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Today's Program

Hello Dear friends,
 Today A very unique program for family night is..... Drum Circle.
 Program will be conducted by professionals & by the end of the session you will all drum up to a rhythm. Request you all to please join us in a fun filled activity based family night ..Let's enjoy the beats of the drums together, along with some delicious food and fellowship..
 Dress code :African / Animal print / western outfit ..
 Venue :RCC
 Time : 7 pm sharp
 Team Club Admin



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Forth-Coming Programs

Happiness is a collection of joyful experiences shared with soul friends. Get together and have some fun!

Amy Leigh Merzran

Day

1st April

8th April

Program/ Topic

Vocational Visit to Enpro

Save Soil by Isha Foundation

Step Into The Club News

Some Proud Moment For Our Club

Rotary district 3131 celebrated world water day with a week long webinar event Jalotsav. Eminent experts spoke on topics like Watershed and ecology, Ground water issues and solutions, Surface water - issues and solutions, Marine ecology conservation and Opportunities in water.

RC Nigdi hosted the webinar on Sunday. Speaker was Prof Aniruddha Adsul who elaborated on Marine ecology and issues with global warming and coral bleaching etc.

The session was hosted by Rtn Sonali Jayant. President Jagmohan welcomed all the guests and gave a brief about our club activities particularly in water and CSR projects. Rtn Gurdeep Bhogal as part of district WASH team was instrumental in coordinating the session and gave the vote of thanks.

Session was well appreciated by District director for WASH, Rtn Satish Khade.

The week was concluded by a district Water Awards ceremony in Pune Club received Rotary Water Award for Significant Projects in Irrigation Works ..

This is recognition for Water Projects done in last 5 Years , Congratulations to all PP & Service Directors.



Proud Moment For RCN



Rotary Dist 3131 Cultural Committee conducted an Instrumental music program (first time in the District) on 4th March, 2022 by the name of SOUND OF MUSIC. Rtn Amol Jadhav and Rtn Ranganaathan from our club participated. Rtn Amol played the evergreen song Mera Jootha Hai Japani on the KEYBOARD (This was his first public performance) and Rtn Ranganaathan played the romantic number Chura Liya Hai Tumne Jo dil Ko on the HARMONICA. Both their performances were well received by the audience.

Veteran singer and eminent violinist Pramod Ranade was the Chief Guest - he enthralled the audience with some old Hindi melodies on the violin.

Anns Aarti Jadhav and Umaa Ranganaathan attended the program.



Proud Moment For Us

Hello Friends,

Wanted to share a proud moment with my rotary family. On the 5th of March 2022 we, as in Shashank myself and Ann Shubhangi (satellite club of music lovers) got an opportunity to perform on Bharat fm Cincinnati. This program was live and people across the globe listened to, viewed and appreciated this program. The program was arranged and conducted by Nayana Sahastrabudhe and Ashish Zha. This was the first time we were performing on such a large platform and am very happy to share that we received many likes and appreciating comments from our viewers including our own rotarians. For those of you who missed it and would like to view the program it can be viewed on you tube. The link of which is shared below.



https://youtu.be/L_yxVcNjTmE
<https://fb.me/e/1x3XNiRLM>

Rtn. Manisha Phadke

Important Day's To Be Celebrated

25th March - International Day of the Unborn Child

The International Day of the Unborn Child is an annual commemoration of unborn fetuses, observed as a day of opposition to abortion, on March 25.



27 March - World Theatre Day

World Theatre Day (WTD) is an international observance celebrated on 27 March. It was initiated in 1961 by the International Theatre Institute.

1st April - Aprils Fools' Day

April Fools' Day is also known as All Fools' Day and is celebrated for centuries but its origins are uncertain. According to some historians, it was first celebrated in 1852, when France switched from the Julian calendar to the Gregorian calendar and some say that it is related to the turn of the seasons.

1st April - Odisha Foundation Day

Odisha Foundation Day is celebrated on 1st April every year in memory to become a separate province on 1 April 1936.

YOUTH EXCHANGE



Rotary Youth Exchange is one of Rotary's most popular programs to promote international understanding and develop lifelong friendships. It began in 1927 with the Rotary Club of Nice, France. In 1939 an extensive Youth Exchange was created between California and Latin America. Since then the program has expanded around the world. In recent years more than 7,000 young people have participated annually in Rotary-sponsored exchange programs.

The values of Youth Exchange are experienced not only by the high school-age students involved but also by the host families, sponsoring clubs, receiving high schools and the entire community. Youth Exchange participants usually provide their fellow students in their host schools with excellent opportunities to learn about customs, languages, traditions and family life in another country. Youth Exchange offers young people interesting opportunities and rich experiences to see another part of the world. Students usually spend a full academic year abroad, although some clubs and districts sponsor short term exchanges of several weeks or months.

Approximately 36 percent of Rotary Youth Exchange students are hosted or sent by the clubs in the United States and Canada. European countries account for about 40 percent, and 12 percent come from Australia and New Zealand. Asian clubs sponsor 5 percent, and 7 percent come from Latin American countries. Over 70 percent of all Rotary districts participate in Youth Exchange activities.

Youth Exchange is a highly recommended program for all Rotary clubs as a practical activity for the enhancement of international understanding and goodwill.



Meri Nazar Se Galib By Rtn Ashwin Kulkarni

MERI NAZAR SE GALIB

Usse kaun dekh sakta ki yeganna
hai wo yekta,
Jo dui ki boo bhi hoti toh kahi do
char hota.

Dui :- Two

Do char hona :- Seeing each other.

Here Ghalib refers to the almighty as being only one of its kind whom we cannot see. We may call him by many names but Ghalib believes that he is the only one present and if, there were some more of his kind they would have made their presence felt to us and we would have seen them.

This is Ghalib's way to tell us that there is only one God , though we may call him by different names.

MERI NAZAR SE :-



According to me Ghalib here refers to us mortal beings unable to see God as we cannot reach the qualities of God. To see somebody there has to be two beings, one who is seeing and the other who is watched. We cannot reach the godliness to meet God. Hence there is only one God.

Rtn. ASHWIN S KULKARNI



Ann's Chit Chat By Ann Umaa Ranganaathan

Magical power of Positive thoughts



The little boy came from school on Saturday and told his father, "My teacher has given us homework to Hug 10 people and tell them - "Be patient, trust life and I Love you".

The Dad said - "Ok, we will go to the Mall tomorrow morning and do it".

The child woke up all spirited up in the morning, got ready. Went to his Dad and said - "Lets go!!"

The father said - "There is heavy rainfall, I fear nobody might be there". The Child still in-

sisted. So the father drove in the horrible rainy weather to the Mall.

They stood in the mall for 1 hour, and the little boy hugged 9 people.

His father then said - "Now lets go, its raining heavily and we shouldn't get stuck!" Sad, the son went along with his father's orders. As they were driving past, the child pointed at a random house. Said, "Please dad, just 1 person is remaining, I will go to that house and complete my homework"

The father smiled and pulled the car over. The child went to the door and began to ring the bell and pound the door strongly with his knuckles. He kept waiting. Finally the door was opened gently.

A lady came out with a very sad look and gently asked:

"What can I do for you, son?"

With radiant eyes and a bright smile the child said:

"Ma'am my teacher has told to Hug 10 people and tell them - "Be patient, trust life and I Love you". I have hugged 9. May I hug you and pass the message to you."

The Lady embraced him, and started crying profusely.

On seeing that the Boy's father came out of the car. He went to the lady and asked - "Any problem madam?"

She composed herself, took them inside, gave them a cup of tea and then told his father - "My husband died a while ago leaving me totally alone in this world. Today morning the loneliness took over me. Since morning I have been thinking that this is the end of the road for me.

Then I took a chair and a rope to my bedroom and decided to end my life. As I was seeing the world for one last time, I begged for forgiveness to my Lord Krishna and then heard this knock. I thought to leave it. But then nobody comes to visit me.

When I opened the door, I couldn't believe my eyes when saw this little child. And when he said, "Be patient, trust life and I Love you". I knew it was a message from God.

Suddenly I realised I don't want to die anymore, and have decided to make something productive of my life."

REMEMBER - Give positive thoughts to people.

Tell them you stand by them.

And even if nothing, just listen to them.

You could be the medium that saves a life.!



Annet's कट्टा (Proud Moments For Us)

Very Happy to inform that Hulasi, daughter of Rtn Sheetal & Abha Khinvasara got acceptance from Carnegie Mellon University, A top ranking University in US. Hulasi will be doing her master's with Major in Business Intelligence & Data Analytics. Heartiest Congratulations to Hulasi & her proud parents... Sheetal & Abha khinvasara From RCN Family..



Annet Hulasi Khinvasara



Congratulations



*Have a great
week ahead*

Wishing you all a great week ahead, filled with smiles, happiness and all of the good things in life.

Pass it on...

सर्वेषां स्वस्ति भवतु

सर्वेषां शान्ति भवतु

सर्वेषां मंगलम भवतु

सर्वेषां पूणम भवतु ॥