Rotary International, Some Interesting Facts

CALCUTTA was the home town for the first Rotary club in India. R.J. Combes, the manager of a steel products company while on a business trip to U.S.A. was so impressed by the "Friendship, fellowship, and service" aspects of the movement called Rotary that he wanted to introduce the idea to his friends in Calcutta also. There was no difficulty for him to convince enough people and convene the first meeting on 26 September, 1919. The new club was chartered just after three months of the first meeting, on the new year day of 1920 to be exact. All the twenty charter members were non-Indians. The first Indian member was S.C.Rudra who was inducted in 1921.

Rotary Structure

Rotary is made up of three parts: Our clubs, Rotary International, and The Rotary Foundation. Together, we work to make lasting change in our communities and around the world.

1962: Interact Takes Action

As early as the 1920s, individual Rotary clubs supported youth activities, sponsoring troops of scouts, and taking part in a Boys' Week that encouraged young people to be good citizens and promoted education, health, hygiene, and vocation.

Members of the first Interact club, the Interact Club of Melbourne High School, form the letter I, surrounded by members of their sponsor club, the Rotary Club of Melbourne, Florida, USA. 1962.

Expanding our reach with Rotaract

Rotary members were looking for a way to promote Rotary to college students and other young adults who were over the Interact age limit. The answer was Rotaract: a service program for men and women ages 17-25 that would be sponsored by local Rotary clubs. (The age requirement later changed.)

The idea became reality in January 1968 when Rotary approved the Rotaract proposal. Members of the Rotary Club of Charlotte-North, North Carolina, USA, had worked with local university students, and they seized the opportunity to sponsor a Rotaract club. The first Rotaract club was certified by Rotary on 13 March 1968 at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte.

Which is the first club in Asia?

In early 1919, Rotarian Roger Pinneo of Seattle, Washington, USA, traveled to the Philippines to try to organize a Rotary club in Manila. Leon J. Lambert, a Manila business leader helped Pinneo establish the club. Several months later, on 1 June 1919, the Rotary Club of Manila was chartered and became the first Rotary club in Asia.

Why the Rotary year begins 1 July

Ever wonder why July 1 is the beginning of the Rotary year? Initially, our conventions played a key role in determining the start date of our fiscal and administrative year.

Rotary's first fiscal year began the day after the first convention ended, on 18 August 1910. The 1911-12 fiscal year also related to the convention, beginning with the first day of the 1911 convention on 21 August.

The term "Rotary year" has been used to signify Rotary's annual admi

Presence of Rotary across globe

A Stamp issued by India In 1987 to Commemorate The Asian Regional RI Conference In New Delhi and to promote Polio Immunization.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Hemant Avhad

Rtn. Hemant Avhad

Ann. Sayali Bhandarkar

- **Name of Spouse: Sayali Bhandarkar**
- **Rotary ID: 11390953**
- **Work Background : Project Management Professional & Consulting Engineer**
- **Year of Joining Rotary:2022**
- **Birthdate: 26/02/1991**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 28/01/1991**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 18/12/2016**

My thoughts about RCPB:

RCP Baner is a very energetic club filled with enthusiasm. I am relatively new to this club, however, I could feel the positivity coming from each member.

I like to be a Rotarian because:

As a Rotarian this is my first month, but I also was a Rotary Annette for 28 years. The selfless work which Rotary does for community is commendable. Rotary family reaches every corner of the world. Hence, this is the best organization to join if you want to make positive changes to the world and to help the needy.

Rtn. Neelima Anil Bhate

Rtn. Neelima Bhate

- **Rotary ID: 10668535**
- **Classification: CA**
- **Work Background: Practicing Chartered Accountant. And Insolvency Professional**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2019**
- **Birthdate: 28/10/1970**

My thoughts about RCPB:

RCP Baner is an innovative and friendly club.

I like to be a Rotarian because:

It is a good platform for doing great social work.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Snehal Bhat

Rtn. Snehal Bhat

- **Name of Spouse: Ganesh**
- **Rotary ID: 5173004**
- **Classification: Handmade paper mfgr**
- **Work Background : Hand Made paper mfgr and exporter**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2002- 2003**
- **Birthdate: 14/05/1955**

My thoughts about RCPB:

RCP Baner is a promising club with a bright future.

I like to be a Rotarian because:

I am proud to be a Rotarian as Rotary gives me a chance a do something for the community.

Rtn. Nilesh Bide

Rtn. Nilesh Bide

Rtn. Ashwini Bide

- **Name of Spouse: Ashwini**
- **Rotary ID: 11225948**
- **Classification: Architect**
- **Work Background : I am a practicing Architect based in Pune.**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2021**
- **Birthdate: 07/03/1984**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 24/03/2008**

My thoughts about RCPB:

I am surprised to see so much enthusiasm and involvement of each member at RCPB. The effort is not limited only to the day-to-day activities but towards making RCP Baner, an outstanding club in the district. Hats off to all team efforts.

I like to be a Rotarian because:

I am a part of 'RCP Baner' and proud of the work we do.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Ajit Chaudhari

Rtn. Ajit Chaudhari

Rtn. Jyoti Chaudhari

- **Name of Spouse: Jyoti Chaudhari**
- **Rotary ID: 8386684**
- **Classification: Production Engineer**
- **Work Background : Retired General Manager from Mahindra & Mahindra**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 20/10/2011**
- **Birthdate: 18/12/1953**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 09/02/1959**
- **Wedding Anniversary:12/02/1981**
- **Name of Annettes: Dr Nikita Mishra & Lakshmi Chaudhari**

My thoughts about RCPB:

It's a very well managed club. The founder members and I have seen so many ups and downs, but we, as a team, emerged into a very strong club. Our bonding developed and we are now a vibrant club.

I like to be a Rotarian because:

It gave me a platform to serve the community and to payback to the society.

Rtn Dr. Rajat Chitravanshi

Rtn Dr. Rajat Chitravanshi

Ann. Geetika Chitravanshi

- **Name of Spouse: Ann. Geetika Chitravanshi**
- **Rotary ID: 10665257**
- **Classification: Supply Chain Management Consultancy**
- **Work Background : Head of SCM (CXO) in Ascend Telecom Infrastructure & Managing Director - Rich Gain SCM Services**
- **Year of Joining Rotary - 2004**
- **Birthdate: 09/05/1962**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 26/05/1962**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 05/11/1987**
- **Name of Annettes: Ms. Saumyaa & Ms. Shaurya**

My thoughts about RCPB:

RCP Baner is a young and vibrant club that has dynamic and dedicated members. It is one of the most recognized clubs in the Rotary District 3131.

I like to be a Rotarian because:

My association with Rotary as Member of Rotary International was from the year 2004 to 2009. I was associated with Rotary Club of Pune Ganeshkhind as the Treasurer of the club in the year 2006 . I held the position of TRF – Co-Chairman : Corporate Promotion of Rotary Foundation in the District Administration Committee of Rotary District 3130 in the year 2007 – 2008 , Paul Harris Fellow (Self & Spouse), Major Donor Level-1.

Meet our Members

Rtn Jaydeep Chougule

Rtn. Jaydeep Chougule

Ann. Latika Chougule

- Name of Spouse: Latika Jaydeep Chougule
- Rotary ID: 11354334
- Classification: Engineer
- Work Background : Founder, CMD at Dhruva Automation & Controls Private Limited
- Year of Joining Rotary - 09/02/2022
- Birthdate: 24/03/1970
- Birthdate of Spouse: 15/03/1967
- Wedding Anniversary: 28/04/1996
- Name of Annette: Gandhar Jaydeep Chougule

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCPB is a very vibrant group of dedicated professionals.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Rotary is equal to giving back to the Society.

Rtn. Madhukar Deshmukh

Rtn. Madhukar Deshmukh

Ann. Shubhangi Deshmukh

- Name of Spouse: Shubhangi Deshmukh
- Rotary ID: 10213747
- Year of Joining Rotary: 2017-18
- Birthdate: 12/08/1966
- Birthdate of Spouse: 13/06/1971
- Wedding Anniversary: 21/07/2022
- Name of Annettes: Rohan and Digvijay

My thoughts about RCPB:
The club has progressed during the last few years with enthusiastic new members. I am sure they will take the club to new heights.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Being a Rotarian is a nice opportunity to help the society and to increase our network.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Sujeet Dubey

Rtn. Sujeet Dubey

Ann. Priya Dubey

- **Name of Spouse: Priya Dubey**
- **Rotary ID: 8385946**
- **Classification: Information Technolgy**
- **Work Background : Self Employed**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2022**
- **Birthdate: 27/03/1970**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 24/10/1971**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 09/01/2000**
- **Name of Annette: Avanti Dubey**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCP Baner is a young and vibrant club.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I am proud to be a Rotarian as I get to serve the society.

Rtn. Vikram Jadhav

Rtn. Vikram Jadhav

Ann. Trupti Jadhav

- **Name of Spouse: Trupti Jadhav**
- **Rotary ID: 8701861**
- **Classification: Software Consultant**
- **Work Background : Worked in various software companies in USA and India.**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 01-Jul-2013**
- **Birthdate: 07/06/1965**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 29/05/1972**
- **Wedding Anniversary:27/12/1994**
- **Name of Annettes: Shivraj and Adhiraj**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCPB is a growing and vibrant club. Members are friendly. Projects and Meetings are good and add value in our lives.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I get to return something to the society and help people who are in need.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Shivcharan Motariya

Rtn. Shivcharan Motariya

Ann. Manju Jaiswal

- **Name of Spouse: Manju Jaiswal**
- **Rotary ID: 11228370**
- **Classification: Lawyer**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2021**
- **Birthdate: 05/11/1957**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 22/04/1959**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 10/05/1983**
- **Name of Annettes: Sahil, Vrushalika**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCPB is a good club

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Rotary works for the betterment of society

Rtn. Aniruddha Joshi

Rtn. Aniruddha Joshi

Ann. Prajakta Joshi

- **Name of Spouse: Prajakta**
- **Rotary ID: 10521387**
- **Classification: Finance Professional**
- **Work Background : Finance Professional**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2019**
- **Birthdate: 29/06/1979**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 31/08/1980**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 12/03/2008**
- **Name of Annette: Aditi Joshi**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCP Baner is a great place where we meet excellent people who think above themselves.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Being a Rotarian is great. We meet excellent people who think above themselves and can be of service to the society.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Satyanarayan Kabra

Rtn. Satyanarayan Kabra

Ann.Usha Kabra

- **Name of Spouse: Usha Kabra**
- **Rotary ID: 10303975**
- **Classification: Businessman**
- **Work Background: Electronics business. Passionate for gardening as a hobby**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 1971**
- **Birthdate: 25/03/1948**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 24/04/1951**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 02/06/1971**
- **Name of Annettes: Daughters: Priti Anil Rathi, Neeti Vasant Sarda. Son: Darshan Kabra**

My thoughts about RCPB:
I am very happy and proud to be a part of RCP Baner. The members are like my family, and I thoroughly enjoy working with them.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Rotary gives me and many others an opportunity to do something for the community. It helps us to continue learning, while making new friends and growing as individuals.

Rtn. Jigneash Karria

Rtn. Jigneash Karria

Rtn. Prreeya Karria

- **Name of Spouse: Rtn. Prreeya Karria**
- **Rotary ID: 5386529**
- **Work Background – Construction, fabrication and sports development**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2019**
- **Birthdate: 27/11/1976**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 13/10/1976**
- **Wedding Anniversary:17/02/2002**
- **Name of Annette: Daiwik**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCPB is a wonderful group of people who are focused and dedicated towards the development of the society.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Service before self is the main motto of any Rotarian.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Prreeya Karria

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Rtn. Jigneash Karria

- **Name of Spouse: Rtn. Prreeya Karria**
- **Rotary ID: 10829454**
- **Classification: Dance fitness instructor**
- **Work Background : Training and self development.**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2019**
- **Birthdate: 13/10/1976**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 27/11/1976**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 17/02/2002**
- **Name of Annette: Daiwik Karria**

My thoughts about RCPB:
I feel that RCPB has members from different age groups and different fields coming together and they gel as a family. Each member is so special.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Across the globe, this Rotary community is the best and dedicated to service above self. It is really a matter of pride to be a part of this organization.

Rtn. Sanjay Kulkarni

Rtn. Sanjay Kulkarni

Ann. Seema Kulkarni

- **Name of Spouse: Seema Kulkarni**
- **Rotary ID: 8428097**
- **Classification: Information Technology professional**
- **Work Background : Head of Global Subco management - General Manager**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2011**
- **Birthdate: 27/06/1969**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 19/09/1975**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 22/05/1997**
- **Name of Annettes: Sakshi, Suruchi and Sudwy**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCPB is a vibrant club with lots of energy and eager to reach the top in District 3131.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Rotary is an excellent platform for social networking and gives scope for expression of innovative qualities and creativity. It provides motivation for all age groups to work passionately for community.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Surhuda Kulkarni

Rtn. Surhuda Kulkarni

Anna. Krishna Kulkarni

- **Name of Spouse: Krishna Kulkarni**
- **Rotary ID: 8719214**
- **Classification: Leadership and Communication Coach, Journalist-writer, Entrepreneur**
- **Work Background : Business owner and corporate trainer & Leadership coach at Marvellous Training Forum, a training organization.**
- **Year of Joining Rotary:2013**
- **Birthdate: 16/10/1967**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 10/06/1963**
- **Wedding Anniversary:30/11/1992**
- **Name of Annettes: Indraneel and Akshata**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCPB is a vibrant, promising and an ideal club with enthusiastic members. I am very glad and proud that I'm a member of RCPB.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I'm very proud to be a Rotarian as Rotary has taught me to share and care and also helped me in networking with inspiring people from various walks of life.

Rtn. Shrikant Mandhana

Rtn. Shikant Mandhana

Ann. Sunita Mandhana

- **Name of Spouse: Ann. Sunita Mandhana**
- **Work Background : Real Estate**
- **Year of Joining Rotary-2019**
- **Birthdate: 08/08/1958**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 13/04/1963**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 25/02/1984**
- **Name of Annettes: Shrutika and Sagar**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCP Baner is a baby club and the work is not less than any other older clubs. The group is filled with vibrant members.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Being a Rotarian itself is a proud feeling moment and achievement of life.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Dippak Mudliyar

Rtn.Dippak Mudliyar

Rtn. Gunavathi Mudliyar

- **Name of Spouse: Gunavathi Mudliyar**
- **Rotary ID: 8386678**
- **Classification: Business**
- **Work Background : Business**
- **Birthdate: 11/07/1974**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 24/05/1973**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 15/11/2002**
- **Name of Annette: Saish Mudliyar**

My thoughts about RCPB:
I am proud to be a member of RCPB.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I am proud to be Rotarian.

Rtn. Gunavathi Mudliyar

Rtn. Gunavathi Mudliyar

Rtn. Dippak Mudliyar

- **Name of Spouse: Dippak Mudliyar**
- **Rotary ID: 10200398**
- **Classification: Aesthetician and Beautician**
- **Work Background : Business**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2008**
- **Birthdate: 24/05/1973**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 11/07/1974**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 15/11/2002**
- **Name of Annette: Saish Mudliyar**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCPB is a nice organization that helps other people (social work). All the members are dedicated to help other people. In the club there is always a friendly atmosphere.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I am very proud to be a Rotarian. Being a member of RCP Baner, I can help other people and do social work.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Prashant Mulay

Rtn. Prashant Mulay

- **Rotary ID: 8386624**
- **Classification: Engineer**
- **Work Background : Project Engineering**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2011**
- **Birthdate: 06/09/1945**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCP Baner is a great place.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
For the achievements and the satisfaction of social service one can be proud of being a part of Rotary.

Rtn. Satya Muley

Rtn. Satya Muley

Ann. Ashwini Muley

- **Name of Spouse: Ashwini Muley**
- **Rotary ID: 11065514**
- **Classification: Advocate**
- **Work Background : Practicing Advocate at Bombay High Court**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2020**
- **Birthdate: 02/04/1972**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 05/09/1975**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 29/08/1999**
- **Name of Annettes:Tania & Karina Muley**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCP Baner is a club consisting of vibrant members and is fully focused towards the goals of Rotary.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I am proud to be a Rotarian as it allows to bring out the social side of ones personality and offers opportunities for doing activities of social cause.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Pradeep Nadkar

Rtn. Pradeep Nadkar

Ann. Rasna Nadkar

- **Name of Spouse: Rasna Nadkar**
- **Rotary ID: 9285780**
- **Classification: Engineer**
- **Work Background : Project Management Professional & Consulting Engineer**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2022**
- **Birthdate: 26/02/1991**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 28/01/1991**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 18/12/2016**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCPB is a vibrant club with highly motivated Rotarians undertaking very effective and challenging community service projects.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Rotary's ideals of service to the community create an opportunities to develop acquaintances with persons from a wide spectrum of occupations and experiences along with contributing to the international nature of Rotary's service and goodwill development.

Rtn. Suyog Nyati

Rtn. Suyog Nyati

Ann. Manali Nyati

- **Name of Spouse: Manali**
- **Rotary ID: 11199431**
- **Classification: Engineer**
- **Work Background : Engineer**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2021**
- **Birthdate: 11/10/1988**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 08/06/1989**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 22/02/2015**
- **Name of Annettes: Shlok Nyati, Shaurya Nyati**

My thoughts about RCPB:
Rotary Club of Baner is doing very nice work. The initiative to take work and get it done is fabulous.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
It feel like we are helping people via Rotary.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Kamlesh Pherwani

Rtn. Kamlesh Pherwani

Ann. Shweta Pherwani

- **Name of Spouse: Shweta Pherwani**
- **Rotary ID: 8701868**
- **Classification: Garment Business**
- **Work Background : Wholesale Garment Distributor**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2012**
- **Birthdate: 01/09/1974**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 16/11/1975**
- **Wedding Anniversary:13/02/2001**
- **Name of Annette: Nishika**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCP Baner is not only a club, it is family . Everyone from children to senior members are enjoying club activities, events, projects etc. We are completing a journey of 10 years this year. There is an extraordinary bonding among all of us. I am grateful to my club where I got happiness, knowledge, friends and I could improve my personality .

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Through Rotary International, many projects are ideated and executed every year. These are based on literacy , water, health, peace, environment, and many other areas. As a Rotarian, I am proud to be a part of this big NGO.

Rtn. Unmesh Risbood

Rtn. Unmesh Risbood

Ann. Sonia Risbood

- **Name of Spouse: Sonia Risbood**
- **Rotary ID: 8386639**
- **Classification: IT Infrastructure and Services**
- **Work Background : One Stop IT Solution & Services**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2011**
- **Birthdate: 26/08/1972**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 15/07/1971**
- **Wedding Anniversary:04/01/1997**
- **Name of Annettes: Karan and Ria**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCP Baner club has a strong sense of bonding, assimilation and stays miles away from politics.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Rotarians believe in service above self and give back to the community in the best possible manner.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Nitin Sachdev

Rtn. Nitin Sachdev

Ann. Reena Sachdev

- **Name of Spouse: Reena Sachdev**
- **Rotary ID: 9822676**
- **Classification: Business**
- **Work Background: Distribution of led lights**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2016-2017**
- **Birthdate: 07/07/1976**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 09/05/1977**
- **Wedding Anniversary:24/02/2002**
- **Name of Annettes: Anishka , Divina**

My thoughts about RCPB:
Baner club is a wonderful club and believes in holistic growth. All members are willing to give 100 percent in social work projects and there is a good bonding between the members. The club has grown in the last few years and is working on new ways to make a difference.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Rotary helps you grow in all the areas of life. It helps all the members in doing good social work such as the polio drive and many more projects that can make a difference to the society. Rotary also helps you in personal growth as you meet so many successful people and this helps in improving communication skills.

Rtn. Sanket Saraf

Rtn. Sanket Saraf

Ann. Richa Saraf

- **Name of Spouse: Richa Saraf**
- **Rotary ID: 10200388**
- **Classification: Educationist**
- **Work Background: Serving as Director of K-12 ICSE Schools looking after 2500 students in Nagpur and Pune.**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2017**
- **Birthdate: 18/12/1976**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 09/01/1977**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 12/12/2002**
- **Name of Annette: Rohil Saraf**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RC Pune Baner is a young club which has several committed Rotarian members, and adequate family bonding. It is involved in making an impact through community service projects in almost all avenues of Rotary. It is a club that has a potential to make greater impact by taking GG and CSR led projects.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I am a proud Rotarian as this international organization is committed to service and fellowship. It offers all the members several opportunities to participate in various types of roles in societal development, youth and women empowerment or even in events organization and cultural entertainment.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Shekhar Shet

Rtn. Shekhar Shet

Ann. Shilpa Shet

- **Name of Spouse: Shilpa Shet**
- **Rotary ID: 8701866**
- **Classification: Solar Energy System EPC**
- **Work Background : Dealing in Rooftop Solar Projects which is need of the time which help one save electricity bills and save environment too.**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 1993**
- **Birthdate: 08/12/1970**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 31/12/1975**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 21/12/1975**
- **Name of Annettes: Krutika, Himanshu**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCP Baner is a cosmo culture club with primary motto of service above self. RCP Baner is a family of young and dynamic friends. Our club has a good track record of executing highly effective social projects. Our club has also much bigger potential to undertake big budget projects and reach out to maximum beneficiaries. There is a lot of fun being part of it.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I am proud to be part of Rotary International family. Rotary touches lives of millions of families every year across the world through focused projects in various 7 areas. It also adds lots of fun to members' daily lives through great concepts in friendship and fellowship. It also helps to enhance our personal leadership skills. Rotary is very well structured like any corporate organization, and passes maximum benefits to downtrodden people. It is often said, "Once a Rotarian always a Rotarian." Rotary has maximum membership from India and still there is lot of scope for social projects.

Rtn. Sunita Sial

Rtn. Sunita Sial

- **Rotary ID: 8386626**
- **Work Background : Businesswoman**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2010**
- **Birthdate: 29/03/1964**
- **Name of Annette: Mahua Sial**

My thoughts about RCPB:
I've been very grateful for all of the great connections and friendships I've developed through the years because of RCP Baner. The projects I have been able to work on have really made an impact in my life. It's also quite wonderful that there are a lot of interesting new members who are joining. Hopefully we are able to continue doing good for society.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I am proud to be Rotarian for all the good we do, and the networks that have opened up due to being part of Rotary Baner.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Nitin Wagh

Rtn. Nitin Wagh

Ann. Sandhya Wagh

- **Name of Spouse: Sandhya wagh**
- **Rotary ID: 9993763**
- **Classification: Civil Engineer**
- **Work Background : Architect & civil Engineer**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2018**
- **Birthdate: 14/07/1969**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 07/02/1971**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 03/12/1995**
- **Name of Annettes: Purva , Atharva**

My thoughts about RCPB:
Dil mange more...

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Survival of fittest.

Rtn. Satyajit Wale

Rtn. Satyajit Wale

Ann. Ashwinin Wale

- **Name of Spouse: Ann. Ashwini Wale**
- **Rotary ID:**
- **Classification: Trainer and Insurance Advisor**
- **Work Background : Insurance Advisor and teaching at Management colleges**
- **Year of Joining Rotary- 2011**
- **Birthdate: 30/06/1976**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 17/10/1978**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 04/05/2003**
- **Name of Annettes: Shriya Wale and Samruddhi Wale**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCP Baner is a vibrant and growing club.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I love social work, socializing and it helps build business connections.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Vaishali Zumbre

Rtn. Vaishali Zumbre

Anna. Sanjay Zumbre

- Name of Spouse: Sanjay Zumbre
- Rotary ID: 8538654
- Classification: Engineer
- Work Background : Electrical Engineer
- Year of Joining Rotary: 2012
- Birthdate: 17/03/1971
- Birthdate of Spouse: 21/01/1964
- Wedding Anniversary:25/12/1994
- Name of Annettes: Yash and Shreyas

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCP Baner is a lively and enthusiastic club. I have always been happy to join the club projects that are nice. All events, meetings take place according to rules. It has a very nice venue.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Being a Rotarian gives immense pleasure and satisfaction while working for society with similar thinking friends. We get to enjoy many cultural programs and variety of fellowships. We learn so many things like leadership management, time management etc. I love Rotary and I am proud to be a Rotarian.

Rtn. Sarat Kumar Swain

Rtn. Sarat Kumar Swain

Ann Bijayalaxmi Swain

- Name of Spouse: Bijayalaxmi
- Rotary ID: 8385931
- Work Background : Construction Industry Professional
- Annettes: Ritu, Piyush and Pinak.

Rtn. Shashikant Thakur

•Rotary ID: 8385935

Rtn. Dhamale Anil

•Rotary ID: 8701870

Meet our Members

Rtn. Dr. Sunita Dharmrao

Rtn. Dr Sunita Dharmrao

Anna. Dr. Saheb Khandare

- **Name of Spouse: Dr. Saheb Khandare**
- **Rotary ID: 8428097**
- **Classification: Academician and social entrepreneur**
- **Work Background : Director of FCHF**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2021**
- **Birthdate: 16/11/1970**
- **Birthdate of Spouse: 05/07/1962**
- **Wedding Anniversary: 31/05/1996**
- **Name of Annette: Mrinalini**

My thoughts about RCPB:
RCPB is like a family, where one can grow and help others to grow in all aspects. We as a family, try to contribute as much as we can, to the society. It's amazing to work with such enthusiastic people.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
In Rotary, everyone's efforts and contribution is well counted. Here, I have experienced so much satisfaction because of what we do for society. I am glad that my presence and help can make a little good change and I will always continue my work here as a proud Rotarian.

Rtn. Dr. Shilpa Phansalkar

Rtn.Dr. Shilpa Phansalkar

Anna. Rahul Phansalkar

- **Name of Spouse: Rahul Phansalkar**
- **Classification: Doctor**
- **Work Background : M.D.S. Prosthodontist and Implantologist**
- **Birthdate: 29/10/1977**

My thoughts about RCPB :
I am very happy about joining this Club.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Rotary offers us a chance to work for humanity.

Meet our Members

Rtn. Meenakshi Dusane

Rtn.Meenakshi Dusane

- **Classification: Banker**
- **Work Background : 40 Years of work experience in Bank of Maharashtra. 40 years to singer by hobby.**
- **Year of Joining Rotary: 2022**
- **Birthdate: 19/06/1962**

My thoughts about RCPB:
I am very happy to join Rotary Club of Pune Baner

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I am very proud to be a Rotarian.

Rtn.Kishor Girme

Rtn. U.S Gupte

- **Classification: Business**
- **Work Background : Business**

My thoughts about RCPB:
I am very happy to have joined this club.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Rotary works for environment too and I am so glad.

Rtn. Manas Dalai

Rtn. Manas Dalai

My thoughts about RCPB:
I am very happy to join this club

I like to be a Rotarian because:
Rotary is an international level organization.

Rtn. U.S Gupte

Rtn. U.S Gupte

- **Classification: Mechanical Engineer**
- **Work Background : 30 Years in manufacturing in IFFCO. Plays music on keyboard as a hobby.**
- **Birthdate: 17/11/1952**

My thoughts about RCPB:
Rotary is dedicated to help the society at large. RCPB is a friendly club.

I like to be a Rotarian because:
I am very proud to be a Rotarian.

Members' Section

Want to Be Happier? Stop Doing These 10 Things Right Now

- By Rtn. Dr. Rajat Chitravanshi

Happiness - in your business life and your personal life—is often a matter of subtraction, not addition. Consider, for example, what happens when you stop doing the following things.

Blaming

People make mistakes. Employees don't meet your expectations. Vendors don't deliver on time. So you blame them for your problems. But you're also to blame. Maybe you didn't provide enough training. Maybe you didn't build in enough of a buffer. Maybe you asked too much, too soon.

Taking responsibility when things go wrong instead of blaming others isn't masochistic, it's empowering—because then you focus on doing things better or smarter next time. And when you get better or smarter, you also get happier.

Impressing

No one likes you for your clothes, your car, your possessions, your title, or your accomplishments. Those are all "things." People may like your things—but that doesn't mean they like you. Sure, superficially they might seem to, but superficial is also insubstantial, and a relationship that is not based on substance is not a real relationship.

Clinging

When you're afraid or insecure, you hold on tightly to what you know, even if what you know isn't particularly good for you. An absence of fear or insecurity isn't happiness: It's just an absence of fear or insecurity.

Holding on to what you think you need won't make you happier; letting go so you can reach for and try to earn what you want will. Even if you don't succeed in earning what you want, the act of trying alone will make you feel better about yourself.

Interrupting

Interrupting isn't just rude. When you interrupt someone, what you're really saying is, "I'm not listening to you so I can understand what you're saying; I'm listening to you so I can decide what I want to say."

Want people to like you? Listen to what they say. Focus on what they say. Ask questions to make sure you understand what they say. They'll love you for it—and you'll love how that makes you feel.

Whining

Your words have power, especially over you. Whining about your problems makes you feel worse, not better. If something is wrong, don't waste time complaining. Put that effort into making the situation better. Unless you want to whine about it forever, eventually you'll have to do that. So why waste time? Fix it now.

Don't talk about what's wrong. Talk about how you'll make things better, even if that conversation is only with yourself. And do the same with your friends or colleagues. Don't just be the shoulder they cry on. Friends don't let friends whine—friends help friends make their lives better.

Controlling

Yeah, you're the boss. Yeah, you're the titan of industry. Yeah, you're the small tail that wags a huge dog. Still, the only thing you really control is you. If you find yourself trying hard to control other people, you've decided that you, your goals, your dreams, or even just your opinions are more important than theirs.

Plus, control is short term at best, because it often requires force, or fear, or authority, or some form of pressure—none of those let you feel good about yourself.

Criticizing

Yeah, you're more educated. Yeah, you're more experienced. Yeah, you've been around more blocks and climbed more mountains and slayed more dragons. That doesn't make you smarter, or better, or more insightful. That just makes you you: unique, matchless, one of a kind, but in the end, just you. Just like everyone else—including your employees.

Preaching

Criticizing has a brother. His name is Preaching. They share the same father: Judging. The higher you rise and the more you accomplish, the more likely you are to think you know everything—and to tell people everything you think you know.

When you speak with more finality than foundation, people may hear you but they don't listen. Few things are sadder and leave you feeling less happy.

Dwelling

The past is valuable. Learn from your mistakes. Learn from the mistakes of others. Then let it go. Easier said than done? It depends on your focus. When something bad happens to you, see that as a chance to learn something you didn't know. When another person makes a mistake, see that as an opportunity to be kind, forgiving, and understanding.

The past is just training; it doesn't define you. Think about what went wrong, but only in terms of how you will make sure that, next time, you and the people around you will know how to make sure it goes right.

Fearing

We're all afraid: of what might or might not happen, of what we can't change, or what we won't be able to do, or how other people might perceive us.

Members' Section

मी अनुभवलेली पंढरीची वारी

जन्म सोलापूरचा असल्यानें कळायला लागलं तसं आषाढी एकादशी आणि पंढरीची वारी हे श्रध्दास्थान.पण त्याविषयी ज्ञान अल्पच.पायी पंढरीला एकादशीस पोहोचणे असतं इतकचं त्या वयात कळलेलं.यावर्षी मैत्रीणीं सोबत ,थोडस तिच्या आग्रहाखातरच पालखीच्या दर्शनाला गेले,अन वारी कळली आणि मन आनंदलं ,जेव्हा मी स्वत: थोडस अंतर दिंडी समवेत चालले.एक लय एक ताल एक नाद , नाही दुजा भाव...'मी 'ही भावनाच वारीत लोप पावते , ...वारकरी ही एकच जात रहाते ....प्रचंड जनसमुदाय , एकमेकांची साथ , नामाच्या जयघोषात दुमदुमलेलं अवकाश , ...आणि इथेच कळलेलं माझं ईलूपण .....मी ही -मी ती सारं सारं बाजूला सारून शिस्तीत केलेला खेळ , विठूच्या ओढीनं टाकलेली पावलंएक प्रचंड ऊर्जा च घेऊन जाते वारकऱ्यास मजल दरमजल.मी वारीत चाललेली चार पावलांची वाट गेली ओढ लावून मनाला , अन विठूच्या दर्शनाची आस जीवाला.....एकदातरी वारी सोबत पंढरीला जाऊन विठ्ठल रखुमाईचे दर्शन घेण्याची ईच्छा आहे.विठू चरणी व्हावी सेवा , ही मनी आस आहे.देह शुद्ध करुनी भजनीं भजावे ।आणिकांचे नाठवावे दोष-गुण ॥१॥साधनें समाधी नको पां उपाधी ।सर्व समबुद्धी करी मन ॥२॥म्हणे जनार्दन घेई अनुताप ।सांडी पां संकल्प एकनाथा ॥३॥

- सौ. संध्या नितीन वाघ

प्रभावी पद्धतीने ईमेल लिहण्याचे कौशल्य

"मी लिहिलेले इमेल्स माझ्या वरिष्ठांना आवडत नाहीत. ते म्हणतात मी जे इमेल्स लिहिते ते प्रभावी नसतात. काका, तुम्हीच सांगा मी काय करू? माझे इमेल्स प्रभावी होण्यासाठी मी काय करायला पाहिजे?" स्वाती फोनवर नाराजी वजा तक्रारीच्या सुरात मला सांगत होती.

माझ्या शेजारी राहणारी हि स्वाती साधारण २५ वर्षाची मुलगी. पदवीनंतर एका नामवंत कॉलेज मधून तिने मानव संसाधन व्यवस्थापन (HR) मध्ये MBA केले आणि गेली दोन वर्ष एका सॉफ्टवेअर कंपनी मध्ये मानव संसाधन व्यवस्थापन विभागामध्ये (HR department) सहाय्यक व्यवस्थापक (assistant manager) म्हणून ती नौकरी करत आहे. थोड्यावेळ तिच्याशी गप्पा मारल्या वर असे लक्षात आले की तिचे इमेल्स हे खूप लांबलचक असतात. त्यामुळे वाचणाऱ्याला कंटाळा येतो आणि वाचणे अर्धवट सोडून देतात. तसेच तिचे इमेल्स वाचल्यावर नक्की तिला काय सांगायचे आहे याचा अर्थबोध होत नाही.

काळजी करण्याचे कारण नाही. प्रभावी इमेल्स कसे लिहायचे हे मी तुला शिकवेन, असे सांगून मी फोन ठेवला.

थोडासा विचार केल्यावर जाणवले की कमी अधिक प्रमाणात बऱ्याच लोकांना हि समस्या आहे. त्यामुळे त्यांच्या कामाच्या गुणवत्तेवर परिणाम होतो आणि वरिष्ठांची नाराजी ओढवली जाते. तुम्ही जर कंपनीच्या ग्राहकांशी किंवा पुरवठादारांना इमेल्स द्वारे रोज संवाद साधत असाल तर अजूनच त्रास होतो. तुमच्या खराब पद्धतीने लिहिलेल्या इमेल्स मुळे कंपनी ची छबी/पत बिघडते आणि कंपनी चे नुकसान होते. त्याचा परिणाम म्हणून पगारवाढ/पदोन्नती होत नाही आणि आर्थिक, मानसिक व शारीरिक त्रास होतो.

आपण ग्राहकांशी किंवा पुरवठादार यांच्याशी ईमेल द्वारे संवाद साधत असाल तर प्रभावी इमेल्स लिहिणे हे अत्यावश्यकच आहे. पण आपण कंपनी मधील सहकाऱ्यांशी व इतर विभागीय वरिष्ठांशी ईमेल ने संवाद साधत असाल तरीसुद्धा प्रभावी पद्धतीने

इमेल्स लिहिण्याचे कौशल्य आत्मसात करणे आवश्यक आहे, हि काळाची गरज आहे. बरेच जण म्हणतात की मी वरिष्ठ पदावर काम करत आहे, किंवा मला भरपूर अनुभव आहे, मग मला प्रभावी इमेल्स लिहिण्याचे कौशल्य शिकण्याची काय गरज? अशा लोकांनी हे समजून घेणे आवश्यक आहे की हे कौशल्य आपल्याकडे नसेल तर आपल्या समक्ष नाही पण आपल्या अपरोक्ष लोक आपली थट्टा करतात, पदोन्नती होत नाही, किंवा परदेशी काम करण्याची संधी मिळत नाही इत्यादी.

प्रभावी पद्धतीने इमेल्स लिहिण्याचे कौशल्य थोड्याशा प्रयत्नाने आणि सततच्या सरावाने सहज साध्य आहे.

स्वाती बरोबर तुम्हाला पण प्रभावी पद्धतीने इमेल्स कसे लिहायचे हे शिकायचे असेल तर चला पुढील भागापासून श्रीगणेशा करू!

- रो. सत्यजीत बाळे

Members' Section

Every Day is a Mother's Day

Every MOMent has a MOM in it, so every moment is special.' - Asst. Prof. Trupti Jadhav

After protecting our precious little one in our womb for nine whole months and going through all the wonderfully amazing and some harrowing experiences, the day finally dawns when we can hold the tiny bundle of joy in our very hands, and that MOMent the world ceases to exist. All that exists is me and my baby and that day marks our journey into the unknown.

No mother is ever prepared for this wonderful journey that she is going to embark, where every new day is going to bring about new joys, new challenges, new beginnings and with every passing day she is going to graduate as the world's best mom. Everything revolves around the baby and its schedule right from our sleep time, to our daily chores even our nature's calls will have to be adjusted according to this prominent personality's wish and will.

The day is made up of baby chatter, squeals of laughter, wailing, baby drool, baby food, diaper changing, nap time, cuddling etc, where the mom goes through a graph of emotionally touchy moments. There are days when she is overjoyed and then there are some when she totally breaks down, especially on the days when the baby takes ill and looks pale and fragile and is whimpering in pain. And yet even when she is at the lowest a little hug will energize her.

Walking down the memory lane I remember my days in the US with my first born, those were one of the best days of my life when we spent the whole day together, playing, going to the library, me hearing his chatter while he played in the bath tub, him helping me with his little hands to unload the dishwasher, trotting behind me while I went to the common laundry room, clinging to me if he saw someone new. Every day and every moment was so special to me and hence I say 'Every Day is a Mother's Day'. In fact I would go a step ahead and say every MOMent is a mother's MOMent to be.

While in the process of bringing up my kids I grew up too. They taught me to be patient, selfless, mature, sensitive, possessive, generous, anxious, fragile and yet to be as strong as steel when it came to their well being and the list can go on. But above all they taught me to love unconditionally. For all of this what a mother expects in return is a small hug, a small look of love in their eyes, a little show of appreciation from her spouse which says, "You did well and I am proud of you."

I have been amply rewarded by my family especially by my kids. I remember when my younger one came home with his English Test Answer sheet, he was then in grade 5 and had scored well in the paper. As I went through his paper, I came across a paragraph wherein he had been asked to write a letter to his friend describing his annual sports day. As I read it, I realised how much I meant to him, when he wrote to his friend saying, I won the roller skates competition only because my Mom persuaded me to carry them to school, I won the throw ball game only because my mom had coaxed me in participating in that team event and my house had won the trophy. His last line which said 'I am so lucky to have a mom like mine', welled tears in my eyes and it was the biggest gift that my kid could have ever given me.

So mothers here's my heartfelt 'mantra', believe it in your hearts that you are a great mom and keep doing your best, no matter what. At the same time remember to relax and never over do. Remember even God does not want us to be THE BEST , he just wants us TO DO OUR BEST.

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Corporate Trainer and Blogger
Ann. Trupti Jadhav

Members' Section

तेरी खामोश आँखोमें उठते सवाल...

तेरी खामोश आँखोमें
उठते सवालों का बवंडर
मुझे परेशान करता हैं....

मै ताँकती रहती हूँ,
खिडकी से बाहर की ओर
और छुपाती हूँ,
आंसूओका समंदर....

चलती हूँ मिलो दूर तक
अपने ही ख्यालों मैं,
शायद कोई मंझिल
मिल जाए.....

हांफती हुई सांसोको
थामकरभी मुस्कुराती हूँ....
बस तेरी जिंदगी
सँवर जाए..

महसूस करती हूँ ,
तेरी सांसो का कंपन
जो मुझे माँ होने की
याद दिलाता हैं...

तेरी मासूमियत भरे
चेहरेपर उठती हैं शिकंजे
मैं फिरसे एक बार
तिलमिलाती हूँ...

माँ हूँ तो सिर्फ
वरदान ही देती हूँ,
हर हाल में जीनेका
सबक सिखाती हूँ....

तेरी खामोश आँखोमें
उठते सवाल....
मुझे मजबूर करते हैं
जीने के लिए...

मैं निकल पडती हूँ
सवालों के जवाब
ढूँढने को जो
आजतक नही मिले....

तेरी खामोश आँखोमें उठते सवाल...

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औरत कैसे संभालती है...

कितने टुकडो में
बिखरती हैं उसकी जिंदगी..
हर एक टुकडा
दिल के करीब भी होकर
फिर भी अनजानसा?
कैसे संभालती हैं?
कुछ ऐसेभी पलों को
छूट जाते हैं....
हाथोंसे गुमनामसे?
सच मानो तो
कोई कसर नही छोड़ती
जिंदगी...

औरत कैसे संभालती है...
रिश्तो को नये सिरेसे
और जोड़ती हैं उन्हें
नये धागोंसे...
कोशीश करती हैं
रिश्तों को फिर समेटने की
और आजमाने की...
फिर भी एक-एक
धागा टूँटता जाता हैं..
बिखरते जाते हैं रिश्ते
साथ में जिंदगी का साथभी.....

औरत कैसे संभालती है...
अपनी गुमनाम जिंदगी
रिश्तोंका सुनापन..
जहाँ सिर्फ रिश्तों को
नाम दिया जाता हैं...
अपनी सहुलियत सें...
और किसी दिन कह
दिया जाता हैं,
एक फिसदी भी भरोंसा
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