

TODAY'S PROGRAMME

**Club Meeting 2006-07
at Nehru Childrens' Museum
at 6.30 p.m.
on 29th March, Thursday.**

**Speaker : Rtn. Utpal Chatterjee,
Asst. Governor Zone VIII who is
one of the most widely travel
Indian Journalist.**

Topic : Experience of meeting VVIPs

FORTHCOMING PROGRAMME

5th April '07 Thursday joint meeting will be held with Calcutta Metropolitan City at our venue.
Speaker : PDG Sekhar Mehta.

Topic : Theory and Practice of Rotary

12th April '07 Thursday speaker Rtn. Aandhi Shah will tell about club bulletin.

19th April '07 Thursday to be announced later.

26th April '07 Thursday Club Assembly

3rd May '07 Thursday
Speaker : Mrs. Mrinalini Mukherjee, one of the best fitness expert in Kolkata and Reebok Master Trainer. All members along with their spouses and children are welcome.

Topic : Health and Fitness

GREETINGS OF THE DAY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO -

Rtn. Siddhartha Kr. Ray 29th Mar.



CONSERVATION

On 22nd March Thursday Capt. Mukuta Mukherjee, amateur flier expressed her thoughts about conservation in our club meeting. By heart she is passionate lover of nature. She is trying to conserve ponds, dighi, doba, marsh in their natural way. She tries to say that don't concrete the border of the wetland it is not healthy at all. Because so many kind of species - shrubb, hurb, plants, trees, in an around the wetland. The help the environment and keep the water clean and healthy. 1 sq. mt. water can give oxygen to nine people.

So keep the nature in a natural way. If the side of the pond become muddy water sippage is possible from a long distance and keep water level.

Electric light in a park enhance the bio-balance of plants, trees, different creatures they cannot understand natural day and night. For that reason oxygen, carbon-di-oxide cycle can not work. Owl, wild cat, fox all are extinguishing. So she are urges please keep the nature in a natural way. For that reason Global Temperature is shooting up 2^o to 6^o within 50 years so please be careful about bio-diversity around you.

The topic was so unknown to us that we were amazed to hear from her. Thanks to her to make us aware about the nature.

CONGRATULATIONS !!

PP Rtn. Dr. Sujit Basu was invited to deliver lecture of prostrate at school of Tropical Medicine on 22nd March, '07. Congratulations to Rtn. Dr. Sujit Basu.

IOL CAMP

IOL Camp was organised on 25th March, Sunday '07 at 10 a.m. Venue: Momine High School near Rajabazar - Narkeldanga Khal Pool, infront of Chhagal Patty. 124 patients wer examined. 74 were detected cataract.

Rtn. Dr. Anupam, Rtn. Dr. Aroon, PP Rtn. Gopinath, Rtn. Pradeep, Rtn. Parimal, Rtn. Gora, Rtn. Goutam, Rtn. Ranjit , IPP Rtn. Gita, PE Rtn. Amit, Rtn. Soumen, PP Rtn. Shilendu and Rtn. Ganga joined the IOL Camp.

BOARD MEETING

Board Meeting will be held on 31st March on Saturday '07 at 6 p.m. at the residence of Rtn. Shibu Kumar Mallick. 4, Sikdar Para Street, Kolkata - 700 007. Mobile - 98300 42075, 2274 0242/1745.

OUR WEBSITE

www.rotarynorthcalcutta.org

FOUR WAY TEST

Is it the truth?

Is it fair to all concerned?

Will it build goodwill and better friendships?

Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

Can we served without being selfish! Do good deds, have trust and patience; the higher centre will open up in you will witness a miracle of life. You can really serve others only when you have compassion in your heart. A heat without compassion cannot serve.

Thank you.

ROTARY QUIZ

Q. What is the basic object of Rotary?

A. To encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise.

Q. Who set up the 4 way test Association?

A. Herbert J Talylor.

Q. Where is the 4-Way Test Association based.

A. At Montgomery, Alabama, USA.

Q. What is Paul Harris Fellow Recognition (PHF)?

A. It is an appreciation given by the Foundation upon request from the donor, for contributions to the Foundations humanitarian and educational programs. A PHF is an individual (need not be a Rotarian) who contributed or in whose name or memory is contributed us \$ 1000.

Q. When is Rotary Awareness Month?

A. January.

Q. What is the Governing body of a Rotary Club?

A. Its Board of Directors.

Q. What is the District Conference?

A. It is a meeting held annually in each district to further the program of Rotary through fellowship, inspirational addresses and the discussion of matters relating to affairs of clubs in the district and RI generally.

Q. What are "The four avenues of Service"?

- A. 1. Club Service
2. Vocational Service
3. Community Service
4. International Service.

Q. What are the four kinds of Rotary Membership?

A. Active, Senior Active, Past Service and honorary.

Day	Date	Time	Event
Saturday	7th	4 PM - 9 PM	District Evening River Cruise & Fiesta
Sunday	8th	10 AM - 4 PM	Inauguration of Service Projects.
Saturday	21st	7 PM - 10 PM	District Nobo Borsher Adda.
Friday	27th	4 PM - 9 PM	RYLA - IV (Day -1) - Joka.
Saturday	28th	9 AM - 9 PM	RYLA - IV (Day -2) - Joka.
Sunday	29th	9 AM - 6 PM	RYLA - IV (Day -3) - Joka.

MINUTES

Minutes of the 1316th regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of North Calcutta held on 22nd March 2007 Thursday at 7 p.m. at NCM.

President Rtn. Dr. Anupam welcomed all member and the guest : Capt. Mukuta Mukherjee, Shri Sanjoy Mukherjee, Shree Rathin Ghosh and Priyanka Adhikary from Maniktala "Rag-O-Rup".

Then President called the meeting to order followed by National Anthem and announcement of Wedding Anniversary Greetings by Rtn. Soumen. President requested guest speaker Capt. Mukuta Mukherjee to take chair on the head table.

Secretary Rtn. Aroon completed the club business with the announcement of IOL Camp to be held on 25th March 07, Sunday at 10 am. at Momine High School near Rajabazar - Narkeldanga Khal pool. Secretary requested Rtn. Ranjit Ghosh, director to elaborate IOL programme. Secretary announced the board meeting to be held on 31st March 07, Saturday, at 6 p.m. at residence of Rtn. Shibu Mullick, 4, Sikdar Para Street, Kolkata - 7.

President requested the members of the "Rag-O-Rup" to speak on their activities and they briefed accordingly.

At the request of the President PP Rtn. Gopinath introduced the speaker Capt. Mukuta Mukherjee, conservationist. The speaker enlighten the members on the issue of natural environment and to save the life of small insects like frogs. In the opinion of wetland experts the border of the pond should not be covered by bricks/cement which destroyed the small insects of the pond. Capt. Mukherjee emphasised that the largest bio-diversity exists at the border of the pond.

She cautioned on Global warming. She referred to preserve different insects, birds, animals which help maintain the natural environment and protect to us from different hazardous situation.

The way she the delivered are speech was very interesting and members - Rtn. Dr. Sujit, Rtn. Dr. Hena, Rtn. Ranjit, PP Rtn. Gopinath, V.P. Rtn. Sekhar and PE Rtn. Dr. Amit participated in the discussion.

Rtn. Dr. Hena offered vote of thanks to the speaker.

President terminated the meeting.

Members Present	19
Guests	04
	<u>23</u>

Rtn. Aroon Roy
Secretary

Rtn. Anupam
Bhattacharyya
President