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RI District 3292

Club No. 23126

Chartered: 29 August 1985

President: Khruschev Shrestha

President Nominee and Editor: Bijaya Mallapaty

Vice-President and Assistant Editor: Chandralekha Kayastha

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Today's Programme:

Membership Topics

Forthcoming Programme:

- 29 Aug. - DG Visit and 4th Club Assembly & Charter Day
1 Sept. – No Meeting because of 29 Aug. Meeting
5 Sept. – Board Meeting
6 Sept. - Four-monthly Fellowship
8 Sept. - Annual General Meeting

Congratulatory Events

Birthdays:

- Rtn. Bijaya Bajracharya – 23 August
Rtn. Kalpana Pradhan – 27 August

Wedding Anniversaries: NIL

Minutes of Meeting No. 1422

Date: 2 Bhadra 2071 / 18 August 2014

1. President a.i. Matsyendra L. Kayastha called the Meeting No. 1422 to order with 15 seconds of 'silent invocation' for peace and happiness.
2. Guests welcomed by President a.i. Kayastha: Visiting Rotarian PP Shiva B.N. Pradhan from RC of Patan South, Mr. Nirmal Pradhananga, and Mr. Ek B. Bhandari of Mahendra Adarsha High School, Immadol. He also welcomed Rtns. Bijaya Bajracharya and Kiran Shrestha to the meeting after long absences of them.
3. An update with positive news of improvement in the health situation of President Khruschev Shrestha was provided by Rtn. Bijaya Mallapaty.
4. The last meeting's minutes were reviewed and adopted.
5. 'Happy News' Contributions:
 - Rtn. Shreedhar S. Rana – for 'Happy Birthday'.
 - Rtn. Bijaya Bajracharya – for son's engagement last Wednesday and for his 'Happy Birthday' of 23 August in advance (NRs. 2,000).
 - Rtn. Kiran Shrestha – for son's wedding (NRs. 3,000).
 - Rtn. Dr. Mukti N. Shrestha – for attending 'Lifestyle Modification Training' for several weeks and reducing 3 kilos of weight (NRs. 100 per kilo = NRs.300).
 - Rtn. Ganesh R. Shrestha – for 'Krishna Jhula'.
 - Rtn. Gabriele Mallapaty – for Rtn. Kiran Shrestha's attendance to the weekly meeting.
 - Rtn. Dr. Prakash R. Regmi – for the attendance of Rtns. Bijaya Bajracharya and Kiran Shrestha.
 - Rtn. Padam L. Maharjan – for the improvements in President Khruschev Shrestha's health.
 - Rtn. Piyush B. Bajracharya – for happy family news in 'Himal'.
6. Salutation: By PP Rtn. Ganesh R. Shrestha - Rotary Club of Almada, Club ID 11968, Portugal; Chartered 1951; Members 23. District: 1960, Clubs: 72, and Members:1423.
7. Rotary News/Information Sharing:
 - President a.i. Kayastha briefed on the District Membership Development Seminar, which had a good participation of 5 members from the RCP. He noted our District's ambitious target of adding 600 new members during this Rotary Year.
 - Mr. Ek B. Bhandari, Headmaster of Mahendra Adarsha High School, Immadol, briefed on the situation of the school appreciating the RCP's support with scholarships and computers and urged for additional support.
 - Rtn. Lalita Thapa updated on the status of 'Souvenir' preparation in detail. She requested all the contributors of articles, advertisements and other information to provide their materials by Tuesday, 19 August 2014.

- It was agreed to have messages of 'best wishes' from all RCP Members in the Souvenir and collect a contribution of NRs. 500 from each member.
 - President a.i. Kayastha, Secretary Mallapaty and Coordinator Rtn. Kedar B. Shrestha briefed on the status of preparations for the Charter Day celebration of 29 August. Maximum presence of Members and Spouses was requested from 5.30 p.m. It was also suggested to inform the Secretary, in advance, if members would like to make any special contribution to Rotary during the 'Charter Day' meeting.
 - Rtn. Bijaya Mallapaty briefed the 'House' on the finalization of the RCP's Committees following circulation of a draft and taking into account comments/suggestions of all members.
8. Secretary Gabriele Mallapaty presented the revised Constitution and By-Laws of the RCP that had been circulated to all Members with all comments/suggestions from members incorporated. The 'House' approved both these documents unanimously.
 9. Rtn. Bijaya Mallapaty briefed on the District's request in support of the victims of National Calamity due to recent landslides and floods in Nepal. It was agreed to raise a special contribution, in addition to the RCP's regular contributions to the District Disaster Relief Fund already made earlier. The funds thus raised by the RCP will be handed over to the District Governor during the Charter Day celebrations on 29 August 2014 with a request to donate it to the Disaster Management mechanism of the Government of Nepal for this purpose. **Members were requested to contribute by Monday, 25 August 2014 for this cause.**
 10. Before the closure of the meeting by the President a.i. with special thanks to everyone for their support, the Secretary announced: contributions to 'Sunshine' Fund: NRs.8,000, attendance: members 25, guests 2, visiting Rotarian 1, and make-up 8.

Rotary Information

The Rotary Club of Patan has sponsored the following Clubs:

<u>Name of Club</u>	<u>Charter Year</u>
Rotary Club of Chitwan	1991
Rotary Club of Patan West	1995
Rotary Club of Yala	1996
Rotary Club of Patan South	1997
Rotary Club of Kopundol	2001
Rotary Club Bhaktapur	2003
Rotary Club of Jawalakhel	2003
Rotary Club of Mahabouddha	2003
Rotary Club of Chandragiri	2008
Rotary E-club of District 3292	2013

Our Club, the Rotary Club of Patan, was sponsored by the Rotary Club of Kathmandu in 1985



May the Laugh Bug Bite You 😊😊😊😊😊

One Saturday morning a fisherman gets up early, dresses quietly, grabs his fishing rod and heads outside. But snow and sleet are blowing hard and the wind is over 50 km per hour. He decides to come back immediately to the house. He reaches home, quietly undresses and slips back into bed where his wife appears to be still sleeping.

He cuddles up to his wife's back, now with a different anticipation and whispers, "The weather out there is terrible". To which she sleepily replies, "Yeah, can you believe my stupid husband is out fishing in it?"

(Courtesy: Rtn. Dr. Bishwa B. Sharma)