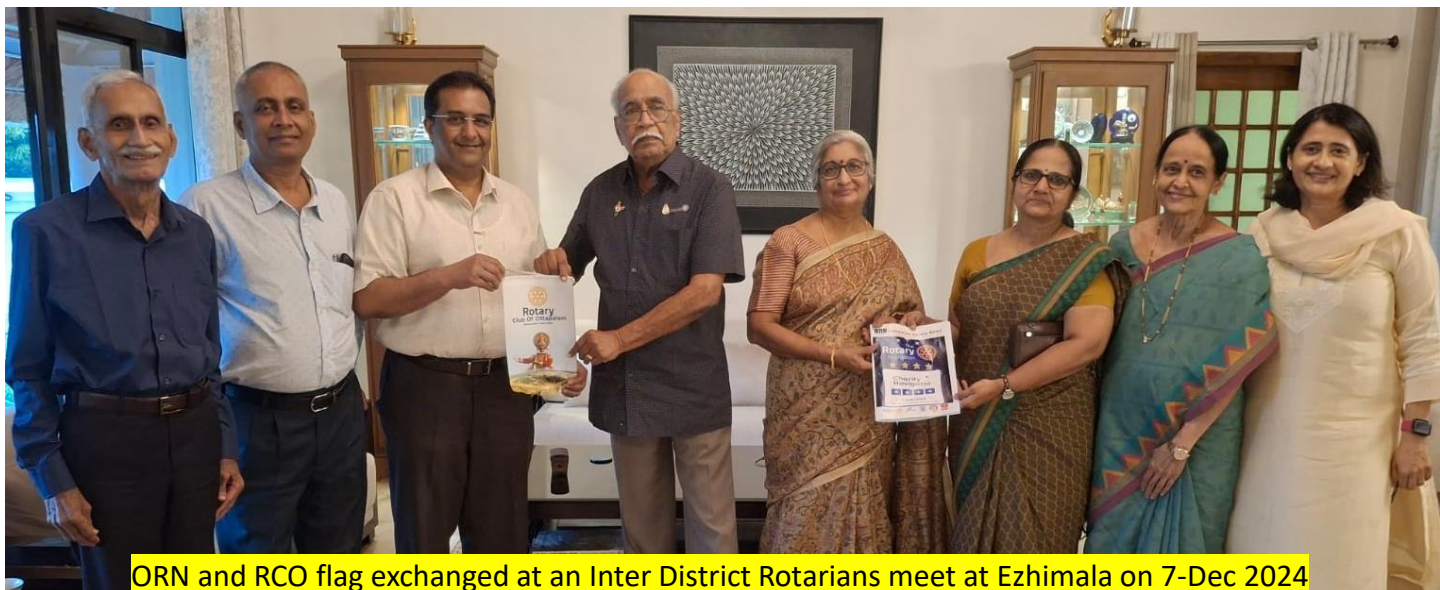


Support given to Nishchinta Mulajoor Lakkadi a NGO working for persons with disabilities on 8-Dec :17

Activities



ORN Digital edition released on 5th Dec 2024(left) and Printed edition released on 14-Dec 2024(right)



ORN and RCO flag exchanged at an Inter District Rotarians meet at Ezhimala on 7-Dec 2024



19-Dec - Treatment support for a patient Ms Sajitha who suffers from elephantiasis given to her brother

Activities



Shot on OnePlus

16-Dec Financial assistance give to a patient awaiting Kidney transplantation at Manakapaddi Chunangad



Shot on OnePlus

19-Dec-Treatment support for Usha Kumari who is paralysed due to accident, given to her husband



Dec-28 -Food for the inmates of Poly garden Lakkidi, sponsored by Rtn. Peethambaran family

Activities



Dec-10-A young man who lost his leg was given artificial limb by Rotary club of Ottapalam



Dec-19-RCO was honored by Bhavans Vidyalaya Ottapalam for RCO Services to the school.

Activities



Dec22-Reception to paraplegics Kashmir-Kanyakumari tour at Rotary Hall Ottapalam



Dec-22 Expenses for one-day meals handed over for feeding poor workers at Shoranur.



Dec-22-Attending Jigalala celebration at Coimbatore

Activities



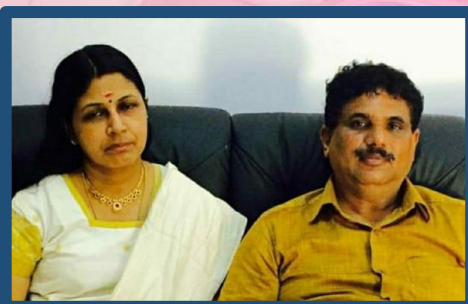
Happy Anniversary!



**Rtn. Adv. P.T. Narendra Menon &
Rtne. Sukumari Narendra Menon
(2-Jan)**

**Rtn. Chitresh Nair &
Rtne. Preethy
(10-Jan)**

**Rtn. Vikas Rajagopalan Nair &
Rtne. Lalitha
(11-Jan)**



**Rtn. Jayachandran P &
Rtne. Simi
(12-Jan)**

**Rtn. Rashid &
Rtne. Shoula
(14-Jan)**

**Rtn. Lt Col Sindhu Santosh &
Mr. Santosh
(24-Jan)**



**Rtn. Pramod Menon &
Rtne Vinitha
(26-Jan)**

**Rtn. Rajesh Nambiar &
Rtne. Srilekha
(29-Jan)**

**Rtn. Sunil Shivashankaran &
Rtne Saritha
(30-Jan)**

Congratulations



President and members of Rotary club of Ottapalam congratulate and extend their best wishes to **D Gukesh** on winning the Chess World Championship 2024. Congrats to Ms. Koneru Humpi world rapid and blitz chess champion - 2024

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മലയാള മനോരമ

ജയൻ പറയുന്നു

Congrats to Rtn. CP Jayan, brother of Rtn. CP Baiju on his newest innovation – “hoisting machine”.

ഇനി സിമന്റ് ചാക്ക് ഇറക്കാൻ... ഒന്നു ലോക്ക് ചെയ്താൽ മതി...

► അധ്വാനഭാരം കുറയ്ക്കാൻ പുതിയ കണ്ടുപിടിത്തവുമായി കവളപ്പാറ സ്വദേശി

ഷൊർണൂർ • ലോറിയിൽ നിന്ന് സിമന്റ് ചാക്കുകൾ ഇറക്കാൻ ഇനി ഒരപ്രാച്യം സൗകര്യം കൽപ്പിക്കാൻ കണ്ടുപിടിത്തം. കൂടുതൽ പുതിയ കണ്ടുപിടിത്തവുമായി കവളപ്പാറ സ്വദേശി സി.ജയൻ. കൂടുതൽ സിമന്റ് ചാക്കുകൾ ഇറക്കാൻ ഇനി ഒരപ്രാച്യം സൗകര്യം കൽപ്പിക്കാൻ കണ്ടുപിടിത്തം. കൂടുതൽ പുതിയ കണ്ടുപിടിത്തവുമായി കവളപ്പാറ സ്വദേശി സി.ജയൻ.

ലോക്ക് എത്തുകയുമായിരുന്നു. 20 അടി നീളവും 8 അടി വീതിയുമുള്ള യന്ത്രത്തിന്റെ സാക്ഷ്യം കൽപ്പിക്കാൻ കണ്ടുപിടിത്തം. കൂടുതൽ പുതിയ കണ്ടുപിടിത്തവുമായി കവളപ്പാറ സ്വദേശി സി.ജയൻ.



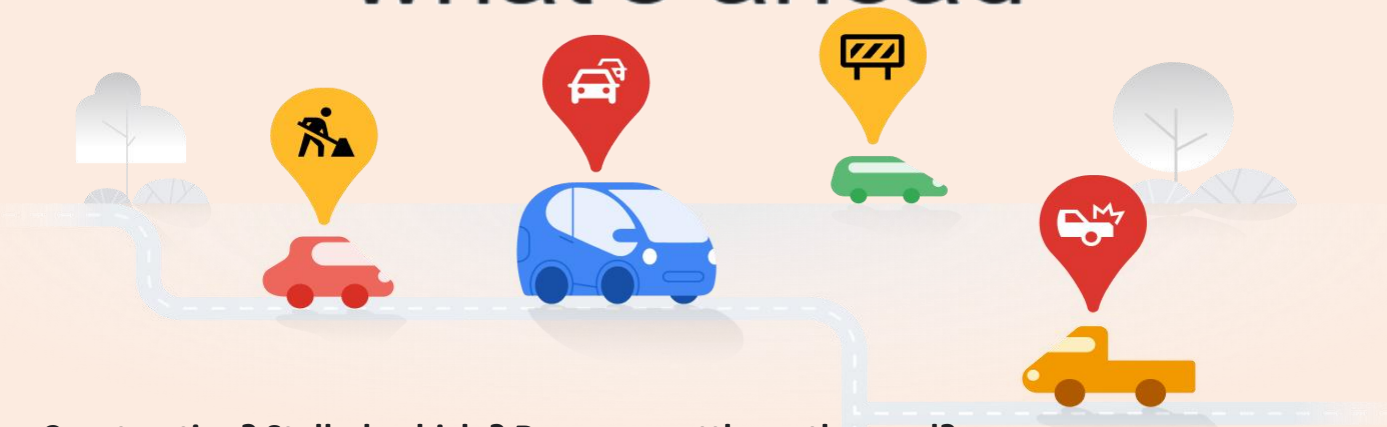
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കൂടുതൽ ഭാരം ഉപയോഗിക്കേണ്ട വസ്തുവകകൾ ഹൈഡ്രോളിക് ഉപയോഗിച്ച് യന്ത്രം നിർമ്മിക്കാമെന്നു ജയൻ പറയുന്നു. നിലവിൽ മലപ്പുറം, കൊടുവായൂർ, ഷൊർണൂർ ഭാഗങ്ങളിലെ വിവിധ സ്ഥാപനങ്ങളിൽ നിന്ന് ഇത്തരത്തിൽ വ്യത്യസ്ത സാധനങ്ങൾ ഇറക്കുന്നതിന് മെഷീനുകൾ നിർമ്മിച്ചതുകൊണ്ട് ആവശ്യപ്പെടുമെന്നു ജയൻ പറഞ്ഞു. അപരമെന്ന് ജോലികൾ നോക്കി

പുറപ്പെട്ട 1996 മുതലാണു ജയൻ മെഷീനിൽ നിർമ്മാണത്തിലേക്കു കടക്കുന്നത്. ആദ്യം കാർഷിക ഉപകരണങ്ങളാണു നിർമ്മിച്ചിരുന്നത്. പിന്നീട് ആളുകളുടെ ആവശ്യപ്രകാരം ഇലക്ട്രിക് വെയറിൽ നിന്ന് ചെമ്പുകമ്പി മാത്രം വലിച്ചെടുക്കാൻ കഴിയുന്ന വഴിയ്ക്ക് സിമന്റുകൾ നിർമ്മിച്ചിരുന്നു. 2 ആളുകളെക്കൊണ്ട് ഒരു ദിവസം 60 മണി നിർമ്മിക്കാൻ കഴിയുന്നതിനാണ് ഹൈഡ്രോളിക് സഹായം ഉപയോഗപ്പെടുത്തി ഒരടിവസം 2 ആളുകളെക്കൊണ്ട് 600 മണി കൽപ്പിക്കാൻ കഴിയുന്ന മെഷീൻ നിർമ്മിച്ചത്. കൂടുതൽ സിമന്റ് ചാക്കുകൾ ഇറക്കാൻ ഇനി ഒരപ്രാച്യം സൗകര്യം കൽപ്പിക്കാൻ കണ്ടുപിടിത്തം. കൂടുതൽ പുതിയ കണ്ടുപിടിത്തവുമായി കവളപ്പാറ സ്വദേശി സി.ജയൻ.



New ways to share what's ahead



Construction? Stalled vehicle? Runaway cattle on the road?

Now it's easier to report real-time driving conditions on Google Maps and confirm reports by others. Supporting other drivers helps everyone on the road navigate more confidently.

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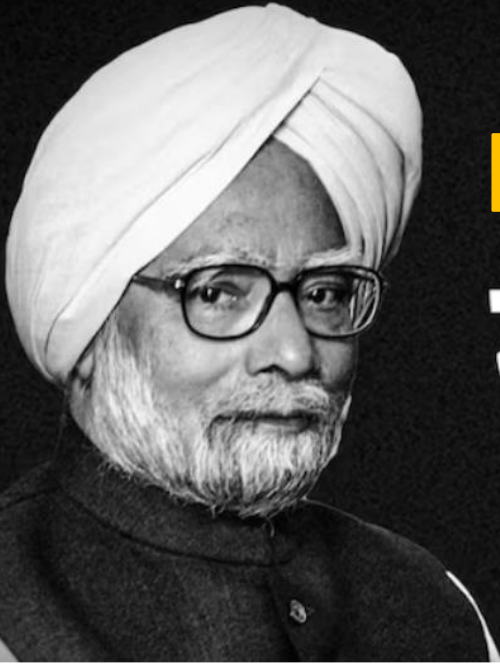
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Share Your Expertise - Join the Speaker Bank!

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

As we strive to create engaging and informative meetings for our clubs, the Rotary District 3201 is excited to announce the launch of a new Speaker Bank initiative! The Speaker Bank will be a valuable resource, allowing us to easily identify qualified Rotarians willing to share their knowledge and experiences with other clubs in our district. This will not only provide fresh perspectives for our own meetings but also foster collaboration and knowledge exchange throughout the Rotary community.

Here's How You Can Get Involved:

We are actively seeking Rotarians with expertise in a wide range of topics relevant to Rotary's core values of Service, Fellowship, Diversity, Integrity, and Leadership. If you possess a unique skillset, have a passion for a specific cause, or have a compelling story to tell, we encourage you to volunteer your services as a speaker!

What We're Looking For:

Engaging and informative presentations on topics aligned with Rotary's focus areas (e.g., Community service, peacebuilding, vocational service, literacy, environment, etc.)

Passionate and articulate speakers who can captivate an audience.

Flexible Rotarians willing to travel within a reasonable distance for speaking engagements.

How to Sign Up:

To join the Speaker Bank, simply complete the brief online form available at [Rotary District 3201 - Speaker Bank](https://tinyurl.com/RotarySpeakerBank). The form will ask for your contact information, areas of expertise, etc. If you are not able to join online, kindly reply to through email cio.rotaryotp@gmail.com or by WhatsApp to 9544396966, along with your biodata and Speaker Topics of Interest.

Benefits of Participating:

By becoming a part of the Speaker Bank, you have the opportunity to:

- Share your knowledge and expertise with a wider Rotary audience.
- Gain valuable speaking experience.
- Connect with Rotarians from other clubs and foster inter-club collaboration.
- Support your club's service initiatives by raising awareness for important causes.

We believe this Speaker Bank will be an asset to our Rotary network. By sharing your talents, you can help us create even more impactful and engaging club meetings.

Together, let's make Service Above Self a reality by fostering knowledge exchange and building stronger connections within Rotary!

Rotary regards,

Rtn. Ramachandran Kunduthody | Zonal Chair - Speaker Bank

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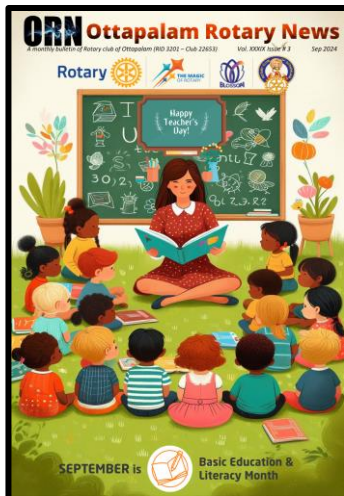
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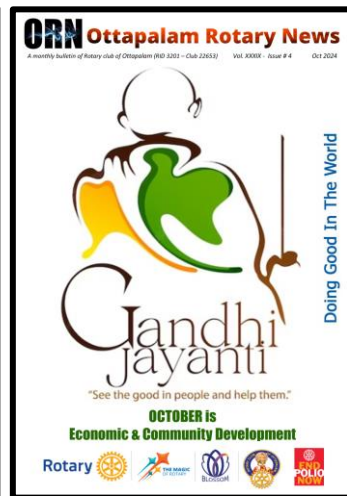
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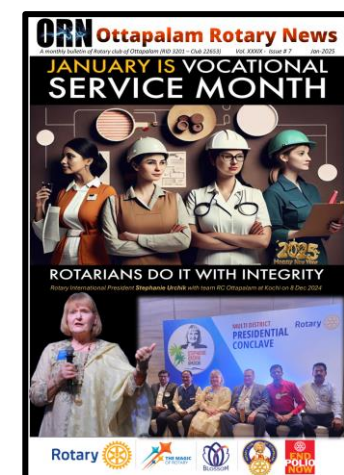
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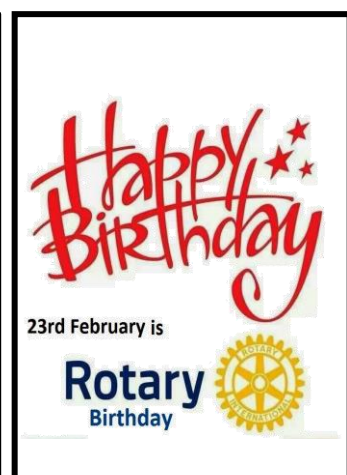
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