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Program Today

**02.07.2020
Installation
of
Office Bearers
2020-21**

BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2020-21

PRESIDENT - Rtn. PHF Archibald Herman George Menezes



The reins of the club he will hold
This Pharma guy has the right balm
Archie's the man for the coming year
In adversity, always assured and calm

IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT-Rtn. PHF Jathin V. Attavar



Jathin's the happiest man on board
The IPP, his job is done
Always there to give advice when needed
Otherwise relax- and have some fun!

SECRETARY - Rtn. PHF U. Vishal Mallya



Vishal's the travel and tours expert
This year he's Archie's go to man
And when the going gets tough we know
He's always have the right plan!

TREASURER – Rtn. PHF Abhijith V. Shet



This jeweller knows all about carat and cut
Abhijit will handle the money
And when he takes charge of our finances
The outlook will always be sunny!



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DIRECTOR CLUB SERVICE 1 & PRESIDENT ELECT

Rtn. PHF Sudhir Kumar Jalan



As petroleum prices hit the sky
Sudhir's smile gets wider each day
He's the bridegroom in waiting now
The right man next year to hold sway

DIRECTOR CLUB SERVICE 2 & VICE PRESIDENT

Rtn. Kiron P.K



This builder of bodies will bring with him
The experience of several years
With the knowledge and ability
To calm the President's fears

DIRECTOR COMMUNITY SERVICE

Rtn. PHF Raghavendra K. Bhat



Raghu Bhat is the man with the projects
Management chaps always have a plan
Rest assured that community service
Will be performed this year with elan

DIRECTOR INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

Rtn. PHF PP Dijaraj Nair



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That finesse he brings to the table
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DIRECTOR – YOUTH SERVICE

Rtn. Vinod D Souza



Vinod's the man who handles the youngsters
Rotaract and Interact, he's always liked
Every week there's a project or two
And an announcement on the mike!

DIRECTOR – VOCATIONAL SERVICE

Rtn. PHF Dr. Arjun Nayak U.S



Fixing your smile is his business
That's his daily butter and bread
Eager to learn, a pleasant demeanour
Assets for Arjun to get ahead!

SERGEANT – AT – ARMS

Rtn. K. Vivekanand Pai



Vivek, the man who distributes dreams
Movies have been his life
Now he will wield the Sergeant's baton
Encourage discipline and abolish strife!

- Contributed by Rtn. PHF PP Dr. Ajay R. Kamath

Dr. P. Subrahmanya Yadapadithaya - OUR CHIEF GUEST



Honourable Dr. P. Subrahmanya Yadapadithaya is the Vice Chancellor, Mangalore University. He did his post graduation from Mangalore University and secured FIRST RANK with GOLD MEDAL in M.Com. Obtained Ph. D. from Mangalore University in the area of Consumer Behaviour. In his professional life he has rendered his service as Professor, Trainer and Consultant at National Institute of Training for Industrial Engineering (NITIE), Mumbai. He has Published 46 research papers in national and international journals of repute. Dr. P.S.

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Yadapadithaya has done his post-doctoral research at Nottingham Business School, Nottingham Trent University, England

He is a recipient of many awards , notably

- “E-Learn International Award-2003” from Scotland, UK
- Prestigious Dewang Mehta National Award for “Best Teacher in Human Resource Management” in November 2009.

Professor P.S. Yadapadithya has more than 33 years of experience in Teaching and Research. He has Worked in various capacities in Mangalore University.

- Member coordinator of peer team, National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), Bengaluru.
- Served as the Nodal officer for Karnataka State University Ranking Framework (K-SURF Mangalore University)
- Institutional Coordinator for Rastriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA), the coordinator of Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC).
- Currently, he is the Vice Chancellor, Mangalore University.

With his humble and friendly nature, Prof. Yadapadithaya is a well respected and admired person within and outside Mangalore. The Rotary Club of Mangalore feels honoured with his presence at the installation ceremony of office bearers.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Seven years ago my journey with Rotary, started with Rotary club of Mangalore. When I joined the club I had very little idea about Rotary except that it is a service oriented organization. Today I feel proud that I am a member of the Rotary Club of Mangalore and having an opportunity to serve as the President of the club for the year 2020-21. With a galaxy of past presidents with enormous wealth of knowledge and active participation from the members of the club for the past 70 glorious years, the club has carved a name for itself in the society in rendering yeomen service to the needy, adhering to Rotary values and imparting the same to others.

For members of the Rotary Club of Mangalore, the installation ceremony is always one of the major event of the Rotary year and surely it is celebrated with all the grandeur it deserves. However this year due to the pandemic knocking at our door, we need to be cautious. Probably for the first time in the history of the club the physical meet and installation ceremony has to be cancelled. However Rotarians are known for innovations and the club has rightly decided to hold the installation through an



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e-meeting on zoom. The board and the members of the club have an enormous social responsibility to ensure that the club members, their families, friends and others, remain safe and the unintended exposure to the virus is avoided.

Thank you Rotarians for making me feel comfortable to accept the responsibility of leading this club for the year 2020-21. With your support, guidance and blessing, we the RCM team elected by you, will strive to uphold the name and values of Rotary i.e. fellowship, Integrity, honesty and service to the best of our ability. I congratulate and thank my fellow board members for volunteering to be part of this team. I want to thank Immediate past president Rtn. Jatin Attavar for his leadership for the past Rotary year and I am glad that he continues to be a member of our board for another year

The Rotary theme this year "Rotary Opens Opportunities" could not have been released at a better time. I am sure in this challenging year, with your support, our club will identify new opportunities to serve, without getting distracted in achieving its set targets.

-Rtn. PHF Archibald Menezes

EDITORIAL

It is indeed an honour to be the bulletin editor of our prestigious club. As it is my first time donning the role of an editor of a bulletin, I would like to thank our President Rtn. Archibald Menezes for placing his trust and confidence in me to carry out the responsibilities this year.

It has been a constant endeavour of all previous editors to bring relevant information about Rotary to its members and we will continue to do so. I have a team of stalwarts who are Past Presidents and former Editors to help and guide me in this task.

This year we intend to bring out an e-bulletin until we continue to have online meetings, and revert to our traditional printed version once we start our regular meetings. Please feel free to send articles, which you may find interesting to share with your fellow members.

-Rtn. PHF Ashwin Pai Maroor, Editor, Rotalore

TREASURER'S DESK

Dear Rotarians,

We are all passing through difficult times due to COVID-19 pandemic and are forced to change our way of functioning to adjust to the circumstances. Our Rotary Club is not going to be an exception. The new Rotary Year has started and along with that as a Treasurer of the club, it is my duty to advise and collect the club dues from the



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-Rtn. PHF Abhijith V. Shet

OUTGOING PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The time has come for my final remarks as the President of this great Club. It has been a Fun filled, Action packed, and richly rewarding year. As I read the bulletins of the year gone by to reminisce over all the highlights, There were many, and they brought back fond memories of all the good work we have done. We have made a difference in the lives of many people this year by putting 'Service above Self' in everything we do. The last few months have been challenging and I hope we have done justice despite all the hurdles before us.

I Thank the members of Rotary Club of Mangalore for the support and encouragement they have given me over the past year and for giving me the opportunity to lead this great club. I thoroughly enjoyed my time as the President and I wish the incoming President Rtn.Archibald Menezes and his team great success.

-Rtn. PHF Jathin V. Attavar

Club Diary – 25.06.2020 Business Meeting – Thanksgiving

First meeting at Moti Mahal post lock down was held on 25th June 2020. About 40 Rotarians attended this meeting. Adequate distancing of seating and sanitizers were provided. The sumptuous high tea was enjoyed by all after a long time. Members took to greeting each other with a namaste rather than hand shake. But for some, "old habits....". The Thanksgiving business meet was begun by invocation by Rtn Vinod DSouza. A minutes silence was observed as a mark of respect to condole the demise of mothers of Rtn. Devraj Fernandes and Rtn. Shashidhar Pai. After the usual greetings to the weeks birthday boys and those who celebrated wedding anniversaries, hundred percenters in attendance were honoured by President Jathin, as President elect Rtn. Archibald called out the names. Secretary Rtn. Dr. Pramod Kumar read out the excerpts of the annual report as all members had received a copy each of the



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very impressive annual report book. President Rtn. Jathin then gave his Thanksgiving speech which was as impressive as his acceptance speech more than a year ago. He did not leave out any names that mattered in his show of gratitude. Past Presidents Rtn. Devdas, Rtn. Venkatesh Pai, Rtn. Rajendra Kalbavi paid rich tributes to the President's achievements. Earlier Treasurer Rtn. Puran Attavar read out the financial statement for the year that was. Staff of Moti Mahal were also recognised for their services by the President. Rtn Archie requested the members to support him as they always do for his term, 2020-21.

-Reported by Rtn. PHF Dr. Pramod Kumar

Birthday wishes to



**Rtn. M. Venkatesh
Pai**
27th June



**Rtn. Deepak
Ramani**
30th June



**Rtn. M. Sanjeeva
Poojary**
01st July



**Rtn. Kevin Xavier
Vas**
02nd July

Club Pulse

25.06.2020

Club Strength	106
Present	64
Absent	42
Percentage	60%
% After Make-up	
18.06.2020	40%
11.06.2020	40%

Weekly Meeting

**Thursday
At 7.00 PM
Online Meeting
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Program Next Week

09.07.2020

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&
Targets**





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