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<p><u>Today's Programme:</u></p> <p>1st Club Assembly of RY 2018-2019</p>	<p><u>Congratulatory Events</u></p> <p><u>Birthdays:</u></p> <p>Rtn. Sharada Prasai – 14 June Rtn. Bharat N. Joshi – 16 June</p> <p><u>Wedding Anniversaries:</u> Nil</p>
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Minutes of Meeting No.1614

Date: 28 Jestha 2075 / 11 June 2018

1. President Rtn. Chandralekha Kayastha called the Meeting Nos. 1614 to order with 15 seconds of 'Silent Invocation' for World Peace and Happiness.
2. Guests Welcomed by the President Rtn. Chandralekha Kayastha: Four Rotaracts including President Rubina Shakya from the Rotaract Club of Patan.
3. The last meeting minutes were reviewed and adopted.
4. 'Happy News' Contribution:
 - Rtn. Siba B. Rajbhandary – for 'Happy Birthday', a contribution of **NRs. 8,000 to the Club Service Fund**.
 - Rtn. Ramesh Maskay – for 'Happy Birthday'.
 - Rtn. Ganesh R. Shrestha – for having Mr. Manish L. Kayastha as today's guest speaker (NRs. 500).
 - Rtn. Mahendra S. Rawal - for the grand sanitation programme (WASH GG Project) at Kitini school.
 - Rtns. Matsyendra L. and Chandralekha Kayastha – for having their son as today's guest speaker talking about their company (NRs. 1,000).
 - Rtn. Kiran Thapa – for participating in the PEEF scholarship distribution in Lele (NRs. 500), and having over 25 members' attendance today (NRs. 200).
 - Rtn. Lochan Gyawali – for 'Happy Landing' from Japan.
 - Rtn. Rabendra R. Pandey – for a 'hat-trick' in his own attendance in regular weekly meetings (NRs. 500).
5. Other Contributions:
 - Rtn. Piyush B. Bajracharya contributed NRs. 1,850 to the PEEF Operational Fund received from his participation in the Nepal Orthopaedic Hospital (NOH) Board Meeting.
 - Rtn. Lochan Gyawali announced a contribution of Japanese Yen 8,154 to the RCP's Earthquake Relief Fund from one of his company's tea customers in Japan.
6. Rotary News/Information:
 - President Rtn. Chandralekha Kayastha briefed on: (i) the grand sanitation programme (WASH GG Project) in Kitini school attended by Rtns. Ganesh R. Shrestha, Lalita Thapa and Mahendra S. Rawal; (ii) NRCL seminar on 'zero waste' attended by Rtns. Siba B. Rajbhandary, Shiva K. Pradhan, and Padam L. & Kamala Maharjan; (iii) District workshop on 'TEACH' for the clubs of Region 3 attended by committee members; and (iv) District Governor Installation Ceremony on 1 July 2018 with a request for maximum participation.
 - Rtn. Kiran Thapa informed about the completion of the PEEF scholarship distribution at Lele.
7. Salutation: By PDG Rtn. Tirtha M. Sakya - RC St. Andrew, Kingston, Jamaica; Chartered: 1966; & Members: 56. District: 7020, Clubs: 80, & Members: 2640.

8. Before the closure of the meeting by the President, the Secretary announced: contribution of NRs. 6,000 (NRs. 2,600 for attendance and NRs. 3,400 for Sunshine Funds, including NRs. 100 top-up by the President), attendance: 1 guest speaker, 26 members, and 4 Rotaracts.

Rotary Questions/Answers presented by Rtn. Dr. Bishwa B. Sharma

- Q.** First Rotary District Governor from Nepal and the year **A.** Late Rtn. Tehmas Manekshaw, 1996-97.
- Q.** PRIP who attended the inauguration of RI District 3292 in 2008. **A.** PRIP Rtn. Rajendra K. Saboo.
- Q.** Writer of National Anthem of Nepal **A.** Byakul Maila.

Summary of Talk of Architect Manish L. Kayastha

Architect Manish L. Kayastha (son of Rtns. Matsyendra L. and Chandralekha Kayastha from the RCP) gave a talk on 'The Architectural Design Process'. He elaborated on the six stages involved in a building project highlighted below:

- Stage 1 - Conceptual Design and Preliminary Cost Estimate;
- Stage 2 - Detail Architectural Design and Drawings;
- Stage 3 - Construction Drawings/Working Drawings with Detailed Architectural, Structural, Electrical, Sanitary & Plumbing and Landscape Design & Drawings;
- Stage 4 - Municipal Drawings and Permit Process;
- Stage 5 - Detailed Cost Estimate, Tender Documents, and Contract Documents, and
- Stage 6 - Construction Supervision.

In his presentation, he shared images and videos of key projects undertaken by the Architectural Firm Mr. & Mrs. M. L. Kayastha & Associates Pvt. Ltd. including Residences (e.g. of Rtns. Bijaya and Gaby Mallapaty), Office Buildings (e.g. Oasis Complex), Banks, Lab Buildings, Commercial Buildings, Meditation Hall, Hospitals, and Schools.

He also showed images of his sister Mousam Kayastha Adcock's mid-century modern house designed and built by Joseph Eichler in California, USA.

Following a Questions/Answers session, on behalf of all present, Rtn. Jeevan K. Shrestha gave a 'Vote of Thanks' to Mr. Manish L. Kayastha for his excellent presentation and responses to questions.



May the Laugh Bug Bite You 😄 😄 😄 😄 😄

At a motivational seminar, 3 men are asked to come up to the stage.

They are all asked, "When you are in your casket and friends and family are mourning upon you, what would you like to hear them say about you?"

The first guy says, "I would like to hear them say that I was the great doctor of my time, and a great family man."

The second guy says, "I would like to hear that I was a wonderful husband and school teacher who made a huge difference in our children of tomorrow."

The last guy replies, "I would like to hear them say..... LOOK!!! HE'S MOVING!!!!!!"